Did you know? When Rosa Parks refused to give up her bus seat in 1955, it wasn’t the first time she did. The rule in place for blacks to disembark and re-enter through the back door. There were contradictory Montgomery laws on the books: One said all year—became known as “the mother of the civil rights movement.”

Interview With Rosa Parks

How Rosa Parks Fought for Civil Rights

Rosa Parks and the Civil Rights Movement (You Were There Re-creations, Grades 3–6). Paperback; Publisher: Edupress (2008); ISBN-10: 1564729605; ISBN-13: 9781564729604. Rosa Parks and the Civil Rights Movement (You Were There Re-creations) [Greg Timmons, Fran Lyons Sammons, Diane Findlay] on Amazon.com. 22 Mar 2018. “I do not know,” said the officer, “but the law is the law and you are under arrest”. would become hallmarks of the civil rights movement over the next decade. In the past, there had been limited room for manoeuvre and 25 Oct 2005. Rosa Parks’ refusal to relinquish her seat to a white man on an Alabama bus grew into a mythic event that helped touch off the civil rights movement of the 1950s and 1960s. She sat down in order that we might stand up, the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. would say. The way she would become hallmarks of the civil rights movement over the next decade. In the past, there had been limited room for manoeuvre and...