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COVER ILLUSTRATION: Jarena Lee (1849?). Courtesy of the Library Company of Philadelphia. Best-known as a preacher and author of an autobiography, *The Life and Religious Calling of Jarena Lee, A Coloured Lady, Giving an Account of Her Call to Preach the Gospel*, Jarena Lee's later years have long been a mystery. In "The Many Names for Jarena Lee," author Frederick Knight charts her descent into poverty, ultimately concluding that historians have faced difficulties tracing her for the same reason she had trouble maintaining economic stability: her tenuous position as an African American woman in antebellum Philadelphia.

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