

## Courageous Community Conversations Across Difference: Can we talk about Race?\*

2019 Resources - Further Reading, Online Links and Videos

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### Further Reading:

- *11 Reasons to Become Race Literate* by Milagros A. Phillips
- *The African American Experience : Black History and Culture through speeches, letters, editorials, poems, songs, and stories* by Editor Kai Wright
- *Black Portsmouth : Three Centuries of African-American Heritage* by Mark Sammons
- *Born a Crime : Stories from a South African Childhood* by Trevor Noah
- *Brown Girl Dreaming* by Jacqueline Woodson
- *Charleston Syllabus : Readings on Race, Racism, and Racial Violence* by Editors: Chad Louis Williams, Kidada E. Williams, Keisha N. Blain
- *The Color of Law : A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America* by Richard Rothstein
- *The Hate U Give* by Angie Thomas
- *How To Be Less Stupid About Race : on Racism, White supremacy, and the Racial Divide* by Crystal Marie Fleming
- *I'm Still Here : Black Dignity in a World Made for Whiteness* by Austin Channing Brown
- *Living into God's Dream : Dismantling Racism in America* by Editor Cathy Meeks
- *My Grandmother's Hands : racialized trauma and the pathway to mending our hearts and bodies* by Resmaa Menakem
- *Not Quite Not White : losing and finding race in America* by Sharmila Sen
- *Richard Potter : America's First Black Celebrity* by John A. Hodgson
- *Small Great Things : a novel* by Jodi Picoult
- *So You Want to Talk About Race* by Ijeoma Oluo
- *Strange Fruit : Uncelebrated narratives from Black History. Vol. I* by Joel Christian Gill
- *Strange Fruit. Volume II by More uncelebrated narratives from Black History* by Joel Christian Gill
- *Strength in What Remains* by Tracy Kidder
- *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee
- *Under Our Skin : getting real about race -- and getting free from the fears and frustrations that divide us* by Benjamin Watson
- *Understanding and Dismantling Racism : the twenty-first century challenge to white America* by Joseph Barndt
- *Waking up White : and finding myself in the story of race* by Debby Irving
- *What Truth Sounds Like : Robert F. Kennedy, James Baldwin, and our unfinished conversation about race in America* by Michael Eric Dyson
- *When They Call You a Terrorist : a Black Lives Matter memoir* by Patrisse Khan-Cullors
- *White Fragility : why it's so hard for white people to talk about racism* by Robin J. DiAngelo

## Online Links and Videos:

### **Telling the Truth**

- [“Black murder is normal” by Michael Smith](#) (TEDx)
- [“We need to talk about an injustice” by Bryan Stevenson](#) (TED Talk)
- [“A Conversation on Race”](#) (NY Times)
- [“What’s Race Got to Do with It?”](#) (NY Times)
- [“MTV Decoded” with Franchesca Ramsey](#) (YouTube)
- [“Finding Myself in the Story of Race” by Debby Irving](#) (TEDx)

### **Proclaiming the Dream**

- [“The urgency of intersectionality” by Kimberle Crenshaw](#) (TED Talk)
- [“White People are Noticing Something New: Their own Whiteness”](#) (NY Times Magazine)
- [“What it’s like to be the child of immigrants” by Michael Rain](#) (TED Talk)
- [“Under Our Skin”](#) (The Seattle Times)
- [“Color blind or color brave?” By Mellody Hobson](#) (TED Talk)

### **Practicing the Way**

- [“Shadows Fall North” a documentary](#) (www.blackhistorynh.com)
- [“How to overcome our Biases? Walk boldly toward them” by Verna Myers](#) (TED Talk)
- [“Colorblind: Rethinking Race \(2012\)”](#) (Vimeo)
- [“The 8 R’s of Talking About Race: How to Have Meaningful Conversations”](#) (netimpact.org)
- [“How I learned to stop worrying and love discussing race” by Jay Smooth](#) (TEDx)
- [“How to Talk with a White Supremacist” by Simon Tam](#) (TEDx)
- [“The Muslim on the airplane” by Amal Kassir](#) (TEDx)

### **Repairing the Breach**

- [Governor’s Advisory Council on Diversity and Inclusion Preliminary Report, June 2018](#)
- [Governor’s Advisory Council Legislative & Budgetary Recommendations](#)
- [“A prosecutor’s vision for a better justice system by Adam Foss”](#) (TED Talk)
- [“What it takes to be racially literate” by Priya Vulchi and Winona Guo](#) (TED Talk)
- [21-Day Racial Equity Habit Building Challenge](#) (debbyirving.com)
- [Resources for Racial Reconciliation and Justice](#) (episcopalchurch.org)
- [An interview with the founders of Black Lives Matter](#) (TED Talk)
- [Resources from Debby Irving](#) (debbyirving.com)

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