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The hymn [Amazing Grace](#) is probably one of the most recognizable songs in Christianity. It was written by a man by the name of John Newton who was a slave trader from England. His radical encounter with Jesus Christ caused him to leave all and live a life of solitude as a repentant priest. William Wilberforce for years took up the cause with the British Parliament to also end the trade but to no avail until the right time, when the hearts of men were convicted of the error of slavery and the bill was finally voted through and slavery was abolished in England. Wilberforce was strengthened by Newton's life and their lives became a testimony for Jesus Christ. This movie is a must see!

