

Rosa Parks

In these paragraphs I'm going to be talking about Rosa Parks. All the details are going to come from the story I read. These details are going to talk about Rosa Parks and her life. It will also show what I have learned about Rosa Parks. Everything will be specific. Let's keep going.

Rosa Parks was born on February 4, 1913. She was born in Tuskegee, Alabama. Her full name is Rosa Louise McCauley Parks. Rosa Parks mother's name is Leona McCauley and her father's name is James McCauley. Rosa Parks parents were farmers. This is how it started.

Rosa Parks was a women that was brave and she refused to move out of her seat. One day she was in a bus. Rosa Parks noticed that there was a lot of white people and also did the bus driver

noticed. The bus driver had told her that she has to move out of her seat because there was a lot of white people that was standing on the aisle. If a African American didn't move out their seats, the bus driver will call the police so they can move them. The bus driver had said that only white people should sit in the front while the African American should sit in the back. This is how it began.

When the bus driver said that ALL African American should sit in the back, Rosa Parks sat in the front and refused to sit in the back. The bus driver also told the African American to give their seats to any white people. Three of the other passengers on Rosa's bus obeyed with the bus driver, but Rosa Parks refused and remained seated. Since, Rosa Parks didn't move out of her seat they arrested her on December 5, 1955. With most of the African American community not riding a bus, organizers believed a longer avoid might me successful. This is how it went.

Rosa Parks had went to court. The judge told Rosa Parks that she was guilty. They told her she was guilty for violating a local ordinance.

People were encouraged to stay home from work and school, take a cab or walk. Since African-American didn't ride a bus, organizers believed boycott might be successful. This was happened during Rosa Parks getting arrested.

Rosa Parks was suffering in the months of her arrest. When she was arrested she lost her department job. Her husband also got fired for talking about her in their legal case. He was unable to find a job. Rosa Parks and her mom, went to Detroit Michigan. Rosa Parks made a new life for herself. She was working as a secretary. She also served on the board of the Planned Parenthood.

Now I'm going to talk about "Rosa Parks and Outkast". In 1998, hip-hop group Outkast released a song, "Rosa Parks," which shot up to the top 100

on the Billboard music charts the following year.

In 1999, Rosa Parks filed a lawsuit against the group and its label alleging defamation. In 2003, a judge dismissed the defamation claims.

On April 14, 2005, the case was settled. Rosa Parks played making American a better place of all races.

Rosa Parks received many privilege during her lifetime. On September 9, 1996, president Bill Clinton awarded Rosa Parks the Presidential Medal of Freedom. The next year she was awarded, the Congressional Gold Medal. In 2000, Troy created the Rosa Parks Museum. On February 4, 2013 it was Rosa Parks 100th birthday. Now I'm going to talk about Rosa Parks death.

On October 24, 2005, Rosa Parks was 92 she quietly died in her apartment in Detroit, Michigan. She was diagnosed with dementia, which she has be suffering since 2002. Her death

was marked by several memorial service. 50,000 people had viewed her casket. After her death, the chapel was renamed the *Rosa L. Parks Freedom Chapel*. *Rosa Parks* was interred between her husband and her mother.

I have talked about *Rosa Parks* and her lifetime. I had learned a lot about her. I really enjoyed learning more about her. At first I didn't know about this. I really liked writing about her because I learned more things I didn't know. I learned that she was a leader and that she wasn't scare. This encourage me that people shouldn't talk about other people just because their skin color or from the places they come from. Now in this day Black, white, and hispanic people are going to the same school and doing the same things everybody does.

I hope you guys follow the good choices that she had done. Never be rases. I hope you are brave and follow the right path. Who cares of what

*other people say. Never be afraid to make the
correct decisions. I hope you learned more about
her just like I did.*