

100 Decisive Battles from Ancient times to the Present by Paul K Davis

Cajamarca 16 November 1532

I. Vocabulary: **1st:** Guess what the word means from context **2nd:** Look up each definition

Immense Facilitate Wrought Emissaries Surmise Protocol
Lackey Sly Heathen

II. Forces engaged – who fought and who were the leaders

III. Historical Setting

1. Who did Pizarro find a partnership with and what roles did Pizarro 2 of his partners undertake?
2. What was San Miguel and how was it similar to Vera Cruz?
3. How was the Inca a more forceful ruler than Moctezuma?
4. What happened in the Incan Empire after the death of Huayna Capac and how did this help the Spanish?

IV. The Battle

1. What mistake did Atahualpa make when dealing with the Spanish at the city of Cajamarca?
2. What may have reinforced the idea that the white people were emissaries of some divinity?
3. What delayed Atahualpa from entering into Cajamarca and why did he not get the best advice?
4. Why didn't Atahualpa and his soldiers carry weapons into Cajamarca?
5. Why didn't Atahualpa accept Fr. Valverde and his ideas on the bible and God?
6. What were the events at Cajamarca considered?

V. Results

1. What did Atahualpa offer to Pizarro for his freedom?
2. Why did Atahualpa order his brother Huascar to be killed and what happened to Atahualpa because of it?
3. What led to the argument between Pizarro and Almagro and what was the result?
4. What happened to the Incas after the Spanish took over which was similar to what happened in Mexico?