

The CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT

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BIOGRAPHY

- ◇ *The Youngest Marcher: The Story of Audrey Faye Hendricks, a Young Civil Rights Activist*
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- ◇ *Rosa* by Nikki Giovanni
- ◇ *She Stood for Freedom: The Untold Story of a Civil Rights Hero, Joan Trumpauer Mulholland*
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- ◇ *Lift as You Climb: The Story of Ella Baker* by Patricia Hruby Powell
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- ◇ *Pies From Nowhere: How Georgia Gilmore Sustained the Montgomery Bus Boycott*
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