

# IMAGES OF OPPRESSION IMAGES OF RESISTANCE

**HEROES AND VILLAINS**



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# OPPRESSION—VIOLENCE AND INTIMIDATION

- **Slavery**
  - Middle Passage
  - Auctions(sales)
  - Family Separation
  - Slave Codes
- **Reconstruction And Redemption**
  - White Supremacy (States Rights) Replaces Slavery
  - Black Codes
  - Limited Political Participation
  - Limited Economic Opportunity
  - Reign Of Terror (Extra-legal And Vigilante Violence)



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# OPPRESSION—VIOLENCE AND INTIMIDATION

- **Voter Suppression**

- Literacy Tests
- Poll Tax
- Grandfather Clause

## **Discrimination in All Aspects of Public Life**

### **Real Estate**

- Redlining and Zoning
- Selective Sales
- Insurance Restrictions
- Arts Manipulation—Image Assassination
- Educational Inequality



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# RESISTANCE—ANY MEANS AVAILABLE

## Slavery

- **Raiding Parties**
- **Suicide**
  - Drowning and Starvation
- **Maroonage (Running Away)**
  - Establishment of Independent Slave Communities
- **Military Service**
- **Purchasing Freedom**
- **Feigning Infirmary and Feigning Ignorance**
- **Sabotage and Work Slowdowns**
- **Religious and Fraternal Organizations**



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# RESISTANCE—ANY MEANS AVAILABLE

- **Reconstruction and Redemption**
  - Voting
  - Property Ownership
  - Migration (Voting With Their Feet)
  - Inventions (George Washington Carver)



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## Segregation

- Civic Engagement Anti-Lynching Crusades
- National Organizations—NAACP, Urban League, etc.)
- Judicial Strategies
- Internal Migration
- Protest



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# KEY DATES IN CIVIL RIGHTS HISTORY

- 1948 Executive Order 9981—Integration of the Armed Forces (Truman)
- 1954 Brown Versus The Board
- 1955 Montgomery Bus Boycott—Rosa Parks
- 1955 Murder of Emmett Till
- 1957 Integration of Central High—Little Rock
- 1960 Woolworth Lunch Counter Sit-Ins—Greensboro
- 1960 Integration William Frantz School—New Orleans
- 1962 James Meredith Enters Ole Miss
- 1963 Birmingham Children's Crusade (Bull Connor)
- 1963 March on Washington
- 1963 Assassination of Medgar Evers
- 1963 Wallace in The Schoolhouse Door
- 1963 16<sup>th</sup> Street Church Bombing—Birmingham
- 1964 Murder of Schwerner, Goodman, and Chaney—Philadelphia, Miss.
- 1965 Murder of Viola Liuzzo—Selma, Alabama
- 1965 Jimmy Lee Jackson—Selma, Alabama
- 1968 Assassination of Martin Luther King



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# BLACK PILGRIM—BILL ANDERSON



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# ROOT IN BONDAGE—BILL ANDERSON



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# Untitled (Middle Passage/Stars and Bars)—Murry DePillars



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# UNTITLED (MIDDLE PASSAGE)--FRANKETIENNE



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# SLAVE SHIP/CINQUE—ROMARE BEARDEN



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# ROOTS—ROMARE BEARDEN



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# NAT—VICTOR “SHONUFF” HOOVER



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# STRATEGY—NAJEE DORSEY



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# SPIRIT OF GULLAH JACK—NAJEE DORSEY



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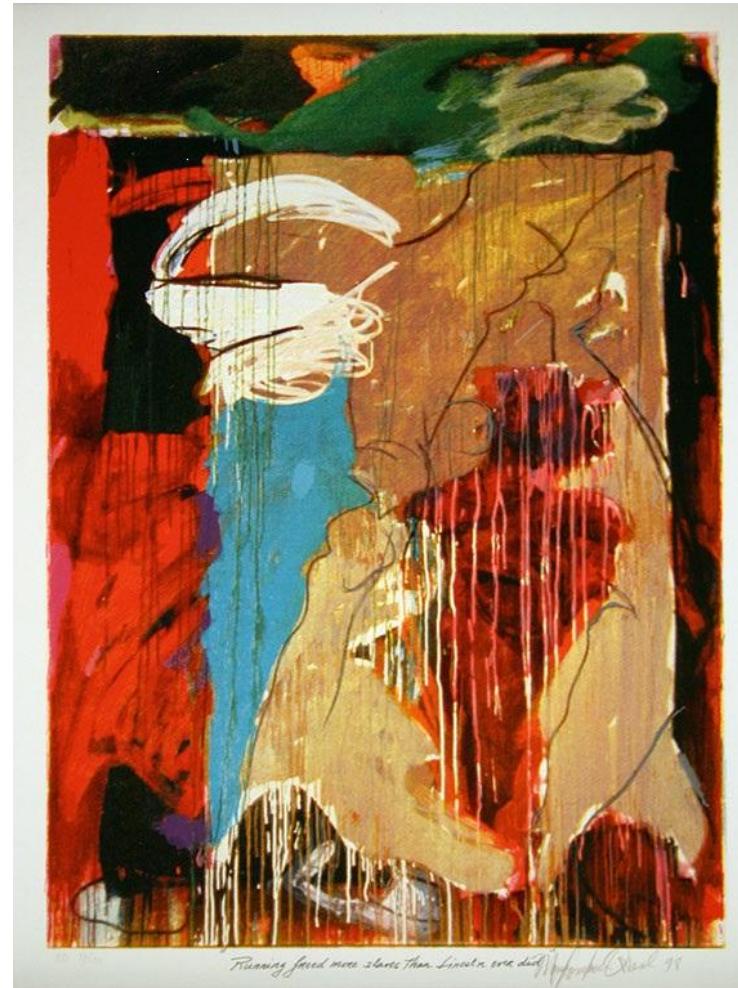


