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1. Definition of Human Rights – Theories on Human Rights – Historical Development of Human Rights – Concept of Human Rights in Ancient Europe and Asia – National Rights ancient medieval and modern periods – Historic Experience – Magna Carta, French Revolution and Anti Slavery Movement.
2. The emergence of Human Rights in the modern world – Human Rights and the U.N.O. Universal Declaration of Human Rights – International covenants of Civil, Political, Economics, Social and Cultural rights – U.N. Human Rights Commission.
3. European Convention on Human Rights – Mexico Declaration on Human Rights – Helsinki Charter, Role of N.G.O's in the protection of Human Rights.
4. India and Human Rights : Evolution of Human Rights in India through the Ages – Evolution of Fundamental Rights during Freedom Struggle – Gandhian thoughts on Human Rights – Nature of Fundamentals Rights – Directive Principles of State Policy – National Human Rights Commissions and its recommendations.
5. Contemporary Human Rights Issues : Civil Rights – Women's Rights – Children's Rights – Bonded Labour – Refugees – Capital punishment – Environment and Human Rights violation – Human Rights violations and remedies.