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CHAMPIONS OF CHANGE



HARRIET TUBMAN

NIAGARA FALLS UNDERGROUND RAILROAD HERITAGE AREA

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Harriet Tubman, abolitionist and leader of the Underground Railroad, crossed the Suspension Bridge in Niagara Falls with enslaved persons seeking freedom in Canada. For those escaping slavery in the southern United States before and during the Civil War, the Niagara River was one of the final destinations on the Underground Railroad before freedom seekers entered Canada.

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