Essay One, The American Crisis (1776)

1. **Vocabulary:** Use context clues to determine the meaning or significance of each of these words and write their definitions:
   
   a. tyranny
   
   b. conquered
   
   c. consolation
   
   d. esteem
   
   e. dearness
   
   f. celestial
   
   g. impious
   
   h. Providence
   
   i. solace
   
   j. cunning

2. **Context:** Answer the following questions.
   
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   b. When was this document written?
   
   c. Who was the audience of this document?
   
   d. Why was this document written?