



THE RISE OF NATIONALISM IN EUROPE

CLASS - X

PART -1

CHAPTER - 1

What is Nationalism?

- Nationalism is a feeling of belonging and loyalty that causes people to think of themselves as a nation.
- During the 19th and 20th centuries, nationalism was a powerful force that could:
 - Create one nation from many separate countries (ex. Italy and Germany)
 - Break one nation up into many countries (ex. Austria-Hungary, and Turkey)



1. Emergence of Nationalism in Europe

- During the nineteenth century, nationalism brought about sweeping changes in the political and mental world of Europe.
- Nation states emerged in place of the multi-national dynastic empires of Europe.
- The concept of a modern state had been developing over a long period of time in Europe.

- Nation state is one in which the majority of its citizens, and not only its rulers come to develop a sense of common identity and shared history or descent which were forged through struggles, actions of leaders and the common people.

EUROPEAN SOCIETY

➤ *THE UPPER CLASS :*

- THE LANDED ARISTOCRACY WERE THE DOMINANT GROUP.
- THEY HAD COMMON INTEREST AND LIFESTYLE.
- OWNED LARGE COUNTRY ESTATES AND TOWN HOUSES.
- MOST OF THEM SPOKE FRENCH.

➤ *THE LOWER CLASS :*

- MAJORITY OF THE PEOPLE WERE PEASANTS.
- MOST WERE LANDLESS AND WORKED AS SERFS.


UPPER CLASS PEOPLE.



Levisse galante à paillement et Collet garni. Elle porte le jupon de Saint Martin à pois noir les manches de dentelle garnies de la bordure d'hermine et les Ganses noires. Elle tient le Peigne de l'Oratoire de l'Oratoire de la boutique et le pinceau. Cette Robe a été portée par une Dame de qualité pendant le règne de M. Louis XV. Elle est de l'Oratoire de la boutique et de la boutique de l'Oratoire. A Paris chez les vendeurs de l'Oratoire et de la boutique de l'Oratoire. A. P. D. R.

LOWER CLASS PEOPLE



A photograph featuring several pink roses of various sizes and a small white sign with the text "Thank you!". The roses are arranged on a light-colored wooden surface. One large rose is on the left, another large one is on the right, and a smaller one is at the top. A small white sign with the text "Thank you!" is placed in the center. A single white rose petal lies on the wooden surface in the foreground.

Thank you!