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Accusations in Salem



The Salem witch trials took place in 1692 in _____.

During this time, many people were accused of practicing _____ . The accusations were often based on little or no evidence. Fear and _____ played a big role in the trials.

People were quick to blame their neighbors for strange _____ . The accused were mostly women, but some _____ were also targeted. Once someone was accused, it was hard to prove their _____ . The trials created a

sense of panic in the community. Friends and _____ turned against each other. The court relied heavily on spectral

_____ , which was the testimony of those who claimed to see _____ . Many of the accused were executed, often by hanging. The _____ of the Salem witch trials is a reminder of the dangers of mass hysteria and false _____ .

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