# GULLAH JACK—NAJEE DORSEY



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# RUNNING FREED MORE SLAVES THAN LINCOLN—MARY LOVELACE O'NEAL



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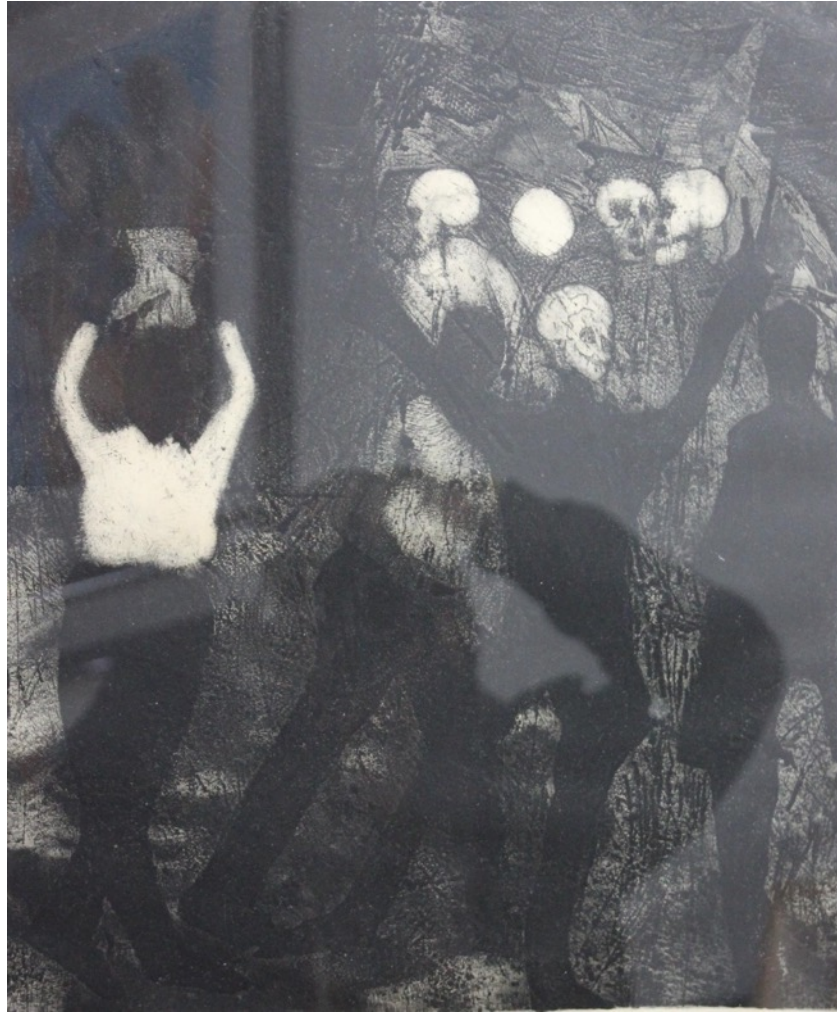


# ELYSIUM BEREFTED—WENDELL BROOKS



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# DEATH RATTLE—WENDELL BROOKS



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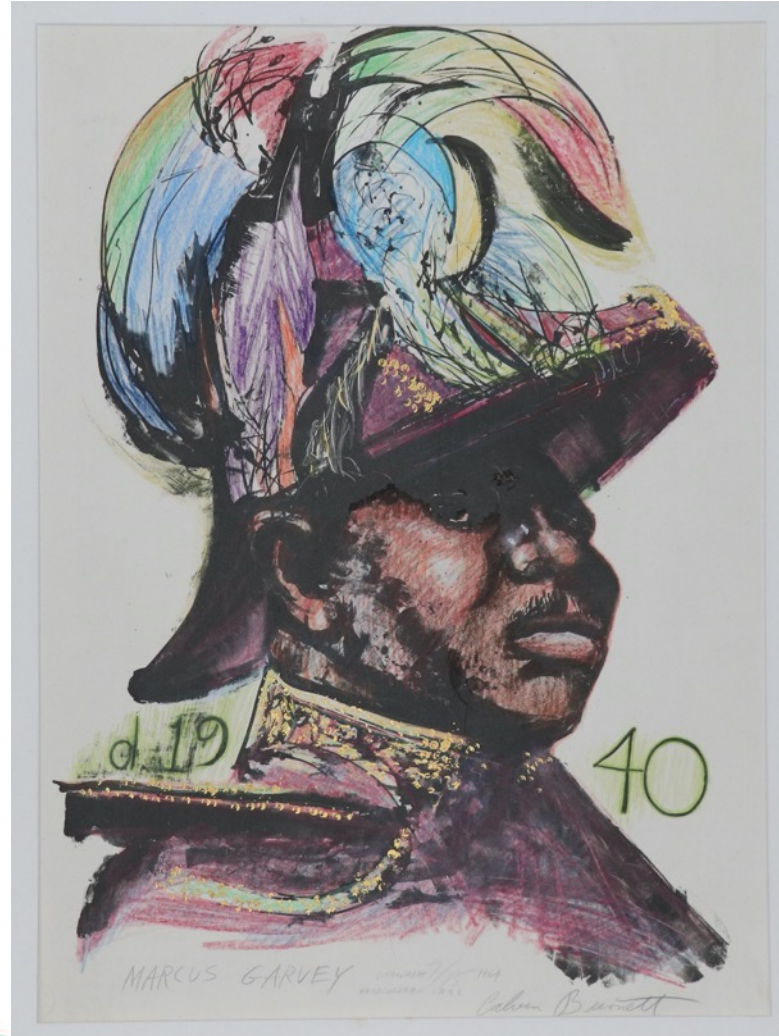


