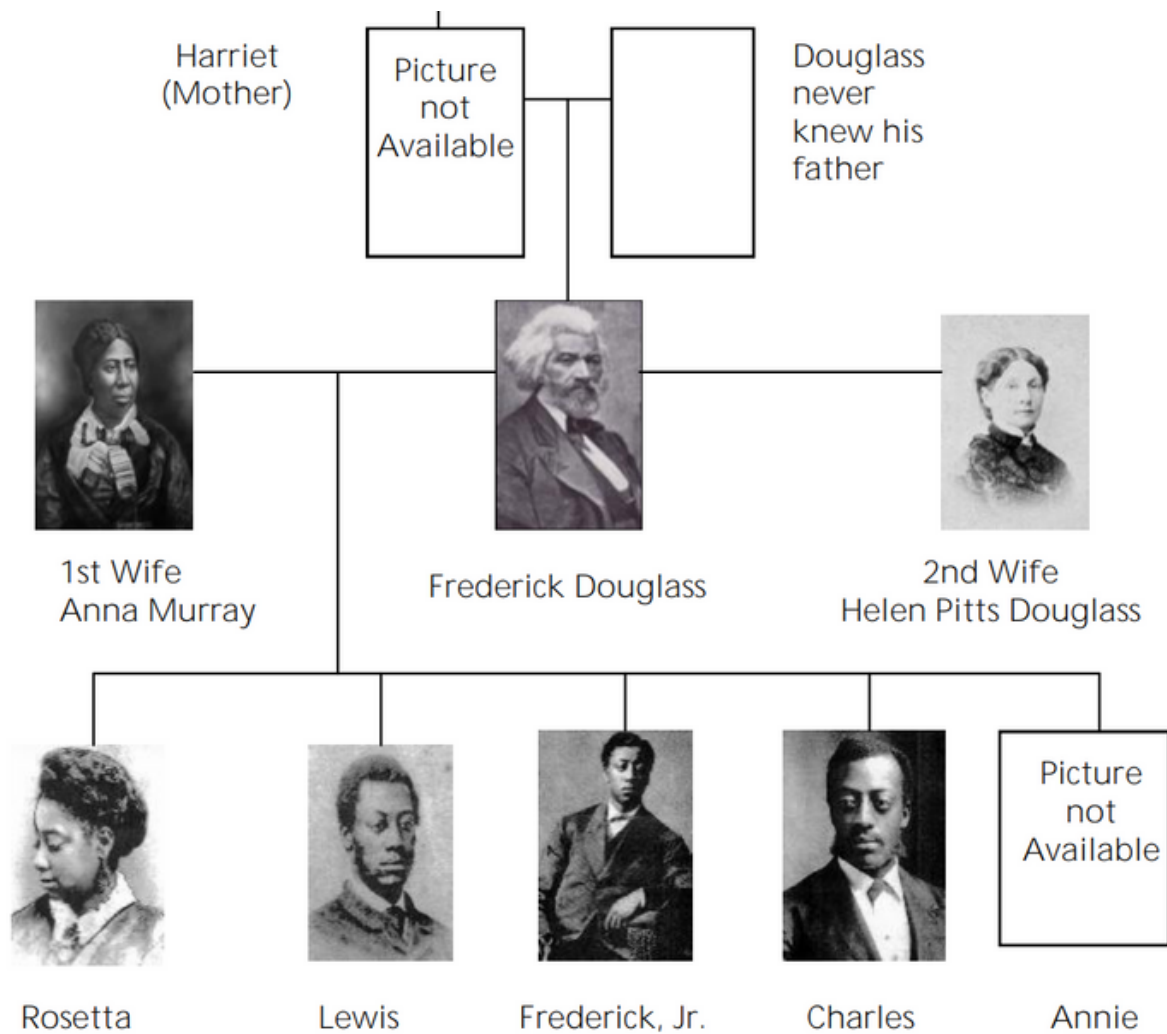


Molly Brown House Museum:
Family Trees and Frederick Douglass
(Hi)Story Time Activity

Frederick Douglass and Susan B. Anthony worked together to get rights for women and African Americans. Frederick Douglass was an escaped slave. Enslaved people could not receive birth certificates and had no legal record of who parents were or even when they were born. Frederick Douglass never knew when his birthday was, and the only record of his birth was in a list kept by his master. It was important for enslaved families to name their children after relatives to remember where they were descended from.

Here is Frederick's Family Tree:



Now make a family tree of your family!
Are you or anyone in your family named after relatives?

_____ 's Family Tree

