

Interesting Trivia

A Mystery History Lesson



Abraham Lincoln was elected to Congress in 1846.

John F. Kennedy was elected to Congress in 1946.

Abraham Lincoln was elected President in 1860.

John F. Kennedy was elected President in 1960.

Both were involved in the problem of civil rights.

Both wives lost a child while living in the White House.

Both Presidents were shot on a Friday.

Both Presidents were shot in the head

Both were succeeded by Southerners named Johnson.

Andrew Johnson, who succeeded Lincoln, was born in 1808.

Lyndon Johnson, who succeeded Kennedy, was born in 1908.



Both assassins were known by their three names.

Both names are composed of fifteen letters.

Lincoln was shot at the theater named 'Ford'.

Kennedy was shot in a car called ' Lincoln ' made by 'Ford'.

Lincoln was shot in a theater and his assassin ran and hid in a shed.

Kennedy was shot from a warehouse and his assassin ran and hid in a theater.

Both Booth and Oswald died before their trials.

I have corrected the errors from this Urban Legend.

For a nice look at the differences, check out Snopes:

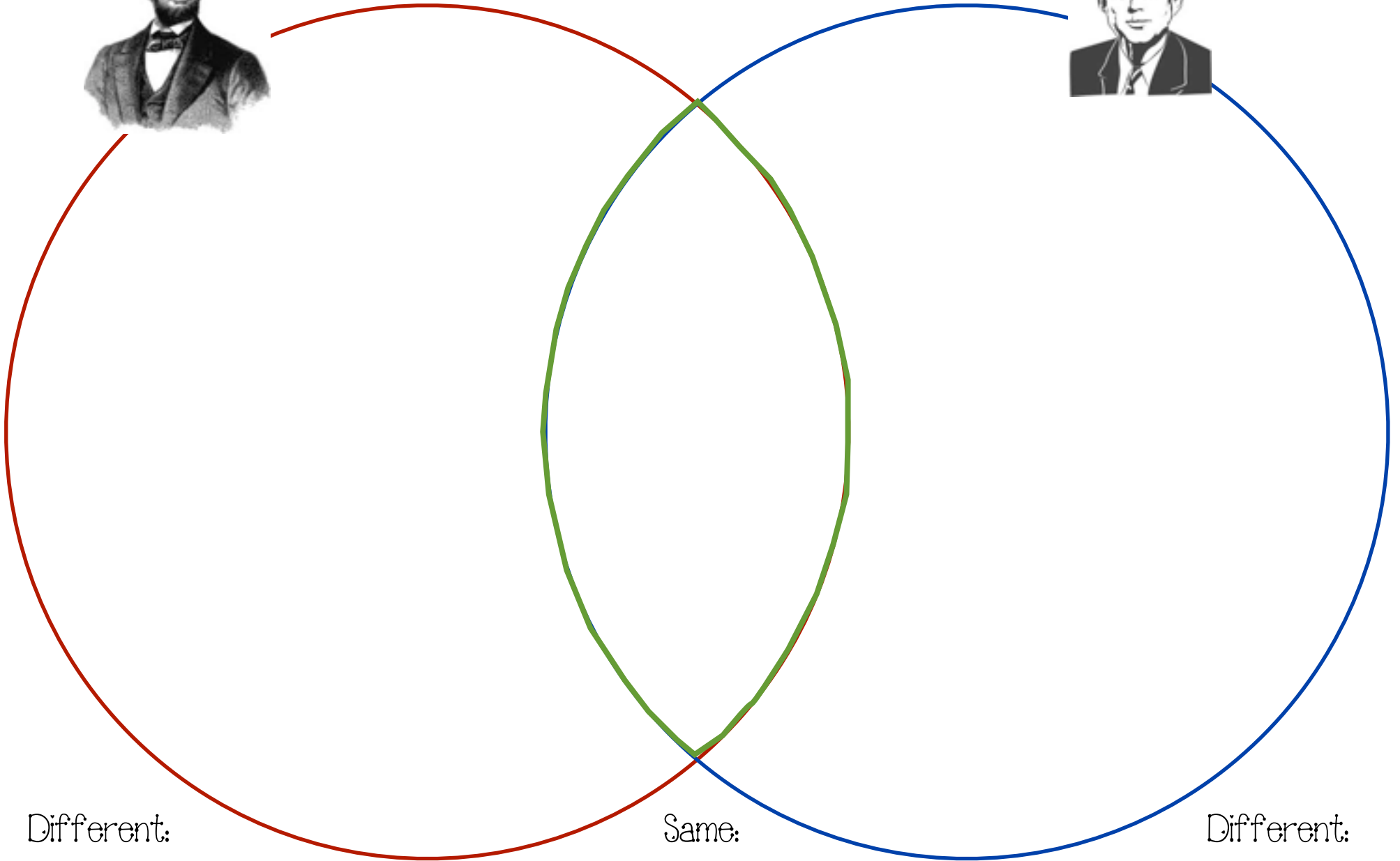
<http://www.snopes.com/history/american/lincoln-kennedy.asp>

