THESIS STATEMENT: Was the War of 1812 Necessary?

Paragraph One (Opening Paragraph)

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| Background:  Thesis Statement:  Three Reasons:  Closing: |

Paragraph Two (First Reason)

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| Modified Thesis Statement:  Reason:  Evidence from Document:  Argument/Example:  Closing |

Paragraph Three (Second Reason)

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| Modified Thesis Statement:  Reason:  Evidence from Document:  Argument/Example:  Closing |

Paragraph Four (Third Reason)

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| Modified Thesis Statement:  Reason:  Evidence from Document:  Argument/Example:  Closing |

Paragraph Five (Closing)

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| Modified Thesis Statement:  Restatement of all (3) Reasons and the Evidence:  Final Argument:  Closing |