

Part 1- The end of the United States of America in 1861?

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- Nominated for President by the _____ party
 - Was against the **expansion** (spread) of _____
 - **1st priority**- Keep the _____ together!
 - Wins almost all of the _____ and becomes President.

The _____ - Very fearful that Lincoln will abolish

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- Dec 1860- **South Carolina** _____ from (leaves) the Union.
 - Feb 1861- 7 states form the _____; others later joined.
 - _____ becomes their President.
 - 4 _____ (Missouri, Delaware, Kentucky, Maryland)- continue to have slavery but do not _____ from the Union.

Part 2: Lincoln's views on slavery:

Directions: Examine these 2 quotes below of Lincoln and respond to the 2 questions below them:

- a. "I am naturally anti-slavery. If slavery is not wrong, nothing is wrong. I can not remember when I did not so think, and feel." *The Collected Works of Abraham Lincoln* edited by Roy P. Basler, Volume VII, "Letter to Albert G. Hodges" (April 4, 1864), p. 281.
- b. ... "I have no purpose, directly or indirectly, to interfere with the institution of slavery in the States where it exists. I believe I have no lawful right to do so, and I have no inclination to do so." Lincoln's First Inaugural Address, March 4, 1861.

1. What stands out to you about Quote #1 from Lincoln? What stands out to you about Quote #2 from Lincoln?

2. Does Quote #2 **corroborate** (support what is said) with Quote #1? Why or why not?

3. Complete the following statement: "After viewing these 2 quotes by Lincoln, I feel that... (2 sentences)
