

Harriet Tubman

1820/1821- 1913



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Date**



Introduction

Famous Quotation:

"I was the conductor of the Underground Railroad for eight years...and I can say I never lost a passenger."

Best known for: leading the underground railroad, and she was a spy for the union army and she led 150 army men on a raid to steal tools from the other army.

What I find interesting: her father taught her how to follow the North Star. Harriet risked her life to save 300 people on the Underground Railroad.

3 Key Qualities:

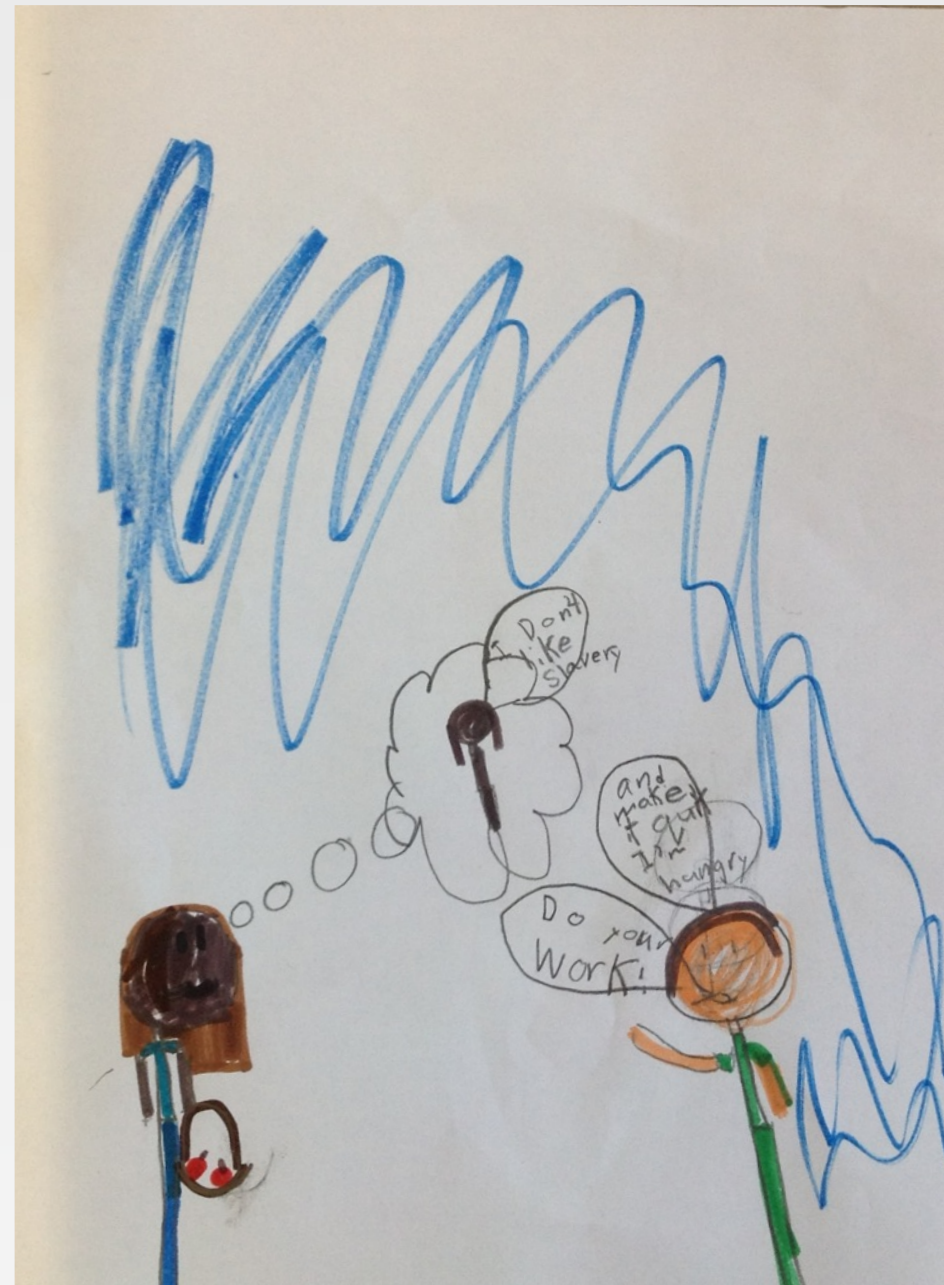
1. Brave
2. Smart
3. Tough
4. Loving

I chose this person because... She was so nice to people and loving but tough and strong.

