

UNIT EXAM - Page 2

Classical Era

Fill in the Blanks

1. The two most outstanding choral composers of the Classical Era were _____ and _____.
2. The dates used in this unit for the Classical Era are _____ to _____.
3. _____ invented the glass harmonica.
4. _____ was considered the outstanding American composer and harpsichordist. He also signed the Declaration of Independence.
5. _____ was born in Philadelphia in 1737 and wrote the first American secular song, "My Days Have Been So Wondrous Free."
6. At the age of eight, Haydn became a choirboy at the Cathedral of _____ in Vienna, Austria.
7. In 1761, Haydn was employed by the wealthy and powerful _____.
8. The Esterházy family lived most of the year in their country palace in _____, Germany.
9. The two most famous oratorios Franz Joseph Haydn composed were _____ and _____.
10. Mozart's only living sibling (sister) was nicknamed _____.
11. At fourteen, Mozart appeared before the Pope, heard the Gregorio Allegri composition, "Miserere" for the first time, and copied it note for note. Because of this accomplishment, the Pope honored him with the _____.
12. Mozart married Maria Constanze Weber and she gave birth to _____ children during their nine years of marriage.
13. _____ was the unfinished composition that Mozart was writing when he died.