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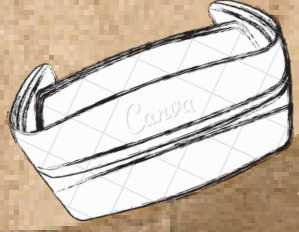
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# Florence Nightingale



Florence Nightingale was a nurse who saved many lives in the 19th century. She was named after the city of Florence in Italy, where her parents went after they got married in 1818.

Florence was an unusual young woman for her time because she didn't want to go to parties and get married. She wanted to be a nurse and help people.



In 1851, Florence went to Germany and learned all about nursing. It was hard work, but she loved it.



**IN 1854, LOTS OF BRITISH SOLDIERS WENT TO FIGHT IN THE CRIMEAN WAR. FLORENCE WORKED 20 HOURS A DAY TO MAKE THE ARMY HOSPITAL A CLEANER AND SAFER PLACE**

When Florence returned to England, people called her a heroine because of her amazing work in the Crimean War. She continued to work hard in Britain to improve hospitals and she was given a medal called the Order of Merit.



She was the first woman to receive this honour.