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### Colonial Regions--Immigration Destination

Life in England has gotten...dismal. Because of primogeniture laws, your older brother gets the family land, leaving you SOL. In the past you could get by working the land of a local landlord, but recently they have all started enclosing (fencing) their land for sheep raising and wool production. You tried heading to London for a stable factory job, but it looks like everyone else had the same idea, and now you're stuck in a crowded, dirty city with no job and no money. This country seems to be going to hell in a handbasket, and you're not really big on the Anglican Church, anyway. There's something fishy about a church that's also controlled by the King.

So here you find yourself in 17...something, deciding it's time to blow this joint and head out for America. There seems to be plenty of land and opportunity, and anything has got to be better than slumming it in London. The question is, what colony is right for you? Lucky for you, the printing press made its way over to the colonies, and you've got plenty of literature, maps and engravings about the Southern, Middle and New England colonies so you can choose the colony that's right for you!

#### Middle Colonies

| Social Characteristics | Political Characteristics | Economic Characteristics |
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#### Thoughts on living here?



I'd rather take my chances among the filthy masses in London

Sign me up and load me on a ship!

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#### Southern Colonies

| Social Characteristics | Political Characteristics | Economic Characteristics |
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#### New England Colonies

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**Ok, final decision-it's time to become a colonist. Where ya headed and why?**

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