

African Burial Ground

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Dr. Carter G. Woodson Centennial Celebration

Saturday January 23, 2016
1:00PM

Historian and author Carter Woodson was among the first scholars to study African-American history. The Journal of African American History, formerly The Journal of Negro History, was founded by Dr. Carter G. Woodson in January 1916. In our run up to African American History Month, join us as we celebrate the legacy of “the father of black history.”

As the National Park Service simultaneously celebrates our centennial, African Burial Ground National Monument invites you and your family to visit and take part as poet and performer David Mills leads a poetry workshop infused with the rich history and legacy of Dr. Woodson.



Plan Your Visit

The event will take place at African Burial Ground National Monument, located on the first floor of 290 Broadway in lower Manhattan, two blocks north of City Hall.

African Burial Ground National Monument visitor center is open Tuesday through Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm. The memorial is currently closed for the winter season. It will reopen March 1, 2016. The visitor center and memorial are closed on Thanksgiving and Christmas Day.

The event is free and open to the public, however space is limited.

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