

"Ideas" that created Philosophical Chaos in Antebellum America (4 contentious issues that divided the country)

1. States' Rights
2. Slavery
3. Individual Rights
4. Equality

	Declaration of Independence (1776)	U.S. Constitution (1789)	John Marshall (Federalist) Chief Justice of the Supreme Court (1801-1835)
States' Rights Many but two biggest in Antebellum America (Nullification) (Secession)			
Slavery Not as much should it exist but should it spread into territories			
Individual Rights			
Equality			

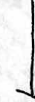
Who and to what extent do they apply

* U.S. History can be viewed as a conversation between the Declaration (Post 1789) and the Constitution

A Southern View?



A Northern View?



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