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Dreaming of Freedom

Harriet Tubman was born a slave. But she dreamed of being free. In fact, she wanted all slaves to be free. As a young woman, Harriet escaped from slavery. She became a **conductor** (kuhn-DUCK-tuhr) on the **Underground Railroad**. She made 19 trips back to the South. Each time, she led slaves safely to the North. Harriet risked her own life and her freedom for others. She was a very brave woman.

▼ Map of Underground Railroad routes in Pennsylvania

