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AMERICAN BEGINNINGS part 1

Who Was Already Here?

NATIVE PEOPLE

Asian Ancestry

*Some welcomed newcomers
*Some did not

*Incans
*Mayans
*Tainos
*Hundreds of others

Who Came?

*Spain (1400 & 1500's)
*Holland (1500's)
*Sweden (1500's)
*France (1500's)
*Portugal (1500's)
*England (1600's)

Why Did They Come?

* More RAW MATERIALS
* Shorter Route to Asia

Where Did They Settle?

***Spain** - Western half of North America
***France** - Northern & Central North America
***Sweden, Holland, etc.** - East Coast
*(NOTE) Portugal settled only in South America, and England came later.