

# History Frame

## Title of Event:

*American Civil War*

## Problem or Goal:

The end of slavery and a united Union (including all North and South).

## Participants / Key Players:

*The Confederacy*

Jefferson Davis (Pres)

Robert E. Lee (Gen)

Stonewall Jackson (Gen)

*The Union*

Abraham Lincoln (Pres)

Ulysses S. Grant (Gen)

William T Sherman (Gen)

**Where:** Mainly fought in the South

**When:** 1861—1865

## Resolution or Outcome:

On April 9th, 1865, General Robert E. Lee (*Confederates*) met with General Ulysses S. Grant (*Union*) to surrender the Confederate forces. General Grant declared the war over and the rebels (*Confederates*) to be their countrymen again.

## Key Episodes or Events:

C = Confederate Victory,  
U = Union Victory

Fort Sumter (C) April 12, 1861 *Opening battle of the war*

Bull Run (C) July 21, 1861

Shiloh (U) April 6, 1862

Antietam (U) September 17, 1862

Vicksburg (U) December 26, 1862 - July 4, 1863

*Emancipation Proclamation—Abraham Lincoln, January 1, 1863*

Gettysburg (U) July 1 - July 3, 1863

*Gettysburg Address—Abraham Lincoln, November 18, 1863*

Atlanta Campaign (U) May, 1864 - September, 1864

March to the Sea (U) November, 1864 - December, 1864

Richmond (U) May, 1864 - April, 1865

*Appomattox, April 9, 1865 - Confederate forces surrender.*

## Theme / Lesson / So What?

The victory of the Union made sure that the United States remained one country.

