

Foundations in History and Literature

Assignment 4

- *study guide.* Complete Lesson 4 of your study guide and read the corresponding literature. This week you will be reading traditional ballads.
- *ballad.* Complete the first stanza of your ballad (if you have not done so already). We will be working on writing poetry in meter next week.
- *poetry memorization.* Memorize stanza 4 of “Light Shining out of Darkness” by William Cowper, printed in the appendix of your book.
- *quotation.* Memorize quotation #4 by Benjamin Franklin, found in the appendix of your textbook.
- *poetics.* Complete Poetry and Poetics 4 in your Grammar and Poetics textbook.
- *picture.* On the upper right is a picture of Robin Hood on a horse, dated 15th century.
- *Parthenon Project.* Last week you read about the Parthenon. Did you know that one of the reasons why the Parthenon has achieved such fame is that its parts form the “golden ratio.” Find out what the golden ratio is by completing the Parthenon project, which may be found on the online assignment page under “Materials Needed.”

