

Civil Rights Poems

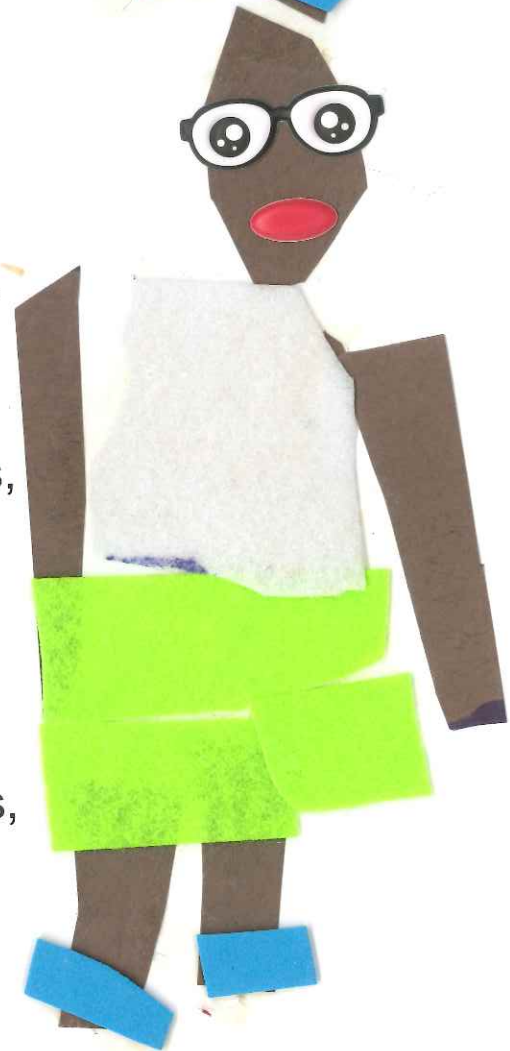
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Civil Rights



We believe in fairness,
They were treated unfairly,
They were treated bad,
They had
separate drinking fountains,
Bathrooms,
Lunch counters,
Schools,
Beaches,
They had whites only signs,
They had whites only
All over the place. . .





They had meetings,
Marches,
Speeches,
They threw cards on
the ground so they
won't shop at the white stores,
These days,
They are treated fairly.



Rosa Parks



Rosa was getting on the bus,
Rosa found a seat
Soon the bus driver said get out of the seat,
She said, "No."
She did not get up from her seat,
He called the police,
Then the police came,
She said no when the police said get up,
Then she went to jail,
People stopped riding the bus for 381 days,
Then the law changed,
Black people could sit where they wanted.
She stood up for all.

Courage

(a song)



Ruby Bridges

Was going to a

Whites only school,

There was no one to

Play with,

Ruby Bridges

Did not care that there was

No people there to play with,

She was brave and

She was good in school.

Justice



Deliver justice,
Be brave,
Stand up for yourself,
Be polite,
Be loving,
Be kind,
Be friendly,
Be fair,
Deliver justice.