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Who was called "The Moses of her people"?

Harriet Tubman was born in Maryland. She grew up as a slave and from the age of five worked as a housekeeper and nanny. She learned to read and write. When she grew up, she escaped from her masters and was free.

She then returned to help her parents, siblings and others escape from slavery. For eleven years, she made many trips to help other slaves to regain their freedom. She was called "The Moses of her people".

During the war, she helped to care of wounded soldiers. She was a very brave woman. She was so successful in helping slaves escape that slave owners offered a \$40,000 reward for her capture.

ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS:

1. Where was Harriet Tubman born?
 - a. Georgia
 - b. New York
 - c. Maryland
 - d. none of the above
2. What did they call Harriet Tubman?
 - a. the Moses of her people
 - b. the Moses of the soldiers
 - c. the Prophet of the Earth
 - d. the Prophet of Egypt
3. Harriet made many more trips to help other slaves _____.
 - a. to work in the fields
 - b. get paid for their work
 - c. save their property
 - d. regain their freedom
4. Slave owners offered a reward of _____ for her capture.
 - a. 5,000 dollars
 - b. 40,000 dollars
 - c. 20,000 dollars
 - d. 11,000 dollars



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