**American History Spark**  
Copy the title and the following prompt to your notes and answer/respond in 3-5 sentences.

**Sp9: “Fire and Brimstone”**

A religious revival called the “Great Awakening” swept across the colonies in the 1730s and 1740s. With their, “hellfire and brimstone” sermons, preachers ignited scores of followers, some of whom tried to convert the natives and slaves. A great divide took place between the traditional members of the church and these new radicals. How do you think the traditionalists viewed this revival?