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The Real Legacy of Margaret Thatcher, Britain's Iron Lady by The Heritage Foundation

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In the wake of Britain's "Winter of Discontent"
Margaret Thatcher's Conservative Party
Won a (1)_____ victory
The Iron Lady took the helm of a fading Britain
The sick man of Europe
As it had come to be known
But she refused to (2)_____ that decay
Was inevitable
And that the job of the British government
Was to (3)_____ decline
Britain, should believed, could do better
"Some socialists seem to believe
That people should be numbers in a state computer
We (4)_____ they should be individuals
We're all unequal
No one, thank heavens, is quite like anyone else
However much the socialists
May (5)_____ otherwise
And we believe (6)_____ everyone
Has the (7)_____ to be unequal
But to us
Every human (8)_____ is equally important"
And (9)_____ she had no shortage of critics
"The (10)_____ Minister is (11)_____ that
I detest every single one of her domestic policies
And I have never hidden that fact"
"I think the Honorable Gentleman knows
That I (12)_____ the same contempt
For his socialist policies
As the the people of (13)_____ Europe
Who have experienced them..."
She was secure in her faith
That her conservative (14)_____ was right
"One of the great debates of our time
Is (15)_____ how much of your money
Should be (16)_____ by the state
And how much you (17)_____ keep
To (18)_____ on your family

If the state wishes to spend more
It can do so (19)_____ by (20)_____ your savings
Or by taxing you more
And it's no good thinking someone else will pay
That someone (21)_____ is you"
She knew what Ronald Reagan knew
That (22)_____ markets and a free people
Are the (23)_____ defense against tyranny
And that (24)_____ comes through strength
Not accommodation
"Mr. Speaker
Wars are not caused
By the build-up of weapons
They are caused when an aggressor
Believes he can (25)_____ his objectives
At an acceptable price"
America now stands at a crossroads
One path leads to deficits
Decreasing influence and decline
The other a renewed American dream
We all want
"Mr. Chairman
People want to live in peace
Real lasting peace
The peace that comes
From independence of the state
And being able to run your own life
Spend your own money
And make your own choices
And, above all
The peace of a country
Which is properly defended
Against any potential adversary"
As we take stock of our choices
The legacy of Britain's Iron Lady
Remains a (26)_____ guide



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Answer

1. landslide
2. accept
3. manage
4. believe
5. pretend
6. that
7. right
8. being
9. while
10. Prime
11. aware
12. have
13. east
14. vision
15. about
16. spent
17. should
18. spend
19. only
20. borrowing
21. else
22. free
23. best
24. peace
25. achieve
26. steadfast