Underground Railroad Mind Map

THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD

WHO?

Fugitive Slaves

Quakers and Methodists, city people and farmers

People who hated slavery and were willing to risk imprisonment to help fugitive slaves get to Canada and freedom

WHEN?

1800-1860

HOW MANY?

Conservative estimate: 30 000

ORIGINS

Kentucky
Indiana
Ohio
New York
Virginia
Maryland
Delaware
Missouri
Michigan
Pennsylvania
Wisconsin

WHY?

Freedom from slavery, hard physical labour, poor food and harsh living conditions

DESTINATIONS

Detroit frontier, Lake Erie shore, Niagara frontier, Toronto, Hamilton, St. Catharines, Brantford, Kingston, Prescott, Collingwood, Owen Sound, Ottawa, Montreal, Saint John

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