

Discover Harriet Tubman's Auburn



Explore the historical sites that tell Harriet Tubman's story, right here in Auburn, New York.

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NYS EQUAL RIGHTS HERITAGE CENTER

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Located in downtown Auburn adjacent to the Seward House Museum.

1 NYS Equal Rights Heritage Center

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The City of Auburn's welcome center is home to a bronze statue of Harriet Tubman.

2 South Street Area Historic District

Self-guided tour to view historic architecture like the Seward House Museum, home to friends and confidants of Harriet Tubman.

3 Seward Park

Adjacent to the Seward House Museum

Established on land donated by the Seward family, this park hosts a statue of William H. Seward donated by members of the community in 1888.

4 Harriet Tubman Home

180 South Street

Harriet Tubman settled here in 1859 after purchasing seven acres from Frances Seward. She later bought the surrounding 25-acre farm at auction.

5 Harriet Tubman Gravesite

19 Fort Street

Pay your respects and visit Harriet Tubman Davis' final resting place at Fort Hill Cemetery.

6 Thompson Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church

49 Parker Street

Harriet Tubman was an active member and a financial supporter of this church. Her funeral service was held here in 1913. The site is currently owned and being restored by the National Park Service.

7 Cayuga County Courthouse

152 Genesee Street

See a plaque dedicated to Harriet Tubman in 1914 near the courthouse entrance. Along Genesee Street, view a marker where abolitionist and Tubman's friend Martha Coffin Wright's house once stood.

8 Freedom Park

29 North Street

A pocket park overlooking the Owasco River established in 1992 as a living tribute to Harriet Tubman.

9 Harriet Tubman Memorial Mosaic

Lincoln Street

Enjoy this stop on the Auburn Public Art Trail, a memorial mosaic of Harriet Tubman.

10 Westminster Presbyterian Church

17 William Street

The abolitionist congregation where Harriet Tubman married her second husband, veteran Nelson Davis, in 1869.