Black Freedom and the American Revolution

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From the start, people of African descent contributed to the cause of freedom in the American Revolution, playing key roles in such catalytic events as the Boston Massacre and the Battle of Bunker Hill. They fought and struggled on both sides of the conflict, pursuing their literal independence from enslavement and prejudice. In the aftermath of the war, Black Americans would demand that the new nation live up to its principles and embrace equal rights for all. We continue, in the present, to heed their call.

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