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Views Of The Compromise

Directions: Read each statement below. Decide whether it represents a **Northern View** or a **Southern View** during the Missouri Compromise. Write **Northern** or **Southern** on the line before each statement.

1. _____ "We want new states to ban slavery."
2. _____ "We need slavery to support our farms and economy."
3. _____ "If Missouri joins as a slave state, the South will gain too much power in Congress."
4. _____ "Missouri should be allowed to keep slavery just like other states in our region."
5. _____ "Keeping a balance between free and slave states is important for fairness."
6. _____ "The government should not stop slavery from spreading into new territories."
7. _____ "We worry that adding more slave states could encourage slavery to grow."
8. _____ "Slavery is part of our way of life, and we want to protect it."