

Dear Reader,

Take your time with this project.

Read each piece carefully, with an open mind.

Understand that with Blackness comes great beauty but also great pain.

This project captures some of the many injustices against our people.

We hope the words you are about to read make you want to join the fight  
against these injustices.

And we ask that you do.

This project is not a cry for help. It is a call to action.

Will you answer?

Sincerely,

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