Comparing and Contrasting 2 Presidents



Abraham Lincoln

John F. Kennedy



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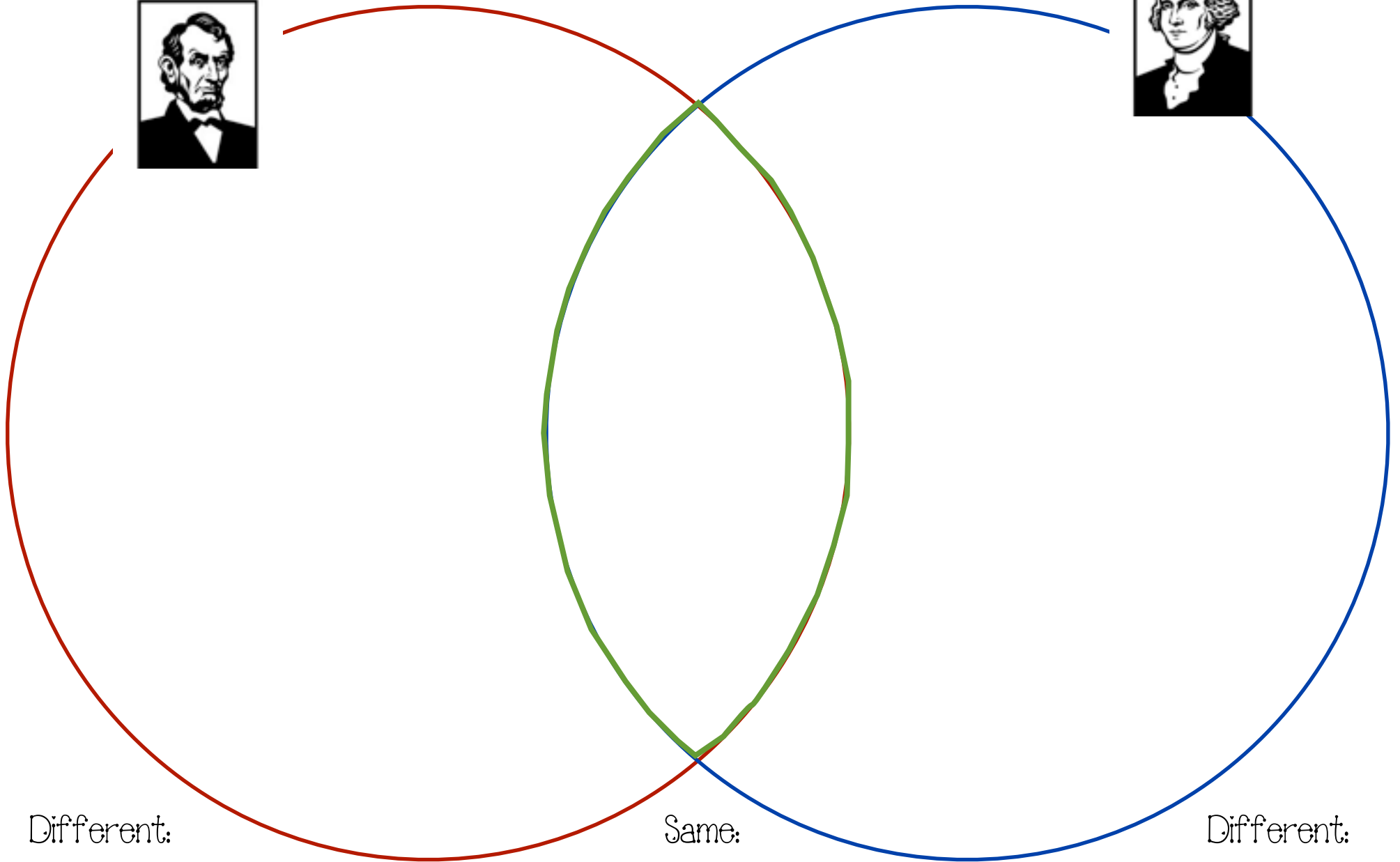
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Abraham Lincoln



George Washington



Different:

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