



BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2023

*Love a Black man from infinity to infinity.
Love a Black woman from infinity to infinity.
You gotta let 'em know.*

We're grieving yet again for the senseless murder of a Black American, **Tyre Nichols**, a man who beautifully exemplified **Black Boy Joy**.

But for as much as we sorrow, we strive to overcome and overjoy in greater abundance.

Our theme this year for Black History Month is "U-N-I-T-Why: The Black Experience." This theme affords us the opportunity to truly go beyond the typical Black History Month experience by putting the reason for the season into action. This is beyond observance. We will immerse ourselves in representations of pride, passion, and artistic performance of and within Black cultural experience, centered in celebration. Through this immersion, we can sympathize and recognize the effect and affect of American history and culture as Black history and culture. How Black folx have touched and had loud or quiet omnipresence in the world you know and love. To learn to see and love the person in addition to the product. To humanize the experience. To come together and share in joy.

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This is why.*