**The Spartans Viewing Questions**

1. What was outlawed in Sparta?
2. What did most of the Greeks think the Peloponnese was?
3. How much of Greece cannot be farmed?
4. What were the Spartans famous for not doing?
5. How many kings did the Spartans have at any one time?
6. Why did other Greek city-states send out colonies?
7. What does the word *helot* mean?
8. How many wars did Sparta need to defeat Messenia?
9. What was a *hoplite*?
10. What was a phalanx?
11. What percentage of society could afford the basic arms and armour of a hoplite?
12. When did the Messenians finally fall to Sparta?
13. What did Lycurgus apparently do?
14. What did the whole of Spartan society become?
15. What would happen to a newly born child if it didn’t match up to the physical requirements?
16. What was the *agoge*?
17. Why were boys flogged when caught?
18. What did boys do in the *crypteia*?
19. What were regarded as essential to the Spartan training?
20. What did a Spartan get if he was successfully elected into a mess hall?
21. What was the common food in the mess hall?
22. What news arrived in 480 BC?
23. What happened to the Persian envoys who were sent to Greece for land and water?
24. What did the Spartans rebuild when they reached Thermopylae?
25. How many Spartans were at Thermopylae?