

**Famous Women in History on American Postage Stamps**      Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:** See the description of each woman on the next page. Write the correct letter under the stamp below:

			
<p>Elizabeth Blackwell</p>	<p>Susan B. Anthony</p>	<p>Dorothea Dix</p>	<p>Harriet Beecher Stowe</p>
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<b>A</b>	This was America's first (first) lady. Before she married the "Father of our Country," her last name was Custis. She is honored on numerous American postage stamps and early currency.
<b>B</b>	Nicknamed "Moses," she was known far and wide as the "conductor" of the Underground Railroad. By some accounts, she led hundreds of slaves to freedom.
<b>C</b>	Honored on a United States coin in 1979, this woman helped make sure women received the right to vote from the U.S. government. Unfortunately, she died before the 19 <sup>th</sup> Amendment, which granted women the right to vote, was passed.
<b>D</b>	After graduating from Geneva College, this woman became America's first female medical doctor.
<b>E</b>	This woman gained notoriety as Helen Keller's teacher.
<b>F</b>	In 1852, this woman published Uncle Tom's Cabin, a novel about the reality of life for slaves. In both England and the United States it would become one of the best selling books of the 1800s. Most bookstores in the southern United States refused to sell it.
<b>G</b>	This woman was in charge of all nurses during the American Civil War. Following the war, she fought for the rights of mentally ill people and succeeded in helping to start the first hospitals for such people.
<b>H</b>	This woman, like Harriet Tubman was a former slave. She became an important abolitionist (opponent of slavery) and also fought for women's rights.

			
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