

Long Time Coming™

Share your family's story with the StoryCorps app

(www.storycorps.org)

Dear **LONG TIME COMING** player,

We are pleased to announce that we are now working with StoryCorps, the national storytelling and archiving project, to continue the sharing of our history beyond the time limit of the documentary film. We hope that you will help us kick start this project by becoming a lead story! StoryCorps broadcast a chosen story every Friday morning on NPR.

Our goal is to encourage all LONG TIME COMING viewers to contribute to our ongoing story of civil rights in America. To participate, have a young family member or friend interview you using the StoryCorps app (see below for details). Please consider participating, your story contribution will help us get this unique project off the ground!

Every story shared using the StoryCorps app will be posted on LONG TIME COMING social media channels, and archived at the Library of Congress in Washington, DC as part of the American Folk Life Collection. **Thank you!**

It's really easy! Just follow these instructions:

1. Download the StoryCorps app: bit.ly/storycorpsdownload
2. Sign up in the app, fill in your information or choose to sign up through facebook
3. Tap the plus in the top right corner of the app to prepare an interview
4. Add an Interview Title, your questions and your interview partner
5. Record your interview
6. Add an interview photo
7. Fill in the description
8. Under the keyword option, add MyLTCStory
9. Save and Publish!

Choose any one, or more of the questions below:

- What was it like for you, growing up in Florida during integration? Was there someone who was particularly kind to you, who helped you deal with the pressures of the time? If they were here now, what would you say to them?
- Are there any positive and/or negative moments or memories from that time in your life that shaped who you are today?
- Is your life different than how you imagined it would be when you were young? If so, how? What advise would you say to your 12-year old self?
- Is there a story about an event or challenge in your life that you would like to share with young people today?
- What would you like to say to your future generations, knowing that they may hear this recording? What would you like them to know about your life, your family, that could be helpful in navigating their life challenges?