

AP WORLD HISTORY: IMPERIALISM

\*\*Using the passages on the left, translate them into your own words in the corresponding right box.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Rudyard Kipling</b> <i>The White Man's Burden</i> 1899</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Translation:</b> <b>To me, this is saying:</b></p>
<p>Take up the White Man's burden-- Send forth the best ye breed-- Go bind your sons to exile To serve your captives' need; To wait in heavy harness, On fluttered folk and wild-- Your new-caught, sullen peoples, Half-devil and half-child.</p>	
<p>Take up the White Man's burden-- The savage wars of peace-- Fill full the mouth of Famine And bid the sickness cease; And when your goal is nearest The end for others sought, Watch sloth and heathen Folly Bring all your hopes to nought.</p>	
<p>Take up the White Man's burden-- And reap his old reward: The blame of those ye better, The hate of those ye guard-- The cry of hosts ye humour (Ah, slowly!) toward the light:-- "Why brought he us from bondage, Our loved Egyptian night?"</p>	
<p>Take up the White Man's burden-- Ye dare not stoop to less-- Nor call too loud on Freedom To cloke your weariness; By all ye cry or whisper, By all ye leave or do, The silent, sullen peoples</p>	