# STATES RIGHTS—CARL GIBSON HILL



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# MARCUS GARVEY—CALVIN BURNETT



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# JOSEPHINE BAKER—FANTA CELAH



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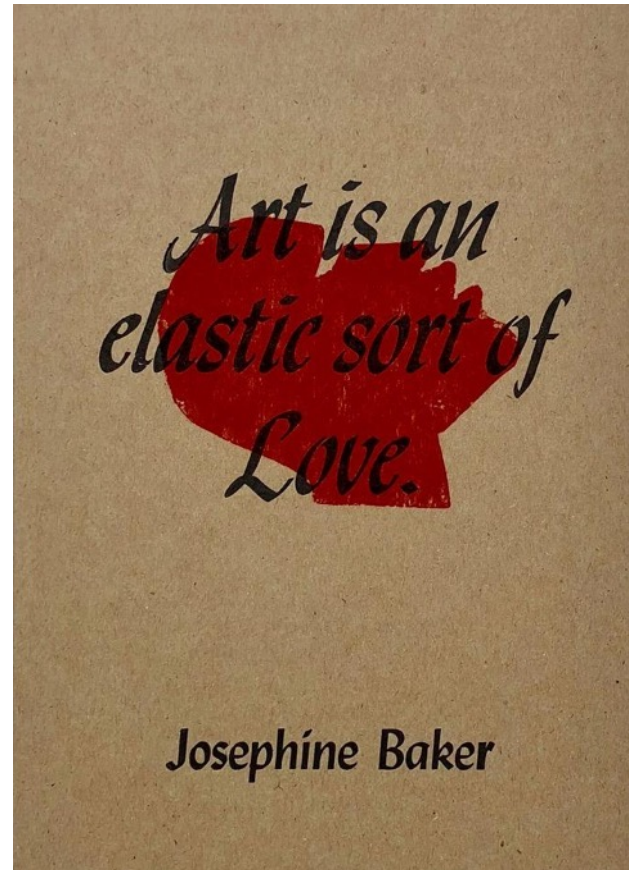
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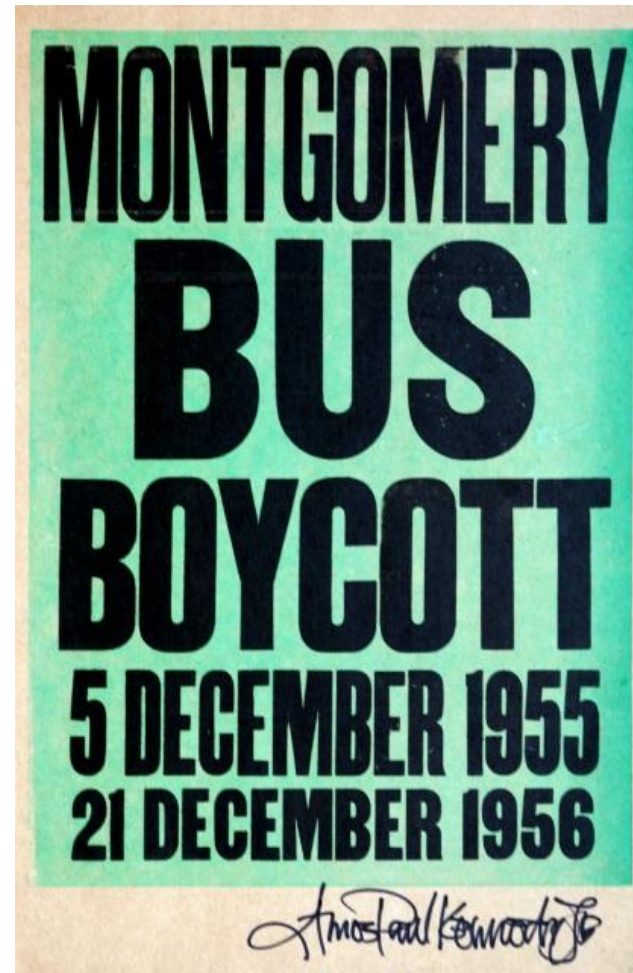


