Responding to the Video

After viewing the videocassette segment "A Tribal Legacy," fill in the blanks in the following sentences, using the words from the list that follows. Not all of the words on the list will be used.

refined and sophisticated  Denmark and Germany  Roman Empire

great hall  William  charitable acts

Edward  bonfire  poets

women  ship  Ireland and Wales

Egypt and Greece  great deeds  Harold II

economic system  cemetery

1. ________________ was the last Anglo-Saxon king in England.

2. He claimed the throne upon the death of his brother-in-law, ________________.

3. The Anglo-Saxons had come from ________________ over 500 years before the Norman invasion.

4. The Anglo-Saxons had taken advantage of the collapse of the ________________ to plunder England before settling there.

5. The focus of Anglo-Saxon life was the ________________ where the whole community could gather for meetings and celebrations.

6. Anglo-Saxon ________________ held positions of status and importance.

7. Immortality was thought to be achieved by doing ________________ and being recognized for them.

8. Archaeological information shows the Saxons had a ________________ culture.

9. In 1939, an archaeologist discovered the remnants of a large ________________ at Sutton Hoo.

10. The discovery showed that the Saxons traded with countries as distant as ________________.