



*I am climbing Mt.
Chimborazo. It will
take awhile.
I must rest.*

LOSE ONE TURN



*When I met Napoleon,
he said, "I ow have been
studying Botarics...
Just like my wife."
I think he was
slightly confused.*

TRAVEL BACK 1 SPACE



*I was the first to
warn the world
about the link
between deforestation,
environmental change,
and depopulation.
I am proud of this.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



*My dear friend
Albert Gallatin came
to France to represent
the United States in
France in 1816. We had
great times in Paris!*

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



*They insisted on
naming the Humboldt
current for me. This
was so unnecessary...
ever though I
discovered and
measured it*

LOSE ONE TURN



*Zebulon Pike copied
my map of New Spain
without my permission.
May he travel safely!*

TRAVEL BACK
2 SPACES



*I supplied detailed
memoranda on the
population, economy,
roads, mines, and
military strength of
New Spain to the
Americans.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



*Charles Darwin
described me as the
greatest scientific
traveler who ever lived.
What praise from a
respected colleague. I am
embarrassed...*

TRAVEL BACK
3 SPACES



*After visiting the
Americas, I wrote
thirty volumes about
my field studies. I am
proud of my detailed
observations and
description.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



*I shall endeavor to find
out how nature's forces
act upon each other and
how the environment
acts upon plants and
animals. I am in a
harmonious mood.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



I was born of Prussian descent, but many stories refer to me as German. I shall be forgiving...

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



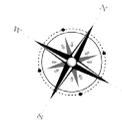
*That which we call the Atlantic Ocean is only a valley excavated by the force of the waters. Perhaps my quote is not so clear to you!
Too bad.*

TRAVEL BACK 1 SPACE



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TRAVEL BACK 1 SPACE
& LOSE A TURN



*I feel so strongly that nature is so much more than mere facts!
I see that you agree.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



When I was 60 years of age, I traveled through Asia, across Russia and Siberia to Mongolia. I wrote only a three volume collection about this expedition.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



"There are no nations in themselves nobler than others." I wrote this in my book Cosmos. I do must agree with my humane thoughts.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



I was quite perturbed at the slanderous statements against President Jefferson as I read a local newspaper. Is this politics in the United States?

TRAVEL BACK
2 SPACES



"The most powerful influence exercised by Arabs on natural physics was that directed to the advantages of chemistry." I so admire these people and their accomplishments.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



While in the Americas, I traveled in the Amazon jungles and the Andean Highlands. I discovered the connection between the Amazon and the Orinoco Rivers.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



I determined that altitude sickness was caused by a lack of oxygen. How miserable one is if this occurs.

TRAVEL BACK
3 SPACES



I traveled with my friend Aimé Boupland, a botanist, for five years (1799-1804) to South America, Mexico, Cuba, and the United States.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



I was one of the first to propose that the lands bordering the Atlantic were once joined. However, there are many skeptics of this theory.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



My Mother died on November 19, 1796. This was a sad time for me, but my inheritance allowed me to follow my dreams of travel and research.

TRAVEL FORWARD 2
SPACES & LOSE A TURN



My colleague, Aimé Boupland, and I were very lucky to document the life of several native tribes such as the Mairures while in South America.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACES



Aimé Boupland and I discovered and captured some electric eels in South America. They were fascinating creatures but injured us terribly with their electrical charges.

TRAVEL BACK 3 SPACES



We did not complete our climb of Mt. Chimborazo. But climbing to 19,286 ft. was a world's record. I was disappointed I did not reach the summit.

TRAVEL BACK
2 SPACES



While in Peru, I studied the fertilizing properties of bird guano. This could be an industry some day.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



I studied the climatic conditions of several countries and developed isothermal lines. Be sure you know what this is before you travel.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



I traveled to Cuba twice. I loved this land and predicted that the agricultural and commercial future of this island would be bright... with the proper leadership.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



I did vast surveys of flora and fauna wherever I traveled in the Americas.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



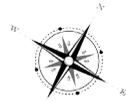
I was very lucky to have the greatest scientific instruments available. I strongly believe that care, precision, and accuracy are essential in research.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



After my return to Europe, I was short of funds so I took an appointment from the King of Prussia. Salute my good fortune!

TAKE AN EXTRA
TURN



My publication, Kosmos, was translated from German into English by several translators. Some did not do my work justice!

TRAVEL BACK
3 SPACES



I enjoyed the social life of Washington, D.C. while I was there in 1804. I found President Jefferson to be totally engaging and interested in my travels in New Spain.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



I have made a friend for life in Thomas Jefferson. We discussed many subjects and I find him an exceptionally learned man.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



Captain Lewis undertook this admirable journey with the support of Mr. Jefferson, who had won the gratitude of scholars everywhere for his service to science.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



I knew through correspondence with Thomas Jefferson in 1813 that he was still anxiously awaiting the report from Clark about the expedition. He is very frustrated.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



I found the practice of slavery in the United States to be an insult to the ideals upon which that country was created.

TRAVEL BACK
3 SPACES



My writings were well received throughout the world. I am delighted that my observations were impressive to many. It validates the results of my intellectual curiosity.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



It is time for you to travel to a new location. Move to the closest painting of me on the board. I am truly sorry if that means you must move backward.



Secretary of the Treasury Albert Gallatin said that I speak German, French, Spanish, and English... all at the same time. I think I have overwhelmed him!

