

BLACK RESISTANCE

2023 Black History Month

“There is no sense in hate: it comes back to you; therefore make your history so laudable, magnificent, and untarnished that another generation will not seek to repay your seeds for the sins inflicted upon their fathers.”

[Marcus Garvey](#)

Educate and Empower yourself!

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“If they don’t give you a seat at the table, bring a folding chair.”

[Shirley Chisholm](#)

“Character is power.”

[Booker T. Washington](#)

“We will all, at some point, encounter hurdles to gaining access and entry, moving up and conquering self-doubt; but on the other side is the capacity to own opportunity and tell our own story.”

[Stacey Abrams](#)

“When I dare to be powerful, to use my strength in the service of my vision, then it becomes less and less important whether I am afraid.”

[Audre Lorde](#)

“For to be free is not merely to cast off one’s chains, but to live in a way that respects and enhances the freedom of others.”

[Nelson Mandela](#)

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Music

Sit-ins

Rallies

Strikes

Marches

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Litigation

Education

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Slavery

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Exploitation

Segregation

Racial Pogroms

Racial Profiling

Still We Rise

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Racial Terrorism

Literature

Marginalization

Solidarity

Lobbying

Cultural Imperialism

Social Justice

False Imprisonment

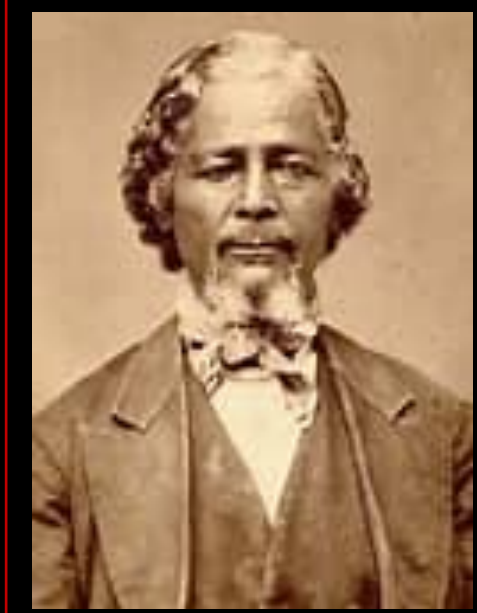
Performing Arts

Legislation/Politics

Institutional/Structural Racism

Performance Excellence

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2023 Black History Month Spotlight Benjamin "Pap" Singleton



[Benjamin "Pap" Singleton](#) was known as "[Black Moses](#)" in the late 1870's. He (along with Hendry Adams) led formerly enslaved blacks out of the oppression and violence in Tennessee to homes and land in Kansas. This [Exoduster's](#) colony became one of the largest black colonies in American History.

"Change will not come if we wait for some other person or some other time. We are the ones we've been waiting for. We are the change that we seek."

[Former President Barack Obama](#)