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<u>Presbyterianism in England</u>



Presbyterianism played a significa	ant role in the $__$	Movement in		
England. The Puritans sought to r	eform the Church of Englar	d. They believed that the		
re	tained too many Catholic pro	actices. Many Puritans favored a		
Presbyterian form of church		. This system emphasizes the		
leadership of elders rather than b	oishops. The idea was to crea	te a more democratic		
wi ⁻	thin the church. Puritanism	and Presbyterianism both aimed to		
purify the church from within.				
The movement gained	during t	he 16th century. Many English		
Puritans looked to the Scottish Pi	resbyterian model	had already		
embraced Presbyterianism by this	s time. The English Puritans	were inspired by the		
of	this model. They advocated	for similar reforms in England.		
However, they faced significant _		from the monarchy and the		
established church.				
King James I and Charles I both re	esisted Presbyterian	They saw		
these ideas as a threat to their au	•	·		
Do	uring the war, the Puritans a	ınd Presbyterians gained temporary		
TI	ney implemented some of th	eir desired changes. However, these		
reforms were largely reversed af	ter the	was restored.		
Despite the challenges, Presbyter	ianism left a lasting	. It influenced		
the religious landscape of England	d. The ideas of church gover	nance and		
co	ntinued to resonate. This pe	riod was crucial for the development		
of religious	and diversity in Er	ngland. The legacy of the Puritan		
Movement and	is still felt toda	y. Their quest for a reformed church		
remains an important part of Eng	Jlish	·		
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