



## 1. Complete the missing words:

Legitimate	Capitol	Since	Stolen	Chaos
Impeachment	2021	Been	Express	House
Killed	Most	World	Leaders	Corruption
President	Racism	Democratic	Power	Election
Victor	Pandemic	Winner	People	November
Votes (2)	Court	Evidence	Organised	
Twitter	Outside	Violent	Accused	Crowd
Results	Before	Violence	2016	Officers

During his four years as the 45th \_\_\_\_\_1 of the United States of America, Donald Trump has been one of the \_\_\_\_\_2 controversial figures in world politics. Ever \_\_\_\_\_3 being elected in \_\_\_\_\_4, he has been accused repeatedly of \_\_\_\_\_5, \_\_\_\_\_6, xenophobia, and misogyny.

On \_\_\_\_\_7 the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020, he went head-to-head with \_\_\_\_\_8 candidate Joe Biden in the 59<sup>th</sup> US Presidential election. The election broke many records, including the number of \_\_\_\_\_9 cast, and the time taken to announce a winner, due to the Coronavirus \_\_\_\_\_10. On November the 7<sup>th</sup>, four days after the votes had \_\_\_\_\_11 cast, Joe Biden was officially declared the \_\_\_\_\_12 of the election, having won 81.2 million (49.4%) of the votes.

However, \_\_\_\_\_13 and during the election, Donald Trump \_\_\_\_\_14 Joe Biden's campaign of committing mass voter fraud. On the day of the election, Trump tried to stop the \_\_\_\_\_15 from being counted, claiming on \_\_\_\_\_16 that the election was being stolen. After Biden was announced the \_\_\_\_\_17, his campaign went to \_\_\_\_\_18 in Michigan, Pennsylvania, Nevada, and Georgia to challenge the \_\_\_\_\_19 of the elections. However, all of these legal challenges failed, and so Joe Biden was certified the \_\_\_\_\_20 winner of the election.

But despite no \_\_\_\_\_21 of voter fraud, many of Trump's supporters still believed that the \_\_\_\_\_22 had in fact been stolen. So, on January 7<sup>th</sup>, \_\_\_\_\_23, thousands of his followers \_\_\_\_\_24 a protest outside the US \_\_\_\_\_25 to overturn the result. The protest quickly turned \_\_\_\_\_26 as rioters broke into the Capitol and began looting, vandalizing, and attacking police \_\_\_\_\_27 and media reporters \_\_\_\_\_28 the building. Five \_\_\_\_\_29, including a police officer, were \_\_\_\_\_30 during the insurrection.

Many \_\_\_\_\_31 around the \_\_\_\_\_32 were quick to condemn the insurrection. But not Donald Trump. Rather than condemn the rioters, he took to Twitter to \_\_\_\_\_33 his support, repeating his false claims that the election had been illegally \_\_\_\_\_34 from him, and instructing the people at the Capitol to 'fight like hell'.

These actions have provided the basis for his second \_\_\_\_\_35 trial since becoming president, this time for abusing his \_\_\_\_\_36 and inciting political \_\_\_\_\_37.

But in the end, despite all this \_\_\_\_\_38, Trump has left the White \_\_\_\_\_39 for the final time. On Wednesday the 20<sup>th</sup>, Joe Biden and Kamala Harris were inaugurated as the President and Vice-President of the United States. The event occurred without a \_\_\_\_\_40, and without Donald Trump in attendance.



**2. Answer the questions:**

- What was Donald Trump accused of during his presidency?
- Why did Donald Trump claim that the election was a fraud?
- Where did he post his disagreement?
- What happened in the Capitol on the 7<sup>th</sup> January 2021?

**3. Find words and expressions meaning the same as:**

- Charge of misconduct \_\_\_\_\_
- Dishonest business \_\_\_\_\_
- Make a choice \_\_\_\_\_
- Voting procedure \_\_\_\_\_
- Winner \_\_\_\_\_
- Racial discrimination \_\_\_\_\_
- Perverting influence \_\_\_\_\_
- Audience \_\_\_\_\_

