



# SONS OF LIBERTY: PATRIOTS OR TERRORISTS?



## PART I - BACKGROUND

1. How would you define the term "patriot"? \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. How would you define the term "terrorist"? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. What do you believe is the difference between the two words? \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. Can one start out as a patriot and become a terrorist, or vice versa? Where do you draw the line? \_\_\_\_\_  
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## DOCUMENT I – SONS OF LIBERTY: PATRIOTS OR TERRORISTS?

1. According to the essay, were the Sons of Liberty considered at the time to be patriots or terrorists? \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. What actions did the SoL take to classify them as terrorists? Use specific evidence from the article. \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. What actions did the SoL take to classify them as patriots? Use specific evidence from the article. \_\_\_\_\_  
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## PART II – PRIMARY SOURCE DOCUMENTS

### DOCUMENT II – TO THE FREEMEN OF AMERICA

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