



NEWS RELEASE
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: July 2, 2020
Contact: Sarah Morrison, Librarian
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Re: No Waiting for Two Black Lives Matter Titles
Attachments: *BLM_BothTitles2.jpg*

North Olympic Library System (NOLS) patrons can immediately borrow and read two eTitles, honoring Black Lives Matter, with no waiting. NOLS readers can access the eBook, *Me and White Supremacy: Combat Racism, Change the World, and Become a Good Ancestor* through July 13, and the eAudiobook, *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness* through July 14. These titles are available with no waiting list during this time. NOLS readers can participate by visiting anytime.overdrive.com or downloading the Libby app. For assistance accessing eMaterial, fill out the form at nols.org/technology-appointments to set up an appointment with NOLS staff.

Me and White Supremacy: Combat Racism, Change the World, and Become a Good Ancestor by Layla F Saad is a New York Times bestseller published in January 2020. It is based on the viral #meandwhitesupremacy Instagram challenge and provides a framework for readers to dismantle the privilege within themselves.

Michelle Alexander's New York Times bestseller *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness* was named one of the Most Influential Books of the Last 20 Years by the Chronicle of Higher Education and winner of the NAACP Image Award for Nonfiction,

Alexander's critically acclaimed book examines racial disparities through the lens of mass incarceration.

OverDrive



The advertisement features a gold background. On the left, a tablet displays the cover of 'Me and White Supremacy' by Layla F. Saadi, with a quote from Elizabeth Gilbert. Next to it, a Samsung smartphone shows the Libby app interface with 'The New Jim Crow' by Michelle Alexander. On the right, the text 'Black Lives Matter: Community Read' is displayed in white, followed by 'Borrow with no holds or wait lists!' and the Libby logo. Below the logo is the text 'The one-tap reading app from our library.'

Black Lives Matter: Community Read

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*Read and listen to two titles through Washington Anytime library, with no waitlist.
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