

UNIT 2. FROM KINGDOM TO EMPIRE

CARLOS V – FELIPE II

1. Match the kings to their queens.

Felipe I de Castilla	<input type="radio"/>	Isabel de Portugal
Carlos I/Carlos V	<input type="radio"/>	Juana I de Castilla
Maximiliano I, Holy Roman Emperor	<input type="radio"/>	María de Borgoña
Fernando II de Aragón	<input type="radio"/>	Isabel I de Castilla

2. Complete the text.

_____ II died in 1516. His grandson, Carlos I, became king.

Carlos I was born in the _____ and also inherited the German (Holy
_____) Empire. There he was known as Carlos V. He was made King of
_____ on the condition that he learnt to speak Spanish.

He ruled most of Europe, as well as the Spanish _____ in the Americas and Asia.

He was at constant war with the _____ in Italy. This cost a lot of money and left
Spain with a huge _____ .

Before he died, Carlos left the Holy Roman Empire to his brother, _____. He left
the Spanish _____ to his son, Felipe II.