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“Born in Slavery: Slave Narratives from the Federal Writers’ Project”: Discussion Questions

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1. Where did the subject live?

2. Have you ever been to that area before? Was it different than they described? How? How familiar are you with that neighborhood or area?

3. How did the subject describe their life as an enslaved person?

4. How did they describe their life after they were freed?

5. Did anything surprise you about what you read?

6. Do you see any potential issues with this source? Why or why not?