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Q & A with Author Michael Ward - Wednesday, 2/23

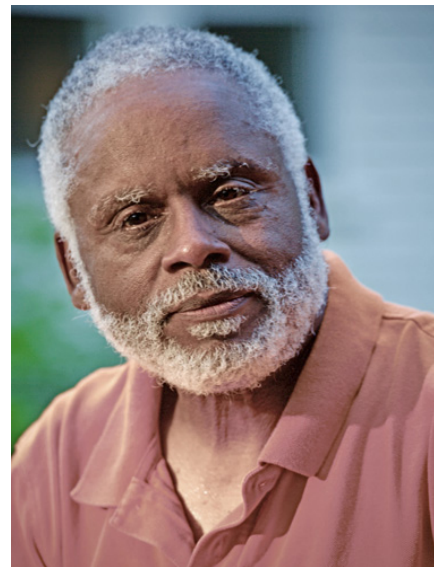
Our Q & A Zoom session with local author, Michael Ward is Wednesday, February 23rd. Participants can ask questions about his stories from "A Colored Man in Exeter" and hear firsthand about his family's experiences.

If you haven't requested your free book, there's still time!

We've pre-purchased copies of Michael Ward's book, "A Colored Man in Exeter."

To request a free copy, email

dave.bastien@moorecenter.org and you'll receive a link to download a pre-purchased Kindle version. You don't need to have a Kindle book reader. You can use the Kindle app on any device.



Q & A with Michael Ward Event Info:

When: Wed 2/23/2022 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Where: <https://zoom.us/j/96238643867?>

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Meeting ID: 962 3864 3867

Passcode: 764829

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From NPR: The Story Behind Black History Month

Here's the story behind Black History Month — and why it's celebrated in February

Every February, the U.S. honors the contributions and sacrifices of African Americans who have helped shape the nation. Black History Month celebrates the rich cultural heritage, triumphs and adversities that are an indelible part of our country's history.



This year's theme, Black Health and Wellness, pays homage to medical scholars and health care

providers. The theme is especially timely as we enter the third year of the COVID-19 pandemic, which has disproportionately affected minority communities and placed unique burdens on Black health care professionals.

"There is no American history without African American history," said Sara Clarke Kaplan, executive director of the Antiracist Research & Policy Center at American University in Washington, D.C. The Black experience,

she said, is embedded in "everything we think of as 'American history.' "
([Read the full story here](#))

[Read the full story at NPR](#)

Inspire New Hampshire: Catalyzing Relationships Across Difference



Join the **Endowment for Health** and their partner-in-community, **Marnita's Table**, for **Inspire New Hampshire: Catalyzing Relationships Across Difference**, a digital Intentional Social Interaction series to inspire authentic connection, trust, and peer-to-peer engagement throughout New Hampshire.

This event is free, and dinner or a gift card is provided for your household if you RSVP.

From the Endowment for Health:

The Marnita's Table team are experts at social capital building, having welcomed almost 100,000 people from around the world and around the way to find common ground while breaking bread – in person or online. They bring people together to create meaningful change and more equitable systems.

Get ready to leverage our collective energy to collaboratively motivate and sustain statewide inclusion and belonging across our state. From urban to

rural, oldest to youngest, we will bridge differences across ethnicity, political ideology and other means of self-identity across New Hampshire. Together we will begin to cultivate a joyful and civically engaged community of practice.

What to Expect

Expect to be enlivened and engaged as we come together in community to share our experiences, catalyze connections across difference and support one another. If you know someone who would add and receive value through their participation, feel free to invite them to join you. Together, we'll build excitement throughout the community, foster connections, belonging and relationships across difference in order to begin a sustainable community trust-making process.

Join us for one or more events -- all from 6:00 to 8:30 pm!

Thursday, February 24th,
Wednesday, March 9th,
Thursday, March 24th or
Wednesday, March 30th

Reserve your spot by filling out the RSVP through the link below.

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