

Welcome to Civil War Activities for Kids:

Copywork

On the following pages, you will find ten quotes from prominent men from America's Civil War period. It was a horrible time, as these men readily confess. Yet it was a pivotal time for our nation and our world.

There are two pages at the beginning of this book that list the quotes that are ideal for using in dictation. Following these pages you will find the copywork organized by its author. For example, there are four quotes by Robert E. Lee. You will find these first as copywork to trace, then written out as copywork to copy, and then blank lines for the student to use for his own copying of the text.

My prayer is that this copywork is a blessing to your family and draws you closer to the One who breaks down every barrier that separates man from man and man from God.

“That at that time ye were without Christ . . . having no hope, and without God in the world: But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace, who hath made both one, and hath broken down the middle wall of partition between us; Having abolished in his flesh the enmity, even the law of commandments contained in ordinances; for to make in himself of twain one new man, so making peace; And that he might reconcile both unto God in one body by the cross, having slain the enmity thereby” Ephesians 2:12-16 KJV.

Ulysses S. Grant

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