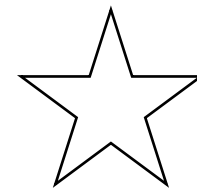


# What U.S. Presidents Thought About Race



“Nothing is more certainly written in the book of fate than that these people [slaves] are to be free. Nor is it less certain that the two races, equally free, cannot live in the same government.”

**(President Thomas Jefferson, 1821)**

“To be consistent with existing and probably unalterable prejudices in the United States, the freed blacks ought to be permanently removed beyond the region occupied by, or allotted to, a white population.”

**(President James Madison, 1819)**

*[The American Colonization Society (ACS) was founded in 1816 by Henry Clay to free the slaves and then “colonize” (repatriate) them back to Africa. Supporters included Winfield Scott, Daniel Webster, Francis Scott Key, James Monroe, and Andrew Jackson. Throughout the Civil War and until his assassination, President Lincoln himself supported negro repatriation as well.]*

“I will say then that I am not, nor ever have been, in favor of bringing about in any way the social and political equality of the white and black races, that I am not nor ever have been in favor of making voters or jurors of negroes, nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor to intermarry with white people.” (1858.) “Our republican system was meant for a homogeneous people. As long as the Negroes continued to live with the whites they would constitute a threat to the national life.” (1862)

**(President Abraham Lincoln)**

“This is a country for white men, and by God, as long as I am President, it shall be a government for white men.”

**(President Andrew Johnson, 1866)**

“I am strongly of the opinion that negroes ought to be in Africa, yellow men in Asia and white men in Europe and America.”

**(President Harry Truman, 1911)**

“In the matter of Chinese and Japanese coolie immigration I stand for the national policy of exclusion... Oriental coolieism will give us another race problem to solve, and surely we have had our lesson.”

**(President Woodrow Wilson, 1912)**

“Racial amalgamation there cannot be.”

**(President Warren Harding, 1921)**

“America must be kept American.”

**(President Calvin Coolidge, 1923)**

“It’s gonna come out: the fact that Asians are capable of governing themselves... we Caucasians have learned it...The Latins do it in a miserable way, but they do it. But the Africans just can’t run things.”

**(President Richard Nixon, 1971)**

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The United States was 90 percent white in 1960. Then, the 1965 Hart-Celler Act began an accidental immigration wave that will make the U.S. less than 50 percent white by 2050. The American people never consented to that. They were never asked. They never voted on it.

When elites celebrate the coming “minority-majority America,” they are effectively saying America will be better-off with fewer whites. A look at Brazil, Haiti, and Detroit suggests: *perhaps not*.

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