# JOSEPHINE BAKER—AMOS P. KENNEDY



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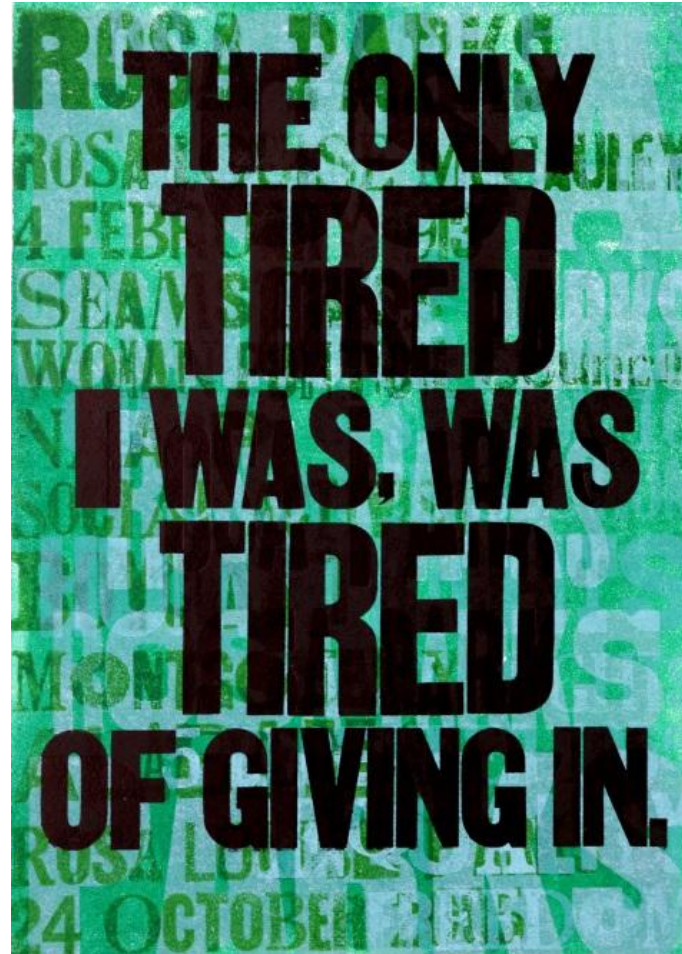
# MONTGOMERY BUS BOYCOTT—AMOS P. KENNEDY



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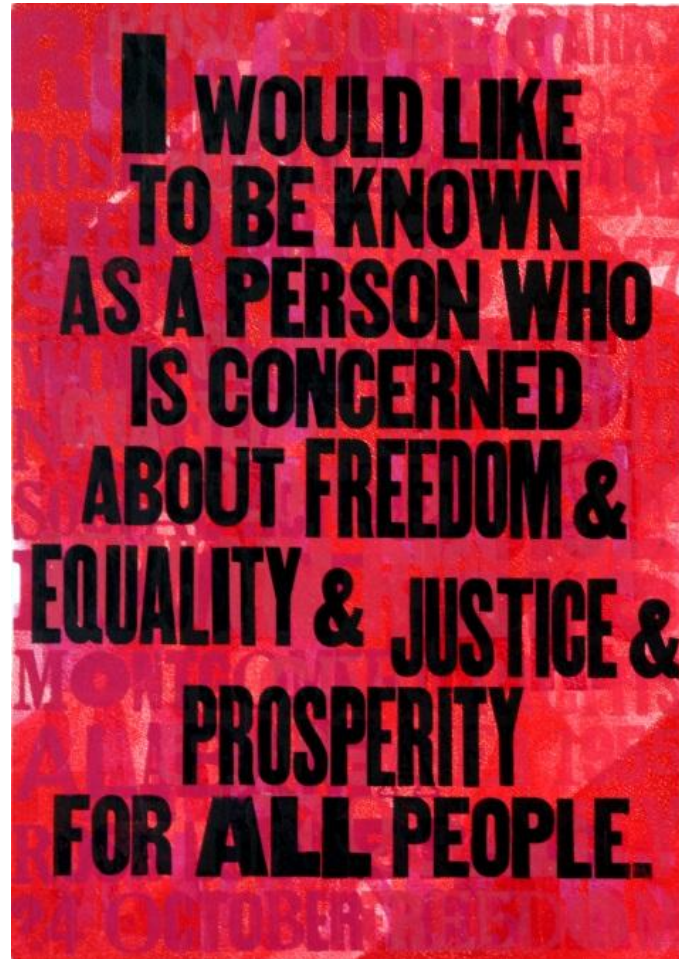


