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Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Sentence Expansion

He was president.

who? . . . . .

(of) what?. . . . .

when? . . . . .

**Expanded sentence** (*Start with the when.*)

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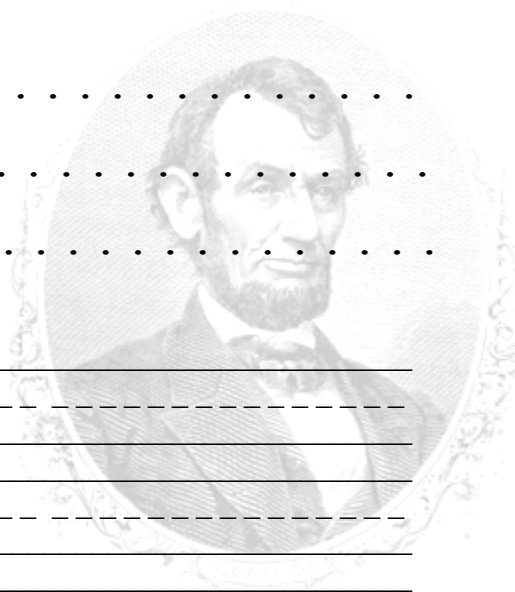
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It honors him.

what?. . . . .

who?. . . . .

**Expanded sentence**

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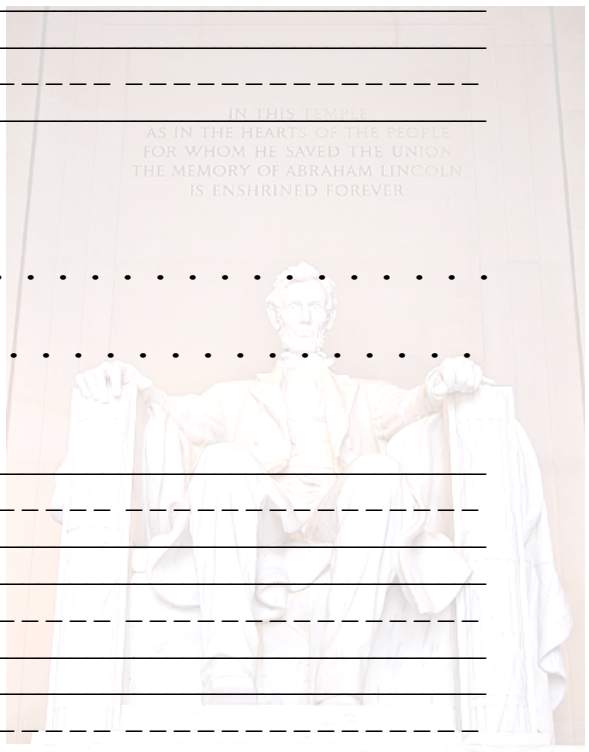
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He was the first.

who? . . . . .

(of) what? . . . . .

**Expanded sentence**

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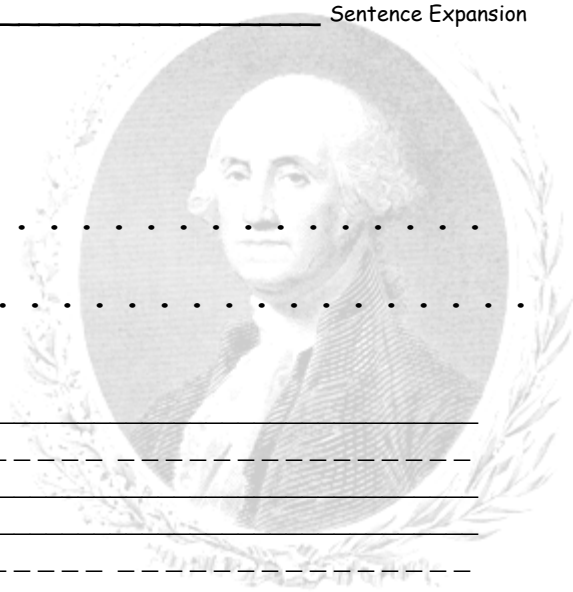
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He was President.

Who Abraham Lincoln

(of) what: the U.S.

When: during the Civil War

During the Civil War, Abraham Lincoln was president of the United States.

It honors him.

What: Lincoln Memorial

Who: Pres. Abraham Lincoln

The Lincoln Memorial honors President Abraham Lincoln.

He was the first.

Who: George Washington

What: pres. of our country

George Washington was the first president of our country.

He was president.

Who: George Washington

(of) what: the U.S.

When: during the Revolutionary War

During the Revolutionary War, George Washington was president of the United States.

## **FYI**

*When using AP style, would you capitalize a formal title that was used after a name? Such as:*

*Mr. Belo has served as chief deputy commissioner for 12 years.*

**Answer:** *No. Formal titles used after a name are lowercased in AP style (q.v. AP entry "titles"): "In general, confine capitalization to formal titles used directly before an individual's name."*

*This generates*

*President Bill Clinton*

*President Clinton*

*Bill Clinton, president of the United States*

*Clinton has served as president since 1993.*