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**Grey House Publishing Announces a Revised Edition of
*Milestone Documents in African American History***

Grey House Publishing is proud to announce an update to its *Milestone Documents* series: the second edition of *Milestone Documents in African American History*. This four-volume work offers a unique and innovative approach the study of America. Combining full-text primary sources with in-depth expert analysis, the 124 entries in the set cover nearly four hundred years of African American history. The set includes primary sources from the time of the arrival of blacks in America in 1619 up to *Cooper v. Harris* in 2017. Documents range from letters and personal narratives to laws and legal cases, from proclamations and petitions to political speeches. The documents are reprinted as they originally appeared and many contain grammatical oddities and unusual spellings peculiar to the time of their writing.

The set is organized chronologically in four volumes:

- Volume 1: 1619–1852
- Volume 2: 1853–1900
- Volume 3: 1901–1964
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Within each volume, entries likewise are arranged chronologically by year.

Each entry in *Milestone Documents in African American History* follows the same structure using the same standardized headings. The entries are divided into two main sections: analysis and document text. Following is the full list of entry headings:

- **Overview** gives a brief summary of the primary source document and its importance in history.
- **Context** places the document in its historical framework.
- **Time Line** chronicles key events surrounding the writing of the document.
- **About the Author** presents a brief biographical profile of the person or persons who wrote the document.
- **Explanation and Analysis of the Document** consists of a detailed examination of the document text, generally in section-by-section or paragraph-by-paragraph format.

- **Audience** discusses the intended audience of the document's author.
- **Impact** examines the historical influence of the document.
- **Questions for Further Study** proposes study questions for students.
- **Essential Quotes** offers a selection of key quotes from the document.
- **Further Reading** lists articles, books, and Web sites for further research.
- **Document Text** gives the actual text of the primary document.
- **Glossary** defines important, difficult, or unusual terms in the document text.

Each entry features the byline of the scholar who wrote the analysis. Readers should note that in most entries the Document Text section includes the full text of the primary source document. In the case of lengthy documents, key portions have been excerpted for analysis.

In addition to the text of the 124 entries, the set includes 138 photographs and illustrations. The front matter of Volume 1 includes the editors' introductions and a "Contributors" list. The back matter of Volume 4 has a section of interest to educators: "Teachers' Activity Guides." The latter comprises nine distinct guides, all of which are tied to the National History Standards and make use of the documents covered in this set. Following the Activity Guides, readers will find an "Index of Documents by Category" and a cumulative "Subject Index."

An excellent resource for high school students in both regular and A.P. history courses, community college students, and American history survey courses for undergraduate college students. In-depth teacher activity guides make the set extremely useful at the classroom level, and every entry includes study questions that assist teachers in engaging students with further research. A groundbreaking approach to primary source documents, with in-depth expert analysis of the court cases, presidential and legislative initiatives, and speeches that tell the story of African American history.

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