

The elements that made this an impactful time in history.

THE REFORMATION

COURAGE

Martin Luther was only 37 years old when he went before King Charles V and refused to recant his statements about the Catholic Church.



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DISCIPLINE

It took Martin Luther only 3 months to translate the New Testament from Greek to German.

COMMUNITY

Philipp Melanchthon, Luther's associate at the University of Wittenberg who taught him the Greek language, was less than five feet tall, prompting Luther to nickname him "the little Greek."





COMPANIONSHIP

Katharina von Bora, Luther's wife, was 16 years younger than Luther. She purchased land for growing crops to provide for the six children she had with Luther. Katharina also brewed her own beer.

FUTURE GENERATIONS

As a result of Luther's commitment to studying and teaching the Bible, he wrote his catechism, a comprehensive book for religious instruction to be used in the home for future generations.

