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Art, Music, Dance & Sports

Celenza, Anna Harwell. *Duke Ellington's Nutcracker Suite*. (781.65 CEL)

Cline-Ransome, Lesa. *My Story, My Dance: Robert Battle's Journey to Alvin Ailey*. (792.8 CLI)

Grady, Cynthia. *Like a Bird: The Art of the American Slave Song*. (782.253 GRA)

Hill, Laban Carrick. *Dave the Potter: Artist, Poet, Slave*. (738.092 HIL)

Hill, Laban Carrick. *When the Beat was Born: DJ Kool Herc and the Creation of Hip Hop*. (781.649 HIL)

McKissack, Pat. *Let's Clap, Jump, Sing & Shout; Dance, Spin & Turn It Out! Games, Songs, and Stories From an African American Childhood*. (305.896 MCK)

Nelson, Kadir. *We are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball*. (796.357 NEL)

Pinkney, Andrea Davis. *Rhythm Ride: A Road Trip Through the Motown Sound*. (781.644 PIN)

Rockwell, Ann F. *Hey, Charleston! The True Story of the Jenkins Orphanage Band*. (784.4 ROC)

Rolling, James. *Come Look with Me: Discovering African-American Art for Children*. (704.039 ROL)

Skead, Robert. *Something to Prove: The Great Satchel Paige vs. Rookie Joe Dimaggio*. (796.357 SKE)

Smith, Charles R., Jr. *Stars in the Shadows: The Negro League All-Star Game of 1934*. (796.357 SMI)

Winter, Jonah. *How Jelly Roll Morton Invented Jazz*. (781.65 WIN)

History

Abdul-Jabbar, Kareem. *What Color is My World? The Lost History of African-American Inventors*. (920.073 ABD)

Bolden, Tonya. *How to Build a Museum: Smithsonian's National Museum of African American History and Culture*. (973.049 BOL)

Evans, Shane W. *Underground: Finding the Light to Freedom*. (973.7 EVA)

Harrison, Vashti. *Little Legends: Exceptional Men in Black History*. (920.71 HAR)

Henson, Heather. *Lift Your Light a Little Higher: The Story of Stephen Bishop, Slave-Explorer*. (973.711 HEN)

Hudson, Cheryl Willis. *Brave, Black, First: 50+ African American Women Who Changed the World*. (920.72 HUD)

Hudson, Wade. *Powerful Words: More Than 200 Years of Extraordinary Writing by African Americans*. (920.073 HUD)

Nelson, Kadir. *Heart and Soul: The Story of American and African Americans*. (973.049 NEL)

Pinkney, Andrea David. *Hand in Hand: Ten Black Men Who Changed America*. (920.073 PIN)

Shetterly, Margot Lee. *Hidden Figures: The Untold True Story of Four African-American Women Who Helped Launch Our Nation Into Space (Young Reader's Edition)*. (510.92 LEE)

Stone, Tayna Lee. *Courage Has No Color: The True Story of the Triple Nickles, American's First Black Paratroopers*. (920.54 STO)

Sherman, Patrice. *Ben and the Emancipation Proclamation*. (973.7 SHE)

Smith, Charles R., Jr. *28 Days: Moments in Black History That Changed the World*. (973.049 SMI)

Smith, Charles R., Jr. *Brick by Brick*. (975.3 SMI)

We Rise, We Resist, We Raise Our Voices. (305.8 WE)



Woelfle, Gretchen. *Answering the Cry for Freedom: Stories of African Americans and the American Revolution*. (973.3 WOE)

Civil Rights

Alko, Selina. *The Case for Loving: The Fight for Interracial Marriage*. (306.846 ALK)

Bass, Hester. *Seeds of Freedom: The Peaceful Integration of Huntsville, Alabama*. (323.1 BAS)

Bausum, Ann. *The March Against Fear: The Last Great Walk of the Civil Rights Movement and the Emergence of Black Power*. (323.119 BAU)

Clark-Robinson, Monica. *Let the Children March*. (323.119 CLA)

Goodman, Susan. *The First Step: How One Girl Put Segregation on Trial*. (344.079 GOO)

Langley, Sharon. *A Ride to Remember: A Merry-Go-Round and its Civil Rights Story*. (305.8 LAN)

Lowery, Lynda Blackmon. *Turning 15 on the Road to Freedom: My Story of the 1965 Selma Voting Rights March*. (323.119 LOW)

Pinkney, Andrea Davis. *Sit-In: How Four Friends Stood Up By Sitting Down*. (323.19 PIN)

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Bryan, Ashley. *Freedom Over Me*. (811 BRY)

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