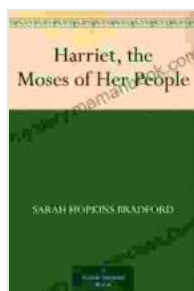


Harriet Tubman: The Moses of Her People

Harriet Tubman was an African-American abolitionist who risked her life to help hundreds of slaves escape to freedom on the Underground Railroad. She was born into slavery in Maryland in 1822, and she escaped to freedom in 1849. After her escape, she returned to the South 19 times to help others escape.



Harriet, the Moses of Her People

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Tubman was a courageous and determined woman. She was known for her quick wit and her ability to outsmart slave catchers. She also had a strong faith in God, and she believed that she was called to help her people.

Tubman's work on the Underground Railroad was dangerous and illegal. She was often pursued by slave catchers, and she had to be careful to avoid capture. But she never gave up on her mission to help others escape.

Tubman's efforts helped to change the course of American history. She helped to raise awareness of the horrors of slavery, and she inspired others to fight for freedom. She is a true American hero.

Early Life and Enslavement

Harriet Tubman was born Araminta Ross in Dorchester County, Maryland, in 1822. Her parents were slaves, and she was one of nine children.

Tubman's childhood was filled with hardship and abuse. She was beaten and whipped by her masters, and she was forced to work long hours in the fields.

In 1844, Tubman married a free black man named John Tubman. They had five children together. But Tubman's happiness was short-lived. In 1849, her master died, and she was sold to another slave owner. Tubman knew that she had to escape, or she would be separated from her family and sold away to another plantation.

Escape to Freedom

In 1849, Tubman escaped to freedom with the help of the Underground Railroad. The Underground Railroad was a network of secret routes and safe houses that helped slaves escape to freedom in the North. Tubman traveled more than 100 miles on foot to reach Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where she was finally safe.

After her escape, Tubman worked as a conductor on the Underground Railroad. She helped hundreds of slaves escape to freedom, and she became known as the "Moses of her people."

The Underground Railroad

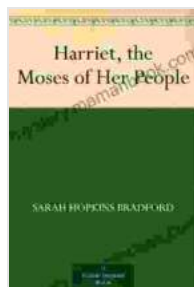
The Underground Railroad was a network of secret routes and safe houses that helped slaves escape to freedom in the North. The Underground Railroad was not a single organization, but rather a loose network of individuals and groups who were committed to helping slaves escape.

The Underground Railroad was a dangerous and illegal operation. Slave catchers were constantly on the lookout for runaway slaves, and they often offered rewards for their capture. But the Underground Railroad was also a successful operation. It is estimated that more than 100,000 slaves escaped to freedom on the Underground Railroad.

Tubman's Legacy

Harriet Tubman is a true American hero. She risked her life to help others escape from slavery, and she helped to change the course of American history. Tubman is an inspiration to us all, and her legacy continues to inspire people today.

Tubman's story is a reminder of the horrors of slavery and the importance of fighting for freedom. She is a symbol of hope and determination, and her legacy will continue to inspire people for generations to come.



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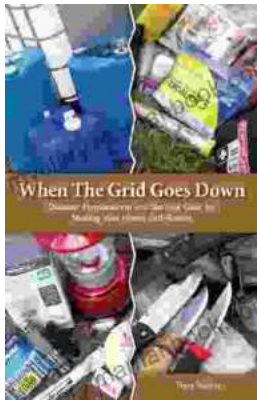
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