



Helpline Youth Counseling, Inc. (HYC) Work Committee for Change

Black History Month Reading Recommendations

- The Autobiography of Malcolm X - **Alex Haley**
- Assata: An Autobiography - **Assata Shakur**
- Post-Traumatic Slave Syndrome - **Joy DeGroy**
- No Ashes in the Fire - Darnell L. Moore
- I'm Still Here, Black Dignity in a World made for Whiteness - **Auston Channing Brown**
- Black Like Me by **John Howard Griffin**
- Breaking the Chains of Psychological **Slavery by Na'im Akbar**
- Black History 1619-2019 by **Sandra K Yocum**
- The Devil You Know: A Black Power Manifesto by **Charles M. Blow**
- The Kindest Lie by **Nancy Johnson**
- I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings by **Maya Angelou**
- Lead from the Outside: How to Build Your Future and Make Real Change – **Stacy Abrams**
- Black Boy by **Richard Wright**
- Soul on Ice by **Eldridge Cleaver**
- Soledad Brother: The Prison Letters of **George Jackson**
- Notes of a Native Son by **James Baldwin**
- Nobody Knows My Name by **James Baldwin**
- N*****: An Autobiography by **Dick Gregory**
- The Shadow That Scares Me by **Dick Gregory**
- Democracy Matters – **Cornel West**
- Race Matters – **Cornel West**
- The New Jim Crow – Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness – **Michelle Alexander**
- Freedom is a Constant Struggle – **Angela Y. Davis**
- The Wretched of the Earth – **Frantz Fanon**
- Another Country – **James Baldwin**
- Invisible Man – **Ralph Ellison**
- Four Hundred Souls - **Ibram X. Kendi**