

## American History Assignment 26

- *picture.* The picture on this assignment page is of Johnson being sworn in on a plane, as Kennedy had just been assassinated.
- *5 Points to a 5 reading.* Read and study “Rise of Manufacturing and the Age of Jackson (1720–1845)” and “Union Expanded and Challenged (1835–1860).” Answer the questions at the end of the chapter.



- *Abeka reading.* Read Chapter 29 in Abeka, “Troubled Times.” Joshua and Jonathan will be speaking on two separate topics presented in the chapter. Next week, Anna Rose and Hannahgrace will speak on two separate topics presented in the next chapter.
- *primary source documents.* Listen to **Johnson’s Great Society Speech**. You can read the speech [here](#). Also, listen to Johnson’s **Speech on Vietnam**. I will quiz you on the content after our break!
- *opera on the inimitable Nixon.* Nixon was infamous for his involvement in Watergate, but he is praised for opening up relations with China. Watch an excerpt from John Adams’ opera **Nixon in China**. I think you will find the opera extremely interesting on several different levels—you won’t be disappointed! You have to watch to the end, though, to get the full impact. The above picture was taken in Paoli, PA (very near my house) where Nixon was campaigning.

