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"York, a Little-Known Black Hero" by Ann Keefe
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1. Who was York, and how did he come to be on the Lewis and Clark Expedition?

2. What do we know of his physical characteristics and how do we know?

3. What job was he given?

4. How did the Native Americans react to him?

5. What tall tale did he tell the Indians that showed his sense of humor?

6. What hardships did he have to endure?

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7. What do we know of York's skills?

8. Give an example of York's ability to trade successfully with the Indians.