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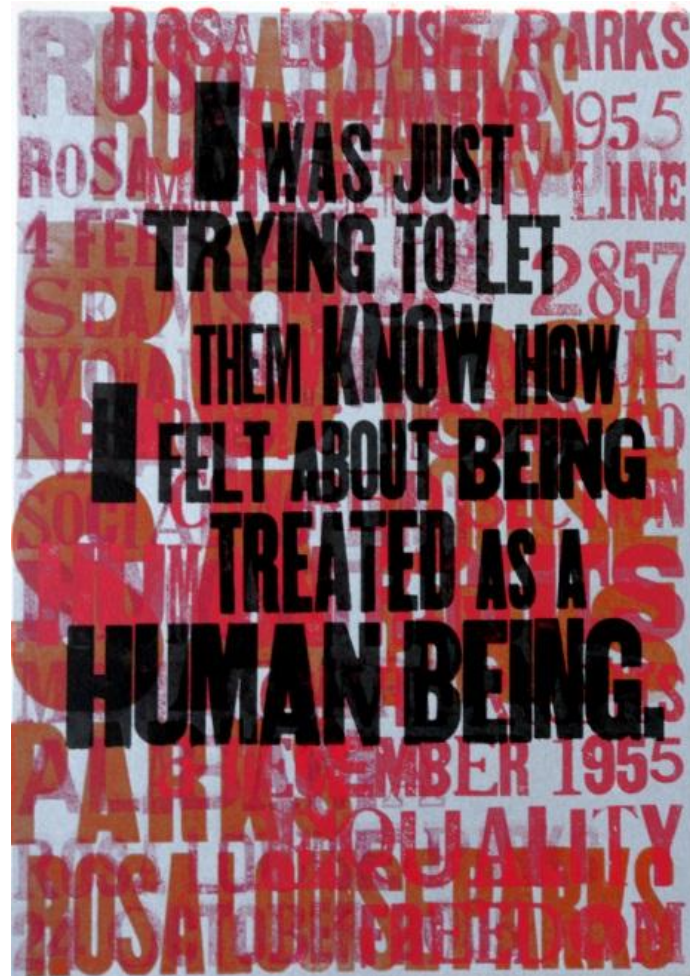
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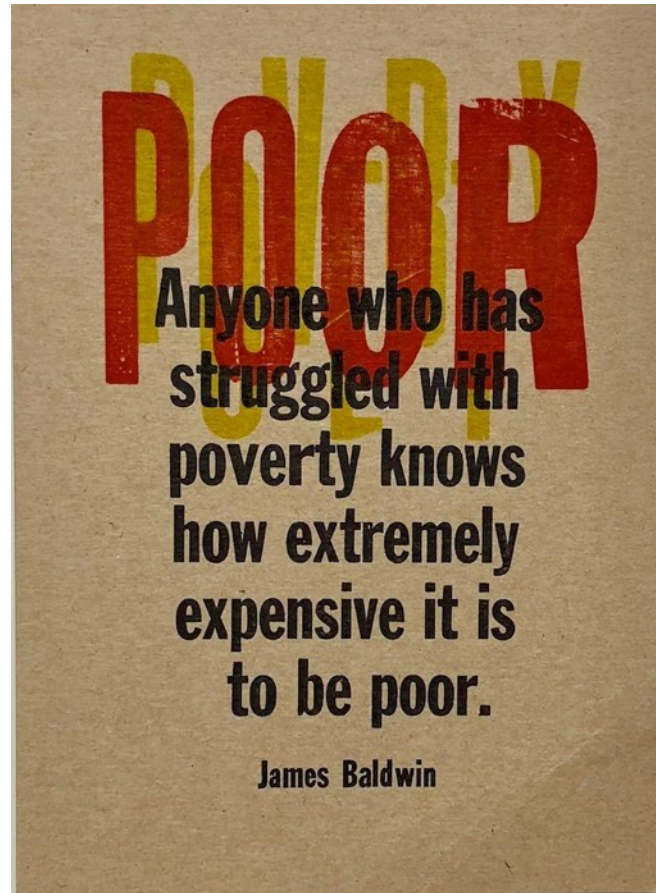


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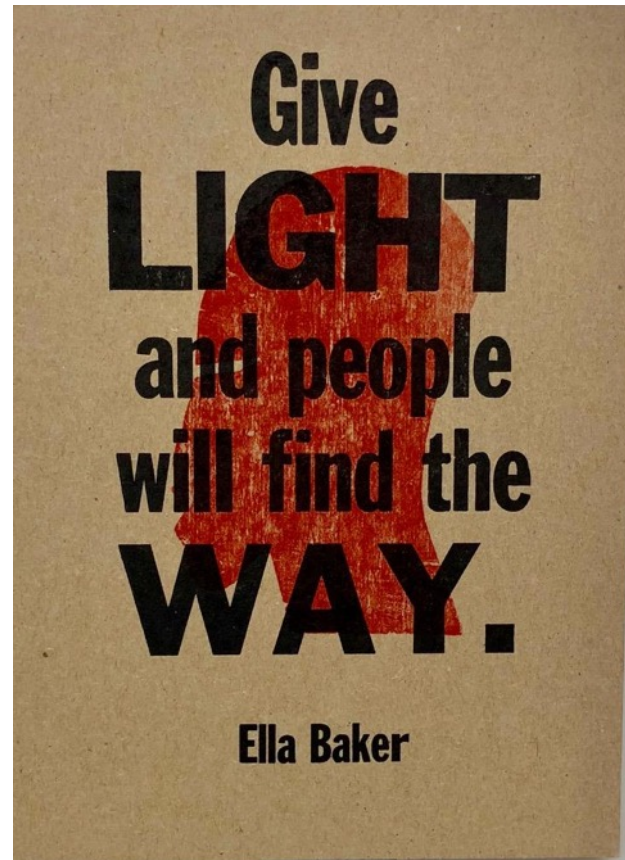
## JAMES BALDWIN—AMOS P.KENNEDY



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# ELLA BAKER—AMOS P. KENNEDY