Overcame a Hardship/Challenge

In 1821 Harriet was born in slavery she still kept a smile on her face.

Harriet probably did not like slavery but there was nothing she could do about it.



Showed Compassion and Empathy

Harriet Tubman helped establish a home in Auburn for the sick and poor. It was called Tubman Home and was built in 1896.

Harriet reminds me of Mother Hale who my mom and I read about because in New York she helped lots of babies. Harriet helped a lot of people too.



Demonstrated Bravery/Took Action

When Harriet got free she missed her family so in 1850 she went to save her family and lead them on the Underground Railroad.

She felt freedom and wanted other people to feel it too. She reminds me of Sojourner Truth.



Persevered

When Harriet was five years old she took a bite out of an apple and a man turned around and whipped her at least 50 times. When the man hit her she thought I will grow my own apple trees and have all the apples I want. She got an apple orchard in 1869 in Albany, New York.

One time I wanted to get Giants tickets but it was too expensive so I worked to save money and I did and got the tickets.



Impact: How Things are Different Today

When Harriet was only 29 years old she set off to the north to get free. She became a leader on the Underground Railroad. Now today in the United States slavery doesn't exist.

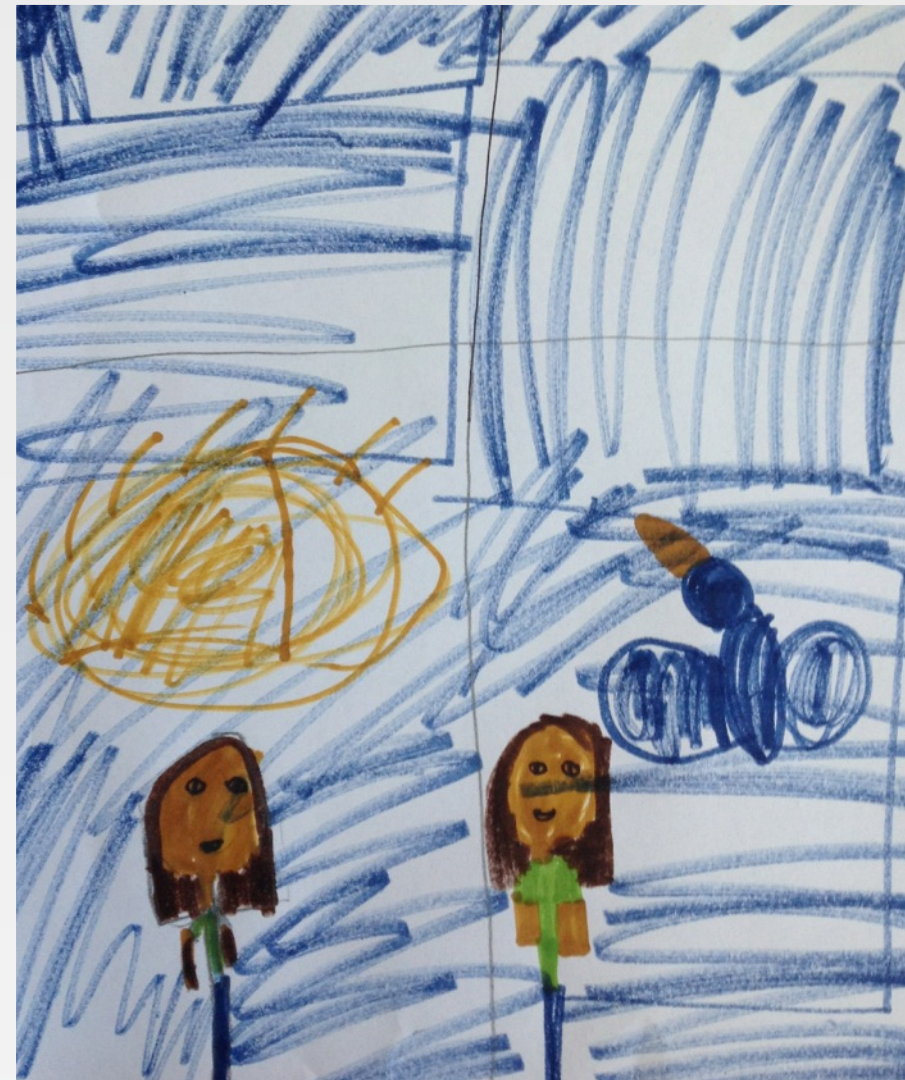
This reminds me of Sojourner Truth because she led people on the Underground Railroad too; she also helped people to get free.