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



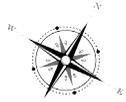
I could not resist the moral obligation to see the United States and enjoy the consoling aspects of a people who understand the precious gift of Liberty!

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



The people of Philadelphia are charming and hospitable, but I cannot wait to visit Washington, D.C.

TRAVEL FORWARD 1
SPACE & TAKE AN
EXTRA TURN



At last! I have convinced King Carlos of Spain to allow me to travel through his lands in the Americas. What an adventure awaits!

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



My American hosts were surprised when I told them that I have been traveling since I was 11 years old and have never lived anywhere for more than six months. I must rest.

LOSE A TURN



Upon my return to France, I learned that everyone thought I was dead. What a shock... for all of us. I am most definitely alive.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



I suffered with smallpox in my youth. Although I am marked with the pox, I am now immune. Very useful for a traveler in the tropics. I assure you.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE



The U.S. Consul in Cuba, Mr. Gray, has convinced me to visit the United States and has kindly given me a letter of introduction to Mr. Jefferson. I cannot wait to begin.

TRAVEL FORWARD 1
SPACE



Lewis and Clark have left for the West just days before my arrival. How I wish I could turn back time and meet them.

TRAVEL BACK
2 SPACES



My dear friend Washington Irving has helped me solve a mystery. I now know why the continent was called "America" instead of "Columbus." Do you? Travel to my nearest portrait and ponder the question.



*When I was 16, I saw
a recreation of Dr.
Franklin's electrical
experiments. How
inspirational!*

TRAVEL FORWARD
5 SPACES



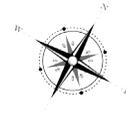
*The artist Frederic
Church traveled to
South America so that
he could paint the sites
I visited. His work is
breath taking!*

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



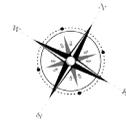
*I am the first (1803) to
suggest the construction
of a canal across
Central America to
join the Atlantic
and the
Pacific Oceans.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



*On my journey from
Cuba to the United
States, I traveled
through a hurricane.
How bracing!*

TRAVEL FORWARD
5 SPACES



*A Philadelphia
newspaper reported the
arrival of "molasses,
sugar, logwood and
Baron de Humboldt
and his party"*

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



*Philadelphians are
desperately afraid of
yellow fever. I am
quarantined.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACE, BUT
LOSE A TURN



*In my letter, I
mentioned to Mr.
Jefferson that I would
like to discuss some
mammoth teeth that I
found near the Equator.
He is interested.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



*The American
Philosophical Society
has elected me a full
member. How I wish
I could have met its
founder,
Dr. Franklin.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



*Thomas Jefferson was
my dear friend. I
may still see my
portrait at
Monticello today.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
5 SPACES



*My name is scattered
on the map from
China to Venezuela
to Greenland. But the
most place names occur
in the United States.
Move to the closest
portrait of me.*



My scientific methods ensure that American explorers will bring back much data on their future voyages of exploration.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



I have met one of my heroes, American surveyor Andrew Ellicott, in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. It was worth the trip.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



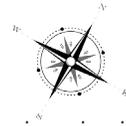
Dr. Benjamin Rush and I discussed the causes of yellow fever and malaria late into the night. I think he may be on to something.

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



I have met a fine young American scholar named George Bancroft (1821). I believe he has the makings of a fine historian.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



How intriguing. Mr. Samuel Morse and I have been developing a transatlantic cable. If it works, instant communication between the continents will be possible.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



In 1836, I persuaded the British, the Americans, and the Russians to set up permanent scientific monitoring stations.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



I am writing "Cosmos" so that all intelligent readers will be as excited about science as I am.

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



Ralph Waldo Emerson called this "The Age of Humboldt." I don't know if I agree, but I am flattered.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



Frederic Church sent his painting, "The Heart of the Andes" to Berlin for me to view. Sadly, I died before it arrived.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



The Great Liberator, Simon Bolivar, said that I had done more for the Americas than all its conquerors and that I was the true discoverer of America. Move to my nearest portrait.



I have made a new friend at University. He has actually traveled with Captain James Cook. How I long to travel.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



As a child I loved to collect plants, shells, and insects. People called me "the little apothecary."

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



I wish to be an explorer, but first I must study languages, commerce, anatomy, astronomy, and the use of scientific instruments. This will take time.

TRAVEL FORWARD
1 SPACES



My journey around the world has been postponed. Perhaps I can travel to Egypt to join Napoleon. Alas, there are no ships.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES, BUT
LOSE 1 TURN



*June 9, 1799-
A day of great happiness. I set sail aboard the "Pizarro" from Spain to the Americas. Godspeed!*

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



*July 16, 1799.
I land in Venezuela and am eager to begin my travels.*

TRAVEL FORWARD
4 SPACES



I have traveled the World, but I believe that Paris is my true home. Alas, my obligations require my residence in Berlin.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



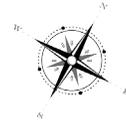
An American author, Mr. Edgar Allan Poe has written a prose poem, "Eureka," and dedicated it to me. He is inspired by my scientific ideas.

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES



President Benito Juarez of Mexico has made me an honorary citizen. Sadly, I will never see Mexico again.

TRAVEL FORWARD
2 SPACES



I have a species of porcupine, squid, hog nosed skunk, and dolphin named after me. This is a great honor. . . well, perhaps not the hog nosed skunk!

TRAVEL FORWARD
3 SPACES