



Fill in the gaps

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

Foundation _____ of 1979
In the wake of Britain's "Winter of Discontent"
Margaret Thatcher's Conservative Party
Won a landslide victory
The Iron Lady took the helm of a fading Britain
The sick man of Europe
As it had come to be known
But she refused to accept that decay
Was inevitable
And that the job of the British government
Was to (2) _____ decline
Britain, should believed, could do better
"Some socialists seem to believe
That people should be numbers in a state computer
We believe they (3) _____ be individuals
We're all unequal
No one, thank heavens, is quite like anyone else
However (4) _____ the socialists
May pretend otherwise
And we (5) _____ that everyone
Has the right to be unequal
But to us
Every human being is equally important"
And (6) _____ she had no (7) _____ of
critics
"The Prime Minister is aware that
I detest every single one of her domestic policies
And I (8) _____ never hidden that fact"
"I (9) _____ the Honorable Gentleman knows
That I have the same contempt
For his (10) _____ policies
As the the (11) _____ of (12) _____ Europe
Who have experienced them..."
She was secure in her faith
That her conservative vision was right
"One of the great debates of our time
Is about how (13) _____ of your money
Should be spent by the state
And how (14) _____ you should keep
To (15) _____ on your family

If the state (16) _____ to spend more
It can do so only by borrowing (17) _____ savings
Or by taxing you more
And it's no good thinking someone else (18) _____ pay
That someone else is you"
She (19) _____ what Ronald (20) _____ knew
That free markets and a free people
Are the best defense (21) _____ tyranny
And that (22) _____ comes through strength
Not accommodation
"Mr. Speaker
Wars are not caused
By the build-up of weapons
They are caused when an aggressor
Believes he can achieve his objectives
At an acceptable price"
America now stands at a crossroads
One path leads to deficits
Decreasing influence and decline
The other a renewed American dream
We all want
"Mr. Chairman
People (23) _____ to live in peace
Real (24) _____ peace
The peace that comes
From independence of the state
And being (25) _____ to run your own life
Spend your own money
And make your own choices
And, above all
The (26) _____ of a country
Which is properly defended
Against any (27) _____ adversary"
As we (28) _____ stock of our choices
The legacy of Britain's Iron Lady
Remains a steadfast guide



Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. spring
2. manage
3. should
4. much
5. believe
6. while
7. shortage
8. have
9. think
10. socialist
11. people
12. east
13. much
14. much
15. spend
16. wishes
17. your
18. will
19. knew
20. Reagan
21. against
22. peace
23. want
24. lasting
25. able
26. peace
27. potential
28. take