Communicated and Shared

Harriet would sometimes disguise herself as a weak old woman or a strong man. Runaway slaves would recognize Harriet's deep husky voice. She sewed quilts and singing songs with hidden messages.

She took a big risk to sing the songs and sew the quilts. The slave owners could not figure out how to read them.



Author Talk

I'm similar to my Change Maker because... I gave 5 dollars to a poor woman.

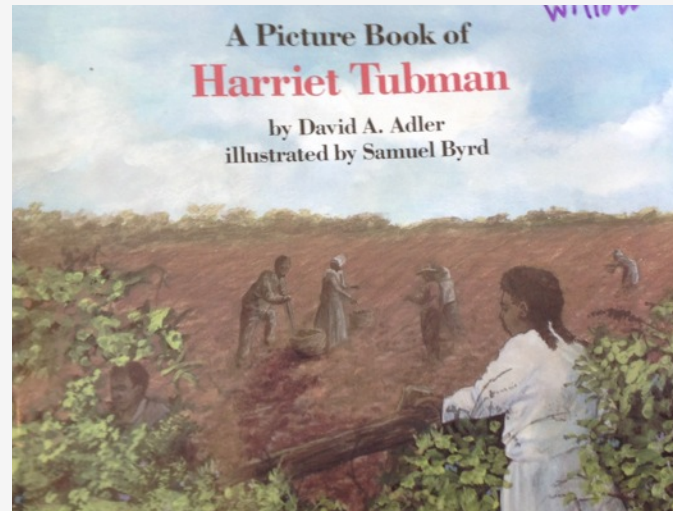
I'm a Change Maker when I...help the community clean up.

My Change Maker is connected to... Ruby Bridges because she was brave.

