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Chapter 14 Section 2: The Road to Victory in Europe

**Read the text and answer the following questions.**

1. What was the Atlantic Charter?

2. What happened after the bombing of Pearl Harbor?

3. What were the 4 Freedoms FDR said we were fighting for?

4. What were “GI’s”?

5. How were the armed forces diverse?

6. What 2 challenges did Japanese-Americans and African-Americans face?

7. Who were the Navajo “Code Talkers”?

8. What role did women play in the armed forces?

9. What was the situation like in Europe by the time the U.S. entered the war in 1941?

10. What was the Battle of the Atlantic?

11. What happened in North Africa?

12. What 2 things did Roosevelt and Churchill agree on when they again met in Casablanca, Morocco (in N. Africa)?

13. What happened when American troops invaded Italy?

14. What did Hitler do after losing the Battle of Britain?

15. Why was the Red Army (Soviet soldiers) overwhelmed by the Germans?

16. Why was the Battle of Stalingrad a turning point in the war?

17. How and why did the air war occur?

18. What was carpet bombing and what did it lead to?

19. What was D-Day and what happened?

20. What was Normandy?

21. What did American, British, and Canadian forces do?

22. What was the Battle of the Bulge and why was it significant?

23. Why was the fighting from 1941-1945 between Germany and the Soviet Union so horrific?

24. What was the final outcome?

25. What happened to Hitler and Germany?

26. What was V-E Day and why was the war not over yet?

27. What was the Yalta Conference (a city in the S. Union near the Black Sea) and who was there?

28. What was decided at this meeting and did they stick to it?