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Araminta Ross

Strong Family Bonds

Called "Minty" as a child, Araminta Ross was the middle of nine children of Harriet "Rit" Green and Ben Ross. The family shared strong bonds even though access to each other was tenuous under slavery. Minty changed her name to Harriet Tubman around the time of her marriage to John Tubman, a free African American.

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