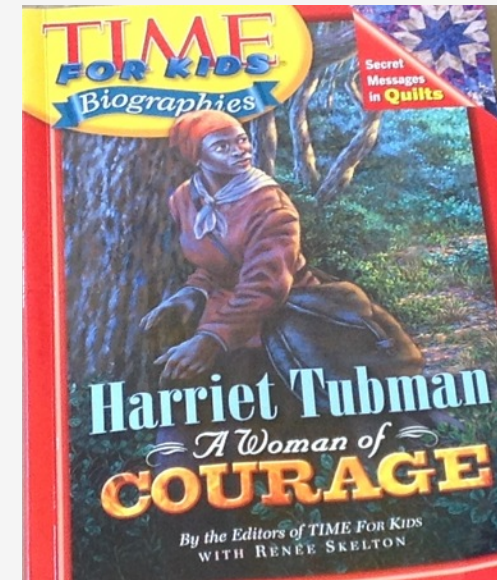


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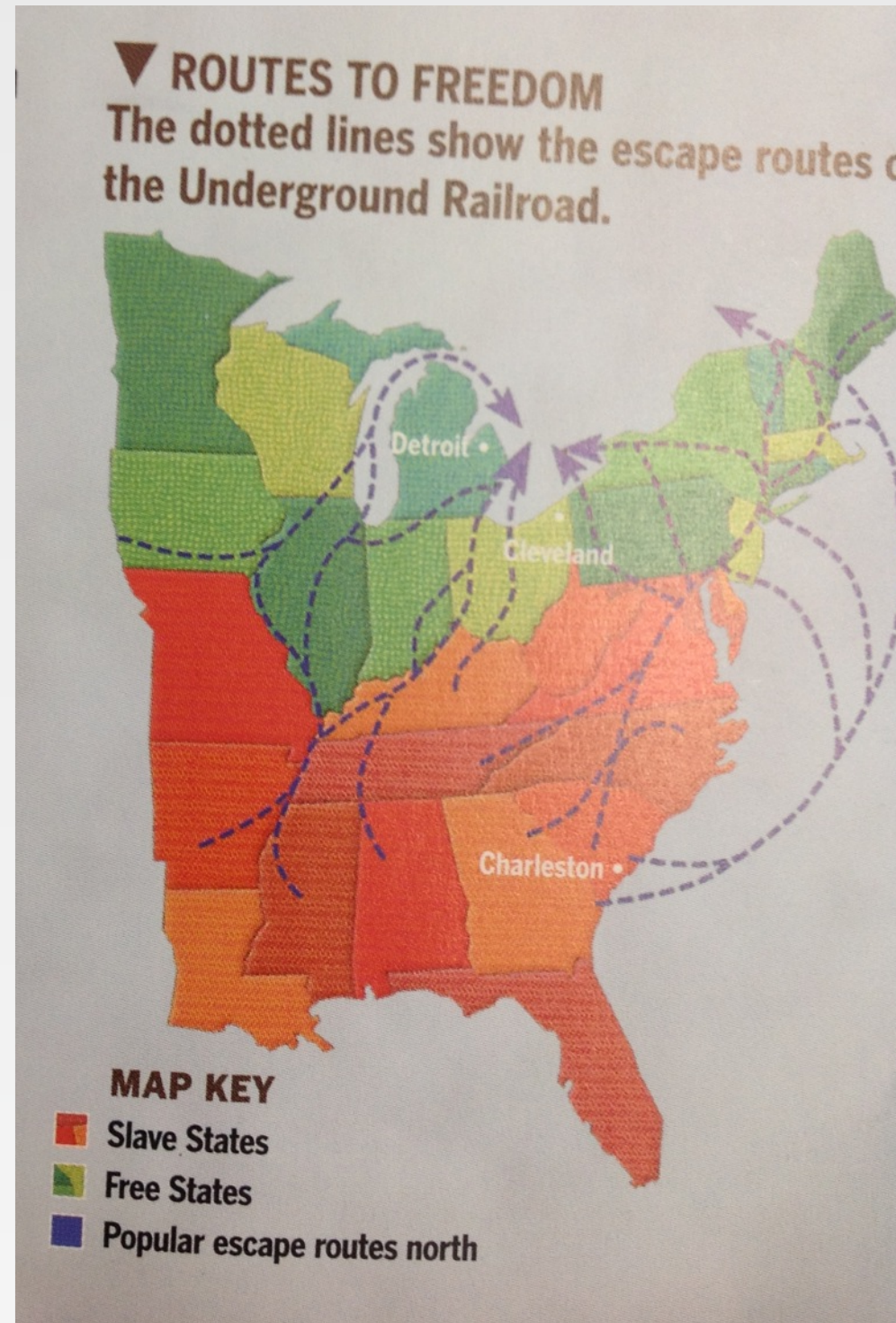
A Change Maker is: a man or woman who helps other people by helping or doing something in some way, like helping them or making something.

Slavery: is someone claiming another person and making them do chores.

Underground Railroad: it is a path through the woods and country from the south to the north. There are stations along the route where you can hide in sheds and little houses.

Abolitionists: is someone who is helping slaves escape and get healthy.

Map



Author's Note

You and 2 other Change Makers that share the same racial, ethnic and/or cultural connection.

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Mother Hale

She was a humanitarian
whose focus was on
kids in need.



Ruby Bridges

She was brave when
she went to an all-
white school.

