

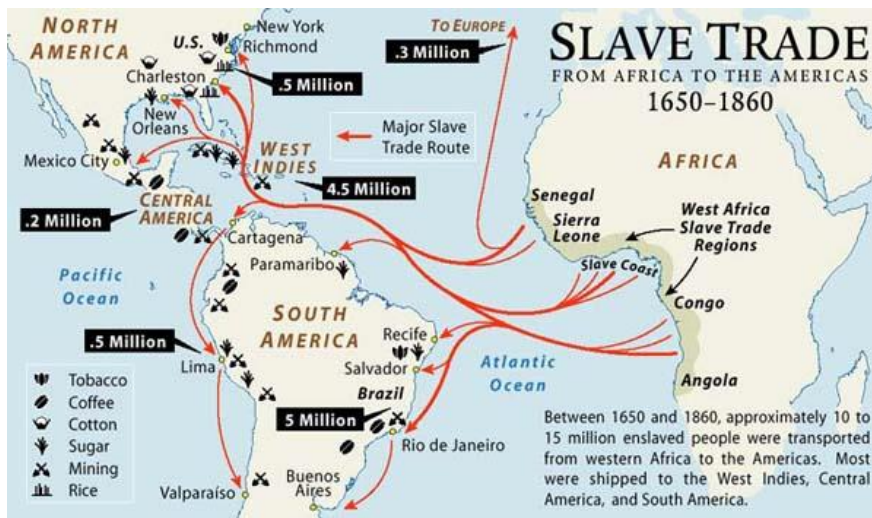
## AFRICA:

### THE DARK CONTINENT OF WESTERN DESIRE



### The Atlantic Slave Trade

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3NXC4Q\\_4JVg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3NXC4Q_4JVg)



Watch the Video, then Answer the Questions:

1. Why did American settlers turn to Africa for workforce?

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2. What role did African local powers and authorities play in the slave trade?

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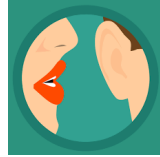
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3. What were exchanges between European traders and African authorities based on?

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4. What were the economic and political aftermaths of the end of slave trade in Africa?

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5. On what grounds was slavery justified by Christian powers? What effect did this justification had both in and out of Africa?

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### Why Engagement Rings Are a Scam:

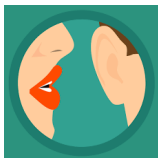
### The Truth behind the Diamond Trade

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N5kWu1ifBGU>



Watch the Video, then Explain the Contents  
by Connecting Them to the Key Words in the Box below:

HEGEMONY	IDENTITY	COMPRADOR	DECOLONIZATION
The power of the ruling class to convince other classes / groups that their interests are the interests of all; it is also known as 'domination by consent'.	The way in which an individual or group identifies itself.	Local bourgeoisie who owe their privileged position to foreign monopolies and hence maintain a vested interest in colonial occupation.	The process of revealing and dismantling colonialist power in all its forms.



EMPIRE

The increasing globalization of the world, transcending the power of even the strongest sovereign nations.

GLOBALIZATION

The process whereby individual lives and local communities are affected by economic and cultural forces that operate world-wide.

IMPERIALISM

The practice, theory, and the attitudes of a dominating metropolitan center ruling a distant territory.

SETTLER COLONY

A colony where, over time, the invading Europeans (or their descendants) annihilated, displaced and/or marginalized the indigenes to become a majority non-indigenous population.

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