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Slavery, Politics and the Economy

- Brown, Vincent: *The Reaper's Garden: Death and Power in the World of Atlantic Slavery* 2008, 368 pp
- Jones, Edward P.: *The Known World -* 2004, 338 pp Pulitzer Prize, Oprah selection, bestseller, many awards (slave life)

Modern Civil Rights Movement, the Struggle for Black Freedom; Black Power Movement

- Alexander, Michelle: The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarneration in the Age of Colorblindness- 2012, 312 pp
- Coates, Ta-Nehisi: Between the World and Me 2015, 176 pp (Written in the form of a letter to his teenage son)
- Coates, Ta-Nehisi: We Were Eight Years in Power 2017, 367 pp (New essays on the echoes of Black history in our own time)
- Dyson, Michael Eric: *Tears We Cannot Stop -* 2017, 240 pp ("...one of the most frank and searing discussions on race...a book that talks right to you")
- Joseph, Peniel: *Waiting 'Til the Midnight Hour -* 2007, 432 pp (understanding the Black Power Movement)

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- Gilkes, Cheryl Townsend: If It Wasn't for the Women: Black Women's Experience and Womanist Culture in Church and Community - 2000, 264 pp (collected essays)
- Hooks, Bell: Ain't I a Woman? Black Women and Feminism -1983, or second edition, 2018, 220 pp
- Wallace, Michele: Black Macho and the Myth of a Super Woman - 2015, 372 pp

Some Classics

- Ellison, Ralph: The Invisible Man 1995, 581 pp
- Hurston, Zora Neale: *Their Eyes Were Watching God* -Reissued 2006, 226 pp
- Wheatley, Phillis: Complete Writings compiled by Vincent Carretta, 2001, 272 pp, award winner (a collection of her poetry and letters, plus writings by other black women living in the late 18th century

Suitable also for Young Adult Readers

- Hughes, Langston: *Poetry For Young People* reprint 2006, 48 pp, award winner
- Woodson, Jacqueline: *Brown Girl Dreaming* 2014, 368 pp (a memoir in verse turns a pre-adolescent girl's life into art)