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Widening the Circle

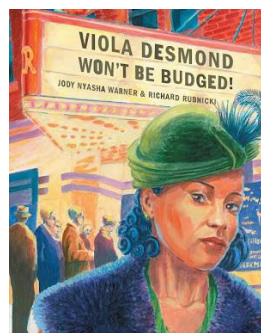
Family Faith Formation

Family Story

Viola Desmond Won't Be Budged, by Jody Nyasha Warner, Illustrations by Richard Rudnicki

In 1946 when Viola Desmond was told that she had to move her seat from the main floor to the balcony because of her race, she refused to move to the upstairs area. The police took her to jail and fined her, but her actions inspired others.

Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a-RS_gnKtpQ



After reading the book, take time to have a family conversation about what you would do if you were in the movie theatre when this took place.

Family Activities

Learn about Black UU's

Black Lives of UU's teach-in resources include stories of four Unitarians and Universalists born in the 19th century who lived into the 20th: Lewis McGee, Frances Ellen Watkins Harper, Fannie Barrier Williams, and Annie B. Jordan Willis. With each story are questions and **activities** to further connect with these figures and what their achievements mean for us today.

<https://www.uuteachin.org/copy-of-teachin2-education-child-yo>

Family Movie

Coco's rich visual pleasures are matched by a thoughtful narrative that takes a family-friendly -- and deeply affecting -- approach to questions of culture, family, life, and death.

