

Underground Railroad Study Sheet

1. Canada The country where Harriet Tubman led many escaped slaves for complete safety.
2. William Still An abolitionist who helped document the stories of escaped slaves, including those assisted by Harriet Tubman.
3. John Brown An abolitionist who planned a raid on Harpers Ferry and considered Harriet Tubman a valuable ally.
4. abolitionist A person who worked to end slavery in the United States, including Harriet Tubman.
5. suffragist A role Harriet Tubman took on later in life, advocating for women's right to vote.
6. Araminta Ross Harriet Tubman's birth name before she changed it after gaining freedom.
7. Combahee River Raid A military operation led by Harriet Tubman that freed over 700 enslaved people.
8. Fugitive Slave Act A law that made it dangerous for escaped slaves and those who helped them, increasing the need for secrecy in the Underground Railroad.
9. Thomas Garrett A Quaker abolitionist who assisted Harriet Tubman by providing resources for escaping slaves.
10. Underground Railroad A secret network of safe houses and routes used to help enslaved people escape to freedom.
11. Maryland The state where Harriet Tubman was born into slavery around 1822.
12. freedom What Harriet Tubman risked her life to gain and to help others achieve.
13. bounty A reward placed on Harriet Tubman's capture due to her successful Underground Railroad efforts.
14. plantation The type of place where Harriet Tubman was born and forced to work as an enslaved person.
15. Safe House A secret location where escaping slaves could rest and hide during their journey.
16. Harriet Tubman An escaped slave who became a conductor on the Underground Railroad, leading hundreds to freedom.
17. Moses The nickname given to Harriet Tubman because she led so many enslaved people to freedom.
18. Civil War The war during which Harriet Tubman served as a spy, nurse, and scout for the Union Army.
19. Quakers A religious group known for helping enslaved people escape through the Underground Railroad.
20. Auburn The city in New York where Harriet Tubman settled after the Civil War.
21. Union Army The side Harriet Tubman worked with during the Civil War to fight against slavery.
22. North Star A celestial guide that many escaped slaves, including Harriet Tubman, used to navigate their way to freedom.
23. conductor A person who guided escaped slaves along the Underground Railroad, like Harriet Tubman.