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The Real Legacy of Margaret Thatcher, Britain's Iron Lady by The Heritage Foundation

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In the wake of Britain's "Winter of Discontent"

Margaret Thatcher's Conservative Party

Won a (1)_____ victory

The Iron Lady took the (2)_____ of a fading Britain

The sick man of Europe

As it had (3)_____ to be known

But she (4)_____ to (5)_____ that
decay

Was inevitable

And that the job of the British government

Was to manage decline

Britain, should believed, could do better

"Some socialists seem to believe

That people should be numbers in a state computer

We (6)_____ they should be individuals

We're all unequal

No one, thank heavens, is (7)_____ like anyone else

However (8)_____ the socialists

May pretend otherwise

And we believe that everyone

Has the right to be unequal

But to us

Every human being is equally important"

And while she had no shortage of critics

"The Prime Minister is aware that

I detest every single one of her domestic policies

And I (9)_____ (10)_____ hidden that fact"

"I think the Honorable (11)_____ knows

That I have the same contempt

For his socialist policies

As the the people of east Europe

Who have experienced them..."

She was secure in her faith

That her (12)_____

(13)_____ was right

"One of the great (14)_____ of our time

Is (15)_____ how much of your money

Should be spent by the state

And how much you should keep

To spend on your family

If the state wishes to (16)_____ more

It can do so (17)_____ by borrowing your savings

Or by taxing you more

And it's no good thinking someone else will pay

That someone else is you"

She knew what (18)_____ Reagan knew

That free markets and a free people

Are the best defense against tyranny

And that peace comes through strength

Not accommodation

"Mr. Speaker

Wars are not caused

By the build-up of weapons

They are caused (19)_____ an aggressor

Believes he can achieve his objectives

At an (20)_____ price"

America now stands at a crossroads

One path leads to deficits

Decreasing influence and decline

The other a renewed (21)_____ dream

We all want

"Mr. Chairman

People want to live in peace

Real lasting peace

The peace that comes

From (22)_____ of the state

And being (23)_____ to run (24)_____ own life

Spend your own money

And make your own choices

And, above all

The (25)_____ of a country

Which is properly defended

Against any potential adversary"

As we take (26)_____ of our choices

The legacy of Britain's (27)_____ Lady

Remains a steadfast guide



Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. landslide
2. helm
3. come
4. refused
5. accept
6. believe
7. quite
8. much
9. have
10. never
11. Gentleman
12. conservative
13. vision
14. debates
15. about
16. spend
17. only
18. Ronald
19. when
20. acceptable
21. American
22. independence
23. able
24. your
25. peace
26. stock
27. Iron