

How a slave was freed:

Sometimes they were freed because they were getting _____ and the people who owned them didn't want to have to _____ anymore. Nannies and wetnurses, for instance, were often freed when _____.

Sometimes they were freed because they _____ to pay for themselves and buy their own freedom. Or they might be freed because they had done something _____ for their owners, out of gratitude.

Most of the slaves who were freed worked as _____ or they worked for _____. The slaves who worked _____ or _____ were much less likely to be freed.

Freedwomen and freedmen still had to do what their ex-owners told them, and had to work for them for _____ if their owners wanted them. Freedwomen could not _____ the men who had once owned them, even though they had been freed. And freedmen could not hold important political and religious positions, though _____.