







Frederick Douglass

NYC Draft Riots

Harlem Living Landmark Martin Luther King, Jr. on L.I.

Black History Month, February 2016

(Some Readings, Viewings & Listenings, with a NYS or Local Focus)

General

- Black History Month (Long Island Browser)
- From Slave to Citizen: The African American Experience in New York, 1827-1872 (New York State. Hall of Governors)
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Abolitionism

See also Brown, John

Civil War, 1861-1865

Douglass, Frederick

Garnett, Henry Highland

Manumissions

New York State Colonization Society

Port Washington, NY

Slavery – L.I.

Slavery – New York (State)

Smith, Gerit

Truth, Sojourner

Tubman, Harriet

Underground Railroad – L.I.

Underground Railroad - New York, NY

Underground Railroad – New York (State)

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Armstron, Louis, Jr.

• Louis Armstrong (MAAP: Mapping the African American Past)

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Civil Rights

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Eastville, NY

See Sag Harbor

Fort Salonga, NY

See Washington, Booker T.

Freetown, NY

• <u>Freetown</u> (MAAP: Mapping the African American Past)

Garden City, NY & Hempstead, NY]

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Hammon, Jupiter

See also Lloyd Neck

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Huntington, NY

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Lloyd Neck

See also Hammon, Jupiter

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See Toby

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