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**How did being bilingual benefit or hurt Malinalli?**

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| **How did being bilingual benefit Malinalli?** | **How did being bilingual hurt Malinalli?** |
| Being bilingual allowed Malinalli to provide a valuable service to Cortes. If she hadn’t been bilingual, she would have probably served as other women slaves had. | Malinalli gave Cortes insight into different indigenous cultures, and therefore helped him gain an advantage over different indigenous groups. |
| Since few people were bilingual, Malinalli was unique, and therefore she may have received special treatment. | Malinalli helped Cortes with his conquest over indigenous groups. |
| Because she was bilingual, Malinalli may have had more of a voice than other slaves. |  |
| Malinalli may have been able to influence Cortes and other leaders, perhaps protecting her family and people. |  |