



### **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES ON THE WEB**

Visit the beautiful Mother Bethel A.M.E. Church in historic Philadelphia, including the Richard Allen Museum, at <http://www.motherbethel.org>.

See St. George's Methodist Church in Philadelphia, the former church of Richard Allen, by visiting <http://www.historicstgeorges.org>.

Learn more about the African Methodist Episcopal denomination founded by Richard Allen by logging on to <http://www.ame-church.com>.

At the National Library of Medicine website, find a salute to female physicians as well as biographies and lesson plans. The web address is <http://www.nlm.nih.gov/changingthefaceofmedicine>.

The legacy of Elizabeth Blackwell is alive and well today at New York University Medical Center, the institution founded by Blackwell in 1857 as the Infirmary for Indigent Women. Visit the medical center on the web at <http://www.med.nyu.edu>.

Visit Storyteller of the Heartland Rick Sowash's website at [www.sowash.com](http://www.sowash.com).

Learn more about the life of John Parker by visiting his home in Ripley, Ohio in person or on the web at <http://www.johnparkerhouse.org>.

Ripley is also home to Reverend John Rankin, another famous conductor on the Underground Railroad. Check out his homestead at <http://ohsweb.ohiohistory.org/places/sw14/index.shtml>.

To learn more about the Underground Railroad and the efforts of those who helped slaves escape to freedom, visit the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center in Cincinnati, Ohio. Their web site is <http://www.freedomcenter.org>.

The National Civil Rights Museum, located in Memphis, Tennessee, features a wealth of information about important events in our nation's struggle for racial equality. Visit their website at <http://www.civilrightsmuseum.org>.

Teachers can discover great resources for presenting the life of Rosa Parks and information about the civil rights movement by visiting the Scholastic Books website at <http://teacher.scholastic.com/rosa>.

To learn more about the historic places of the Civil Rights movement, including a trail commemorating the Selma to Montgomery march, visit the National Park Service's We Shall Overcome website at <http://www.nps.gov/history/nr/travel/civilrights/al4.htm>.

Discover how people like Sheyann Webb, Rachel West and others worked to secure the right to vote for African Americans by visiting the National Voting Rights Museum & Institute at <http://selmavotingrightsmuseum.org>.

Explore a comprehensive Civil Rights Resource Guide, available through the Library of Congress, at <http://www.loc.gov/rr/program/bib/civilrights/home.html>.

Want to know who, like Frank Johnson, Jr., has won the Congressional Medal of Freedom? View the complete list at <http://www.medalloffreedom.com>.

The Academy of Achievement, located in Washington, D.C., has profiled several noteworthy Americans including civil rights pioneers Rosa Parks and Frank Johnson, Jr. Read their biographies at <http://www.achievement.org/autodoc/pagegen/index.html>. Also, search the phrase "keys to success" and read essays from a variety of academy members on values such as passion, vision, preparation, courage, perseverance, and integrity.

## **FOR FURTHER READING**

*The Autobiography of Martin Luther King, Jr.* edited by Clayborne Carson. Adult. Published by Grand Central Publishing, 2001.

*Civil Rights Movement for Kids: A History for 21 Activities* by Mary Turck. Ages 12 and up. Published by Chicago Review Press, 2000.

*Defending Constitutional Rights* by Frank Johnson, Jr., edited by Tony Freyer. Adult. Published by University of Georgia Press, 2001.

*Elizabeth Blackwell* by Jan Mader. Ages 8 - 12. Published by Coughlan Publishing, 2007.

*Elizabeth Blackwell: First Woman Physician* by Tristan Boyer Binns. Ages 12 and up. Published by Scholastic, 2005.

*Elizabeth Blackwell: Girl Doctor* by Joanne Landers Henry and Robert Doremus. Ages 8 - 12. Published by Simon & Schuster, 1996.

*Freedom River* by Doreen Rappaport and Bryan Collier. Ages 5 – 9. Published by Hyperion Books for Children, 2000.

*His Promised Land: The Autobiography of John P. Parker, Former Slave and Conductor on the Underground Railroad.* Adult. Published by W.W. Norton & Company, 1998.

*If You Traveled on the Underground Railroad* by Ellen Levine and Barry Johnson. Ages 7 – 10. Published by Scholastic, 1993.

*The Judge: The Life and Opinions of Alabama's Frank M. Johnson, Jr.* by Frank Sikora with an introduction by William Brennan. Adult. Published by New South, Incorporated, 2007.

*From Midnight to Dawn: The Last Tracks of the Underground Railroad* by Jacqueline L. Tobin and Hettie Jones. Adult. Published by Doubleday, 2007.

*Oh, Freedom!* by Casey King, Rosa Parks and Linda Barrett Osborne. All ages. Published by Random House Children's Books, 1997.

*Pioneer Work in Opening the Medical Profession to Women: Autobiographical Sketches* by Elizabeth Blackwell with introduction by Amy Sue Bix. Adult. Published by Prometheus Books, 2005.

*Richard Allen: Religious Leader and Social Activist* by Steve Klots. Ages 10 and up. Published by Chelsea House Publishers, 1991.

*Selma, Lord, Selma: Girlhood Memories of the Civil Rights Days* by Sheyann Webb and Rachel West. High school to adult. Published by University of Alabama Press, 1997.

*Taming the Storm: The Life and Times of Judge Frank Johnson, Jr., and the South's Fight over Civil Rights* by Jack Bass. Adult. Published by University of Georgia Press, 2002.

*There Comes a Time: The Struggle for Civil Rights* by Milton Meltzer. Ages 10 and up. Published by Random House Children's Books, 2001.

*Under the Quilt of Night* by Deborah Hopkinson. Adult. Published by Taylor & Francis, 1994.

*The Underground Railroad for Kids: From Slavery to Freedom with 21 Activities* by Mary Kay Carson. Ages 8 and up. Published by Taylor & Francis, 1994.

*Why We Can't Wait* by Martin Luther King, Jr. Adult. Published by Penguin Group, 2000.