

	What were their goals?	What were their methods?	What were they able to accomplish?
Louis XIV	<p>-Make himself look richer and more powerful than anyone else</p> <p>-Make France the most powerful nation in Europe</p>	<p>-Spend huge amounts of \$ on his palace</p> <p>-Launch wars to make France more powerful</p>	<p>-Yes</p> <p>-Problem = his drive to gain power and prove greatness drove France into crushing debt.</p>
Peter the Great	<p>-"Westernize" Russia. (Make it more modern - like France or England)</p> <p>-Build sea port</p>	<p>-Force</p> <p>-He had a goal, and he did not let anyone argue with it. Nobles had to change life styles.</p>	<p>-Built sea port of St. Petersburg</p> <p>-Introduced new schools & increased technology in Russia</p>

Absolutism Comparison Chart