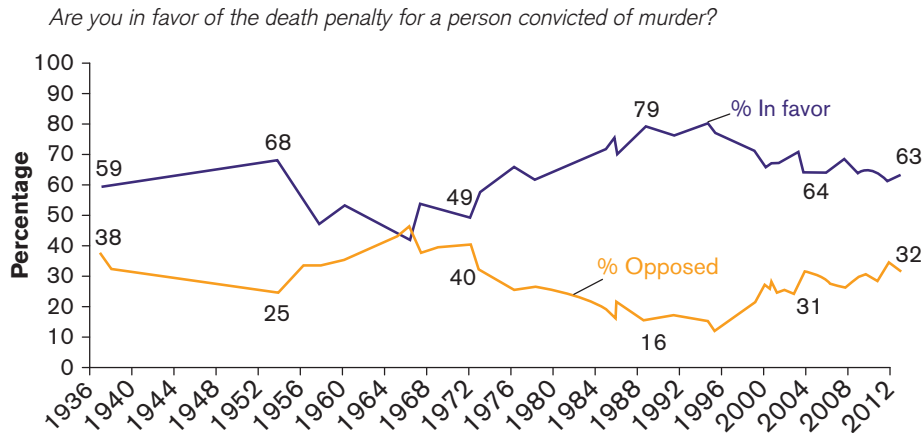


Figure 9.6 ■ Death Penalty and Public Opinion



What may have happened in society to cause the change in public support for the death penalty in the late 1960s? Since about the mid-1990s, public support for the death penalty has decreased. Why do you think that is?