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***Directions***: As you watch the video on the Haitian Revolution answer each of the guiding questions that follow.

1. Why were so many slaves brought to Haiti? What was their purpose?
2. Why was Haiti the “Jewel in France’s Crown” & the “Pearl of the Antilles”?
3. Describe the treatment of African slaves on the Island of Haiti.
4. Why were the slaves so brutal against the French during their revolution?
5. Summarize Toussaint Louverture’s background.
6. How did Toussaint gain followers? What did he promise them?
7. Why was Spain interested in taking over Haiti? Who was Spain also fighting back in Europe?
8. Why did Toussaint change from fighting the French to fighting the Spanish & the British?
9. How did Napoleon respond to Toussaint’s efforts in Haiti? Why?
10. What ultimately happens to Toussaint? What did this do to Haiti’s revolution?
11. What was ***scorched earth?*** What did it cause the French to do?
12. What did Dessalines accomplish by 1803? Why is this significant?