

Introductory Sentence:

Lords

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had

learned

Conclusion Sentence:

Tree Maps

- *You can change the connecting words to fit your information.
- *Two boxes for each connecting word will make a great paragraph, but you can always add more!
- *Try to include adjectives in some of your boxes. Use sticky notes to add adjectives or new information you feel is important.

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In the Middle Ages, some people had more power and freedom than others.

Lords

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a privileged life

In a nice home

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servants

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to read and
write

how to be a
king or a queen

Conclusion Sentence:

Lords and ladies definitely lived an easier life in the Middle Ages.

In the Middle Ages, some people had more power and freedom than others. Lords or ladies lived a privileged life, usually in a nice home, like a castle or manor house. They had plenty of food to eat and servants to work their land. Lords learned to read and write and ladies may have learned to play a musical instrument. Lords and ladies definitely lived an easier life in the Middle Ages.

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Serfs

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estate but not in
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to ask permission
from their lord to
travel

Had to get
approval from
their lord to marry

learned

how to farm the
land

how to tend to
the animals

Conclusion Sentence:

Serfs played an important part in the history of the Middle Ages.

Most people in the Middle Ages were not privileged. Many were farm workers called serfs. Serfs lived a harder life than the lords. Most lived and worked on the lord's estate, *but not in the castle*. They needed permission from their lord to travel **outside of their town. Also**, they had to get approval from their lord to **even** get married! They learned how to farm the land and tend to the animals, **or livestock**. Serfs **may have had a hard life, but** they played an important part in the history of the Middle Ages.