

HAPPY 105TH, MRS. JACKSON!



(l to r) Jewel Stevens, Dawn Richburg Bishop, Rev. Pamela Richburg Riveria, Odessa Powell Jackson

AUSTIN, TX - Mrs. Odessa Powell Jackson was born April 5, 1912 in Bastrop, County to parents Frank and Lizzie Powell. She is a member of Vision of Hope A.M.E. Church, 4711 Delores Avenue, Austin, TX. 78721, and Rev. Dr. Mark Washington is her Pastor. Mrs. Jackson goes to St. John Virginia Brown Community Center and loves playing dominoes.

She loves God, her family and her church. Mrs. Jackson represents six generations with one daughter, two granddaughters, and four great-great grandchildren. Mrs. Jackson lives with her daughter Jewel Stevens and her granddaughters are Dawn Richburg Bishop of Dallas, Texas and Rev. Pamela Richburg Riveria of Waco, Texas.



Barbara Williams

Congressman John Lewis was unable to attend his scheduled appearance at the University of Texas at Austin on March 24, 2017. His Co-author and Art Illustrator stood in for him and conversed about their acclaimed Graphic Memoir "MARCH".

I was able to purchase a boxed set of the trilogy and get the three books signed. My Review is on Book One of the Set.

MARCH is a Graphic Memoir Novel written in three books. Graphic illus-

Barbara's Book Bag

trations and print are done in black and white. It's written in comic book style. Congressman John Lewis, one of the few Civil Rights Icons alive, who can tell the story of the Movement first hand. He focuses on the NASHVILLE STUDENT MOVEMENT and their Lunch Counter Non - Violent Sit-In Campaigns. Lewis also flashes back on his younger life and experiences and contrasts it with President Obamas terms in office. Book One is an easy read for both the young and mature reader. It is an important book that brings the Civil Rights Movement alive for new generations. I loved the Book and although I am a product of those times I learned many new things. This book is very, very important. It should be in every

MARCH by Congressman John Lewis gets 5 Stars out of 5



home, school, church and public Library. MARCH has won The National Book Award of Young People's Literature, 2016. Highly recommended.

(A Review of Book Two and Book Three will appear in this Column later in the year).

Join Us!

Council Member Ora Houston and her staff would like you to join us at the District #1 Town Hall. Everyone is invited to participate. Light refreshments will be served.

The Town Hall will be held on April 29, 2016 at the Hope Lutheran Church, 6414 N. Hampton Drive from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. We will be hosting the Austin Code Department and the Austin Police Department. The Code Department will be sharing the new process for licensing and inspecting boarding homes. Representatives from the Austin Police Department who serve in District #1 will be sharing information to help you stay safe in your community.

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 --- Martin Luther
 Romans 5:1 Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ

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