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Meaning of democracy

Democracy is a political system in which all the members of the society have an equal share of formal political power.

- **The word democracy has been derived from the two Greek word is 'Demos' means - people and Karatos means -- rule or government.**
- **Democracy means either direct or indirect rule by the people.**
- **Evolution of democracy such as Ancient Rome, Europe and North and South America.**
- **During spirit of nationalism British parliament passed some lows like :**
 - Bill of human rights -- 1689**
 - Habeas Corpus act -- 1679**
 - Munity act – 1689**

**NOTE America ---- first nation to have a
written constitution.**
