

Frederick Douglass Analysis:

1. His master's wife started to teach him how to read because she thought as though everyone should be treated equally
2. Overtime the master started telling the wife that that's not how it works, and she should not be teaching him
3. His wife then later on down the line stopped teaching him how to read and write and would watch him to make sure he did not try to read a newspaper or anything
4. Fredrick douglass did not want to quit trying to learn to read and write because he felt as though that was his way to get to freedom
5. He knew the poor white children knew how to read and write because they were able to get an education
6. Douglass then tried to find ways to exchange what he had for what they had
7. The other children had knowledge and Douglass had food, so he would do a trade with them to be able to get what he wanted
8. He played little games to get what he wanted such as daring them to draw letters and numbers so that he could learn to do them himself, and once they would draw it he would go and draw it as well
9. He then started listening to people as they talked about slavery and he then learned that the word "abolitionist" means antislavery
10. Two white irish sailors told him basically how to escape though he did not say anything because he thought that they would trick him
11. When his master's died they never freed any of the slaves they left them for strangers to be in charge of them
12. His grandmother was so old, and the new owners said that she was too old to work so they abandoned her in a small hut in the woods.
13. After Lucretia dies his master remarries someone else then him and his brother fall out and a punishment to him is to get Douglass back. Even Though he does not mind leaving Hugh he minds leaving behind his only source of learning
14. On the boat back he then pays close attention to the route to the north of philadelphia