



Prague Spring
1968



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Introduction to the short lived socio-political phenomenon known as the Prague Spring. Intended primarily to provide background information and to set the scene for a study of Milan Kundera's book *The Unbearable Lightness of Being*, the presentation would also be valuable within the context of a 20th Century History course. Surveys the rise of communism, the spread of Soviet influence, European resistance and the particular case of Czechoslovakia. Video and audio excerpts provide graphic evidence of the events of 1968, reactions and consequences.