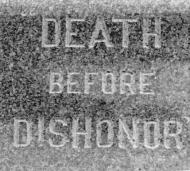
Andersonville National Historic Site



"Galvanized" Yankees Would you Switch Sides?

While prisoners at Andersonville sought respite from the horrors of imprisonment through escape, few were successful. However, by the autumn of 1864, they were given the option of release by becoming Confederate soldiers. Over 300 prisoners at Andersonville chose to join the Confederate cause. Both sides actively recruited prisoners to fill their ranks.

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