Higher Power Calling:
Harriet Tubman, Moses of Her People

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Harriet Tubman has been known by many names—Araminta, Moses, conductor, secret agent, spy, scout, and nurse. Throughout her life she made numerous sacrifices to help enslaved people reach freedom. Harriet Tubman is the classic icon of not only the Black freedom movement, but the epic symbol of Americans’ pursuit for independence and civil rights. She is the role model for every American who loves liberty, heroism and nationhood. Dr. Okur’s slide illustrated lecture narrates stages of Tubman’s life’s work, her friends and enemies on the Underground Railroad while tracing her dangerous voyages, from Maryland to Philadelphia, towards her ultimate destination, St. Catherine’s, in Canada.