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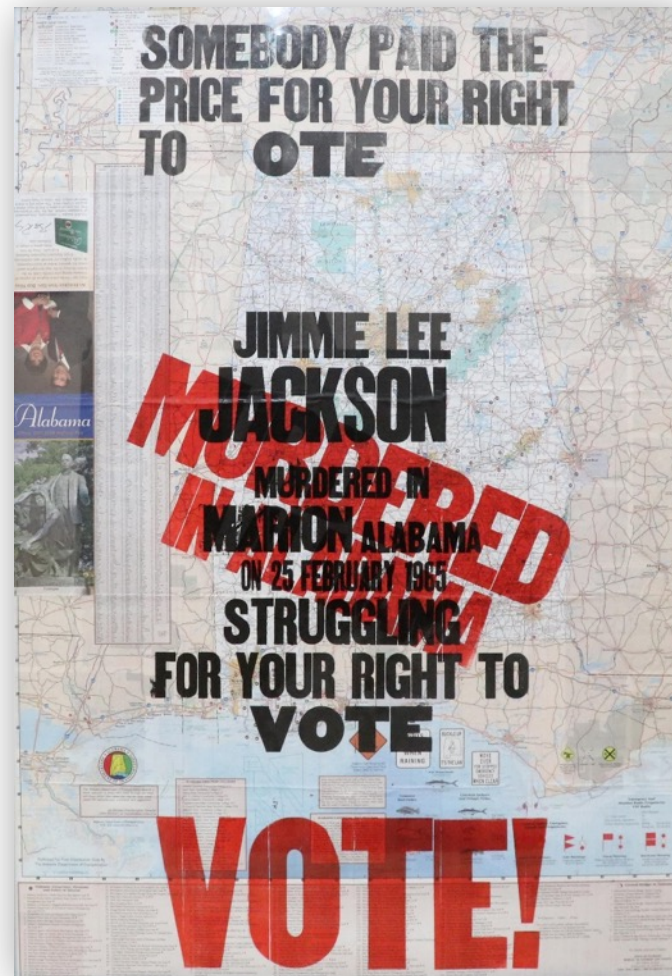
# KEEPS ON ROLLIN' (PAUL ROBESON)—MIRANDA BERGMAN



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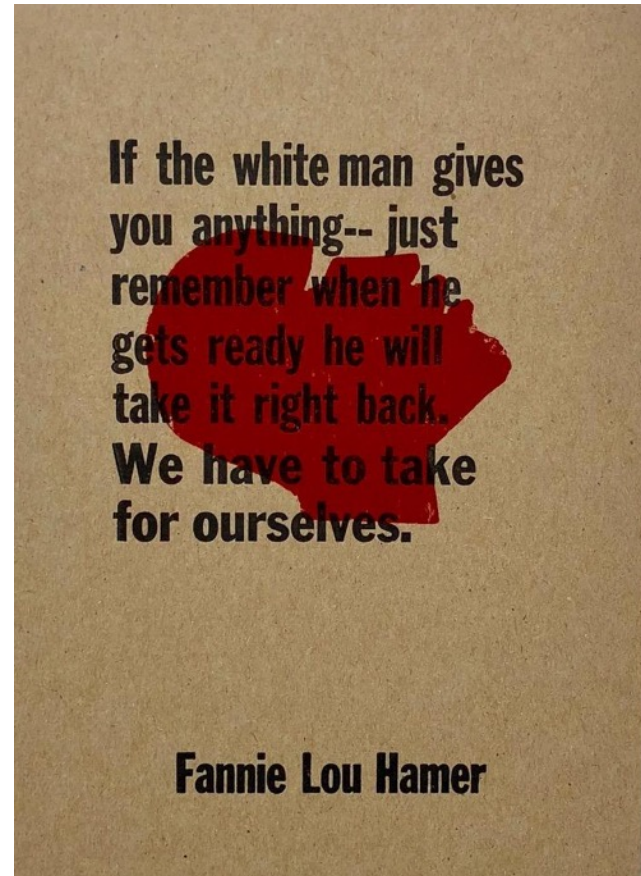


# JIMMY LEE JACKSON--AMOS P. KENNEDY



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# FANNIE LOU HAMER—AMOS P. KENNEDY



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# MALCOLM X—FANTA CELAH



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# MALCOLM X—VICTOR (SHONUFF) HOOVER



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# KILLER CLOTH—PAUL GOODNIGHT



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# 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF BROWN V. BOARD—ROMARE BEARDEN



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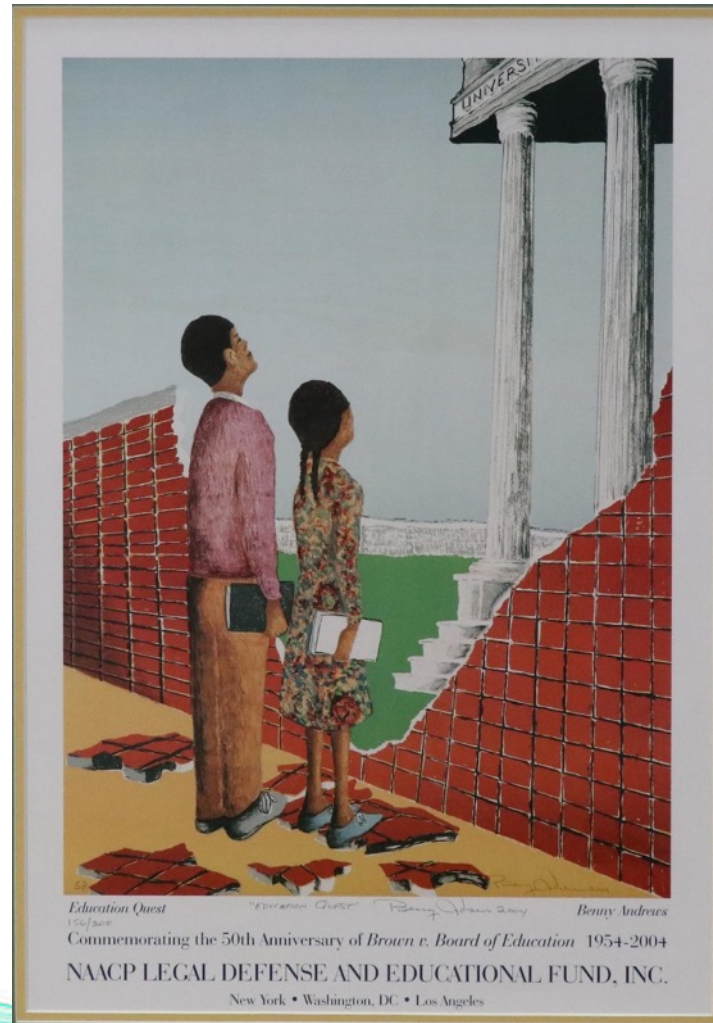


