



19th Century Arguments For and Against Slavery

Student Name _____ Date _____

In 1850's America a lively debate was going on regarding the rights and wrongs of slavery. List reasons given for and against slavery at the time.

Use the resources of [Lesson Three](#) to find your information.

Note: the idea of defending slavery is repugnant to modern ears, so keep in mind that pro-slavery arguments were made by people living in a different time with different attitudes.

For Slavery	Against Slavery