Wealth Inequality in the Industrial Revolution



During the Industrial Revoluti	n in Britain, there was a significant shift in	
This	period saw the rise of factories, which brought about econom	ic
How	ver, not everyone benefited equally. The rich became richer,	
while the	often struggled to make ends meet. Many factory owner	S
accumulated vast	of money. They invested in machinery and	
expanded their	. On the other hand, factory workers faced long hou	ırs
and low wages	was also common, with many children working to	
support their	. Living conditions for the working class were often	
poor. Overcrowded housing an	of sanitation led to health problem	15.
The disparity in wealth create	a wide gap between social The	
wealthy lived in large, comfor	able homes, while the poor lived in cramped, unsanitary	
Des	ite the economic growth, the benefits were unevenly distribut	ted.
The Industrial	was a time of great progress, but it also highlighted	d
significant	. Efforts to address these issues led to various reforms.	,
Labor unions began to form, a	vocating for workers' These	
movements aimed to reduce t	e wealth gap and improve the quality of life for the working	
The	mpact of wealth disparity during this period is a crucial aspe	ct
of Britain's	. Understanding this helps to explain the social dynami	ics
of the 19th	·	
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