

ABPsi's Commentary on Donald Sterling's Racist Remarks

"It becomes more necessary to see the truth as it is...." ~ Steve Biko (1978)

The Association of Black Psychologists sees the alleged racist comments by NBA owner Donald Sterling as yet another of the persistent and pernicious examples of efforts to dehumanize and invalidate Black life, rights and dignity.

The killings of Trayvon Martin and Jordan Davis, and the prosecution of Marissa Alexander, the rollback of protections under the Voting Rights Act, the upholding of Michigan's ban on affirmative action, and these most recent comments are part and parcel of the continued assaults against the life and dignity of persons of African ancestry.

Many of these challenges stem from a common source – the ongoing and continuous disregard for and denial of the validity of Black folks' humanity: *the Lie of Black inferiority*.

Thus, we invite all African/Black people to join our efforts to ***Defy the Lie of Black Inferiority and Embrace the Truth of Black Humanity*** and join the movement for the emotional emancipation of Black people. Take the pledge – Defy the Lie and Embrace the Truth!

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