LESSON 35

TEXAS ALMANAC TEACHERS GUIDE

Religion in Texas

- Religious Affiliation
- Members of Denominations

SOCIAL STUDIES TEKS

4 - 19, 21, 22

7 - 19, 21, 22, 23

8 - 25, 29, 30

STAAR

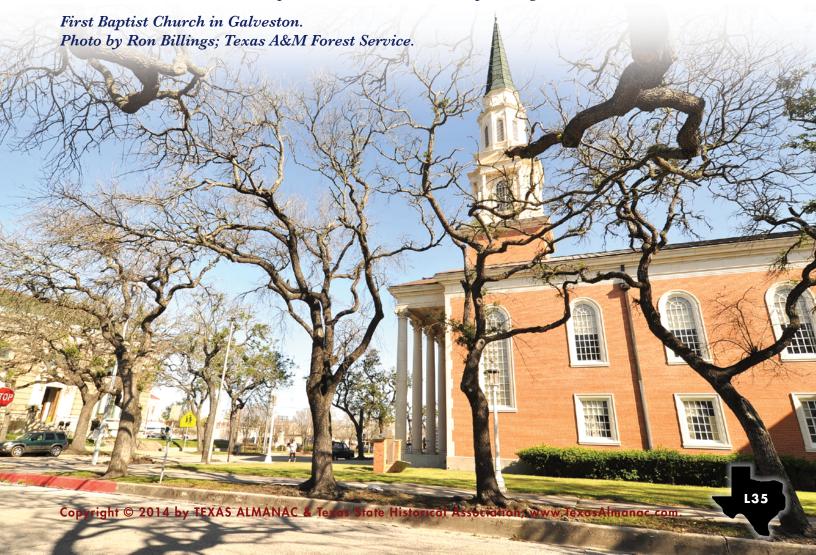
4, 7, 8 - Reading - 1, 2, 3

8 - Social Studies - 2

INSTRUCTIONAL SUGGESTIONS

- **1. CHURCH AFFILIATION CHANGE WORD PUZZLE:** Students will use the "Religious Affiliation Change" information (*Texas Almanac* 2014–2015) or the "Church Affiliation Change" information (*Texas Almanac* 2010–2011) in the Culture & Arts section to complete the **Church Affiliation Change Word Puzzle** on the **Student Activity Sheet.**
- **2. RELIGIOUS GROUPS IN TEXAS:** Using the "Number of Members by Denomination" table, students will complete the **Religious Groups in Texas chart** on the **Student Activity Sheet.** They will **construct a line graph** depicting the number of adherents in the religious groups on the chart for the latest year available in the Texas Almanac or on the website:

http://www.texasalmanac.com/topics/religion



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STUDENT ACTIVITY

Church Affiliation Change Word Puzzle

(For use with the Texas Almanac 2014-2015)

1 R	
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1. It is estimated that approximately 15 million Texans are members.	
2. Churches reported an increase of 2.2 million	.
3. Texas ranks third in the United States in total number of which is also the largest denomination in the Lone Star State.	
4. There are an estimated 60,645 Texans.	
5. Between 56 percent and 60.7 percent of Texans adhere to a	
6. The second-largest faith group in Texas is the	church.
7. Texas ranks fifth in the United States in the number of	•
8. The Quaker religion is known as the	

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Church Affiliation Change Word Puzzle

(For use with the Texas Almanac 2010-2011)

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It is estimated that approximately 13 million Texans are members.
Churches reported an increase of 1.5 million
Texas ranks third in the United States in the total number ofbehind California and New York.
There are an estimated 128,000 Texans.
Between 55.5 percent and 61.7 percent of Texans adhere to a
The largest faith group in Texas is the church.
Texas ranks sixth in the United States in the number of
The Ouaker religion is known as the

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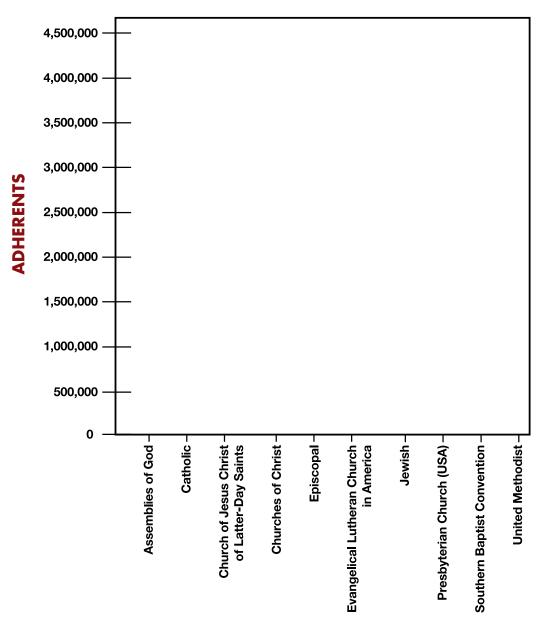
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Religious Groups in Texas



RELIGIOUS GROUPS IN TEXAS