Readings for BLACK & REFORMED IN AMERICA

Henry Highland Garnet

"An Address to the Slaves of the United States," 1843 (address to the National Negro Convention)

"Let the Monster Perish," February 2, 1865 (address to the US Congress)

Francis Grimke

Memorial Sermon for Frederick Douglass (1895)

"God and the Race Problem" ("discourse" delivered at the 15th St. Presbyterian Church in Washington, D.C. in 1903)

"Fifty Years of Freedom" ("discourse" delivered before the Presbyterian Council in Baltimore, Md. in 1913)

Gayraud Wilmore

Black Religion and Black Radicalism (1970, multiple later editions)

Pragmatic Spirituality—The Christian Faith Through an Africentric Lens (2004)

Katie Geneva Cannon

Black Womanist Ethics (1988)

Katie's Canon—Womanism and the Soul of the Black Community (1996, expanded edition 2021)

Black Theology

Cone, James H. Black Theology and Black Power (1969)

_____. A Black Theology of Liberation (1970, multiple later editions, including a 25th anniversary edition with supplementary commentary by Gay Wilmore, among others)

All the entries from Garnet and Grimke are available in the online collection provided by the Dead Presbyterians Society in its "Log College Press."

The novelist on whose work Katie Canon based much of her early work is Zora Neale Hurston.