**Suggested Reading -Understanding Impact of Racism**

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NOTE: This list is not intended to be exhaustive, but represents literature and media that friends I’ve met these last few months considered eye opening and a guide to being an ally.

“CASTE: The Origins of Our Discontent” by Isabel Wilkerson

Jane Elliott's : Blue eyes, Brown eyes experiment (Video)

“White Fragility” by Robin Diangelo

“United Shades of America” (Television Series): A Cable News Network (CNN) American documentary television series starring comedian W. Kamau Bell. Bell visits communities across America to explore race based sub-cultures.

Jane Elliot

“Me and White Supremacy” by Layla Saad

“The Warmth of Other Suns” by Isabel Wilkerson

“The Strange Career of Jim Crowe” by C. Vann Woodward

“The Color of Law” by Richard Rothstein

“How to be an Antiracist” by Ibrahim X. Kendi

“White Rage: The Unspoken Truth of Our Racial Divide” by Carol Anderson

“Across the Bridge: A Vision for Change and the Future of America” by John Lewis

“Vernon Can Read! : A Memoir” by Annette Gordon-Reed and Vernon Jordan

“So You Want to Talk about Race” by Ijeoma Oluo.

“The Hate U Give” by Angie Thomas

“Post Traumatic Slave Syndrome: America’s Legacy of Enduring Injury and Healing” by Dr. Joy Degruy