

Louisiana Purchase



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1. Who are the three people standing in the center of the painting?

2. Three Forks is where the Jefferson, Madison, and Gallatin Rivers meet to form the headwaters of which major river?
 - a. the Mississippi River
 - b. the Missouri River
 - c. the Colorado River
 - d. the Rio Grande

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- 3. In what year must this scene take place?
 - a. 1801
 - b. 1803
 - c. 1805
 - d. 1807

- 4. Six people are visible, but seven are present. Who and where is the seventh? How did he help the explorers' relationship with Native Americans?



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- 5. Describe the painting. Explain what is happening in the scene.

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Use your knowledge of history and your copy of Edgar Samuel Paxson's picture (above) to answer the questions.

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Answers will vary but should indicate exploration of the

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