

Salem and *The Crucible* Notes

A. Government

1. Religion

a. Puritan and Protestant beliefs

b. People are inherently sinful

B. Events

1. Historical Truths

2. Confessions

C. History

1. Witchcraft in England and Colonial America

2. McCarthy, Modern America and Communism

D. Critical interpretations

1. The role of women

2. Repression in societies