

Name _____

Free, But Not All

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. If you were an enslaved person in a border state, how would you feel about the Emancipation Proclamation?
2. Why do you think Lincoln made the decision to keep the border states from freeing enslaved people right away?
3. How do you think the Emancipation Proclamation changed the way people saw the Civil War?
4. Why is the Emancipation Proclamation still remembered as an important event in U.S. history?

