

TEACHER RESOURCE 1

SONG LIST FOR THE GROUP ACTIVITY

- 1. "Black, Brown and White," Big Bill Broonzy (c. 1946)
- 2. "Strange Fruit," Abel Meeropol (1939)
- 3. "Death of Emmett Till," Bob Dylan (1963)
- 4. "Too Many Martyrs," Phil Ochs and Bob Gibson (1963)
- 5. "Freedom Riders," Phil Ochs (1962-63)
- 6. "The Lonesome Death of Hattie Carroll," Bob Dylan (1964)
- 7. "Say It Loud (I'm Black and I'm Proud)," James Brown (1968)
- "This Little Light of Mine," Harry Dixon Loes (c. 1920; this became an anthem of the civil rights movement of the 1950s and 1960s)
- "Oh Freedom," unknown (post Civil War), sung by Odetta 1956 and Joan Baez in 1963
- 10. "People Get Ready," Curtis Mayfield (1965)
- 11. "A Change is Gonna Come," Sam Cooke (written in 1963, first released in 1964)
- 12. "If I Had a Hammer," Pete Seeger and Lee Hays (1949)

Many of the songs listed here and others were performed at the White House in 2010 as part of Black History Month. Students may choose to visit the PBS website and watch the performances: <u>http://www.pbs.org/inperformanceatthewhitehouse/shows/civil-rights/</u>.