# 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY NAACP LEGAL DEFENSE FUND—JACOB LAWRENCE



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# 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY BROWN V. BOARD—BENNY ANDREWS



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# STARS AND BARS—BILLY MORROW JACKSON



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# TATTOOED MAN-BILLY MORROW JACKSON



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# SOVEREIGN SCARECROW—BILLY MORROW JACKSON



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# PROMETHEUS BALLET—BILLY MORROW JACKSON



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# INFERNAL TRIANGLE—BILLY MORROW JACKSON



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# RIGHT SOCIETY—BILLY MORROW JACKSON



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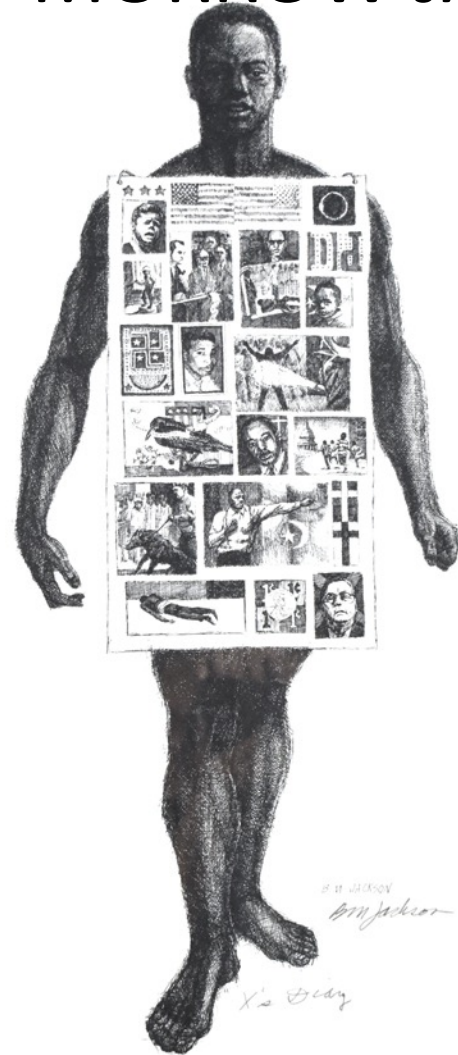


# MERRY KRISTMAS AND PHILADELPHIA



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# X'S DIARY—BILLY MORROW JACKSON (FRONT)



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## X'S DIARY—BILLY MORROW JACKSON (BACK)



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# I REMEMBER BIRMINGHAM—JOHN T. SCOTT



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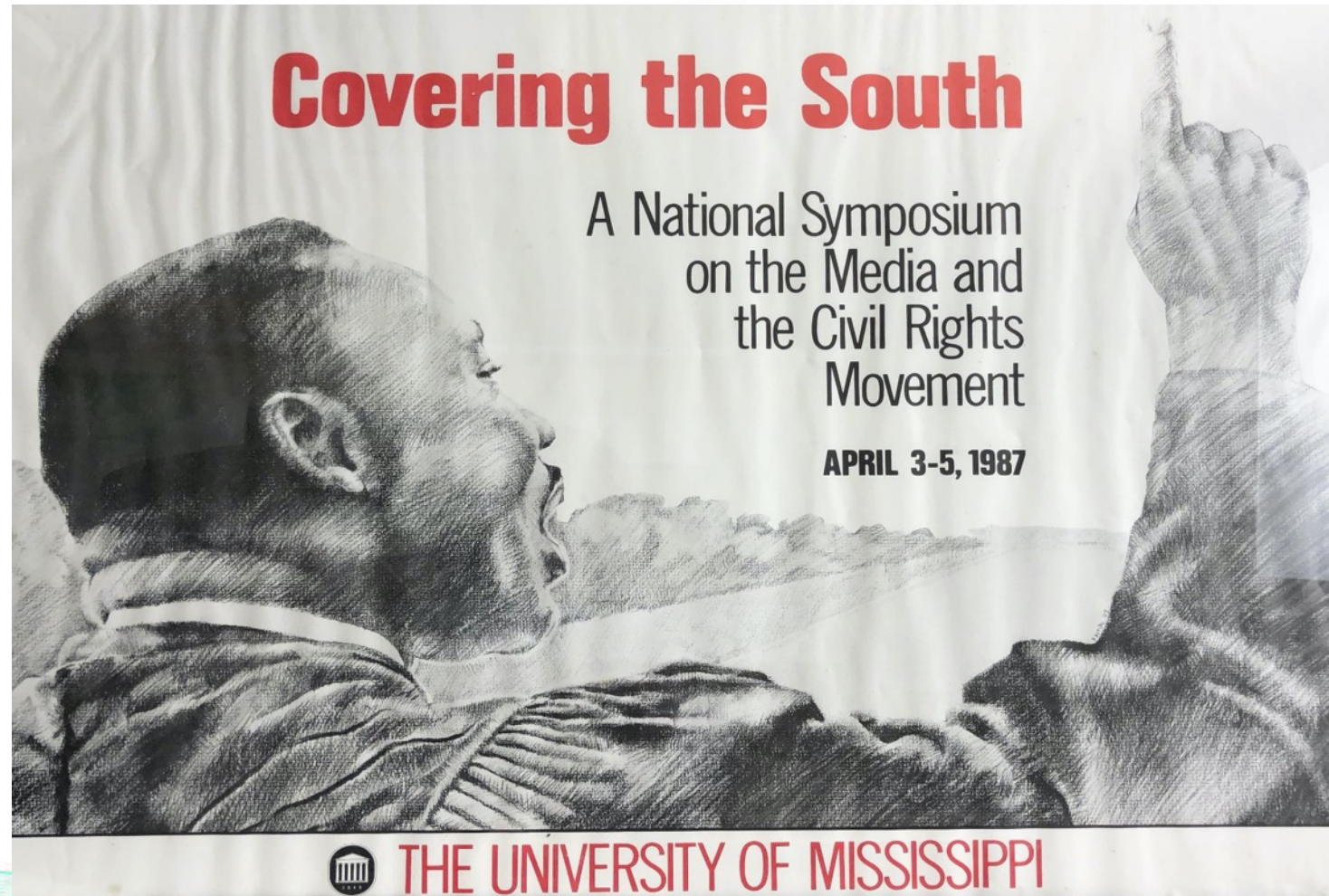


