





Slide 7

 Louis XVIII of France 

- No more divine right of kings
- Charter (Constitution) granted in 1814
- Could not restore feudalism and serfdom
- Continuing religious toleration guaranteed

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Slide 8

 Buffer States 

- Designed to prevent France from again becoming a threat
- Holland and Sardinia enlarged and strengthened
- European nations guaranteed Switzerland's neutrality

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Slide 9

 Quadruple and Holy Alliances 

- Metternich desired to maintain the status quo and make the Vienna treaties permanent
- Quadruple Alliance of 1815
  - Austria, England, Prussia, and Russia
  - France joined in 1818
  - Pledged to put down democratic or nationalistic revolts
- Holy Alliance
  - Organized by Tsar Alexander I of Russia
  - Most European monarchs joined
  - Pledged to govern with charity, justice, and peace
    - But none of them did so

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Slide 10

 **Results of the Congress of Vienna** 

- Concert of Europe – group of leading nations which periodically met to discuss issues regarding stability
- Temporary suppression of democratic and nationalistic ideals
- International peace – no general war in Europe until World War I a hundred years later
  - Crimean War (1854-1856)
  - Austro-Prussian War (1866)
  - Franco-Prussian War (1870-1871)

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Slide 11

 **Review Questions** 

- What countries made up the “Big Four” at the Congress of Vienna?
- What were the principles of compensation and legitimacy?
- How did the Congress of Vienna redraw the map of Europe?
- What was the purpose of the Quadruple Alliance?
- What were the results of the Congress of Vienna?

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