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Focus on the often unrecognized people and groups, including African-Americans, American Indians, French, Spanish, Germans and others, who provided military, patriotic and public service in support of the American Revolution. Describe a particular person or group and how they supported the cause for American independence. Explain why it is especially important to honor the unsung heroes and often forgotten Patriots.

**Title of Essay**

*“Forgotten Patriots Who Supported the American Struggle for Independence*”

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