# BLACK POWER 2009—HAROLD SMITH



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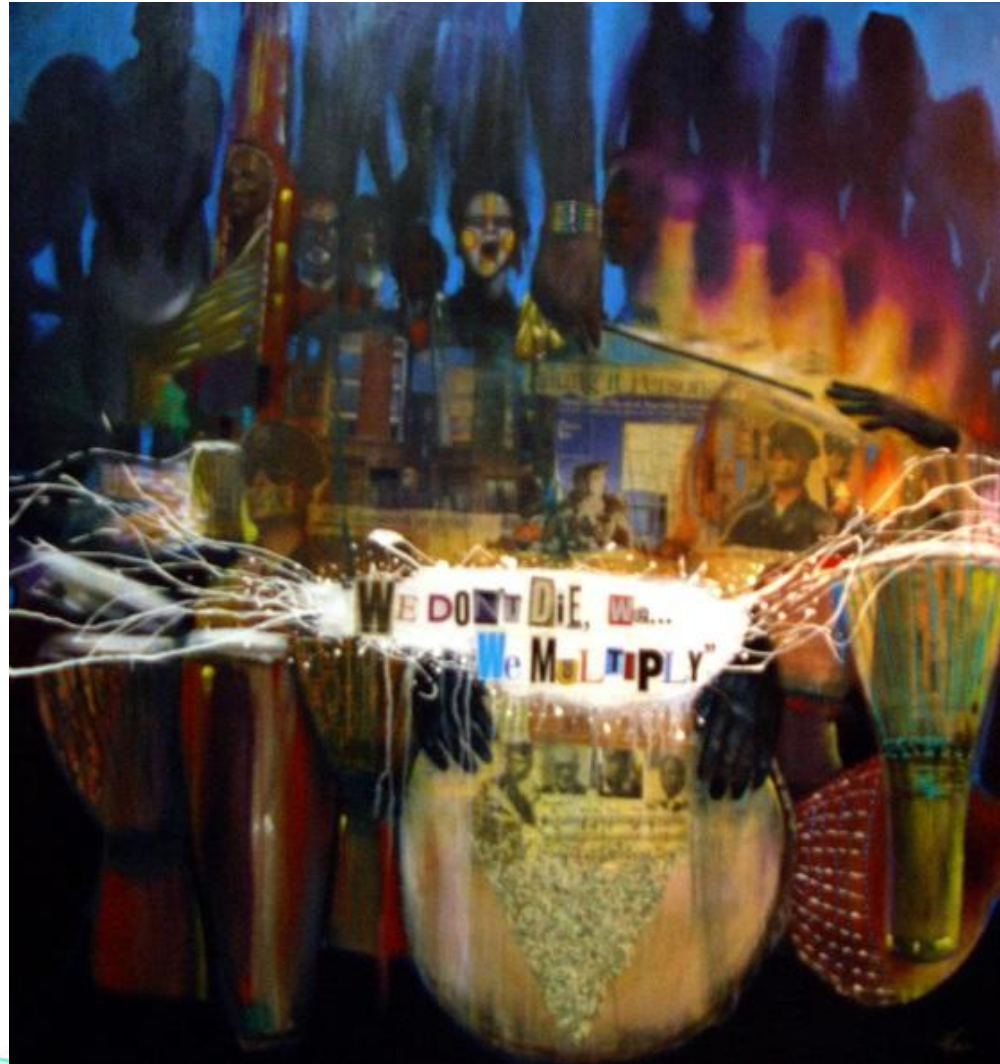
# 25<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY JAMES MEREDITH AT OLE MISS



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# WE DON'T DIE WE MULTIPLY—AL JOHNSON



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# COMING TO JONES ROAD UNDER A BLOOD RED SKY



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# BARACK HUSAIN OBAMA—CHARLY PALMER



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# BODY OF EVIDENCE—HAROLD D. SMITH



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