



LONE STAR JUSTICE ALLIANCE

Documentary Video Response: *The Uncomfortable Truth*

What does Loki Mulholland say are the reasons that he is making this film?

Loki says he met Luvagh्न during the 50th anniversary of the Freedom Rides in Jackson, Mississippi. What does Luvagh्न say to Loki that “jumps out” at him? What was your reaction to what Luvagh्न said? Was it similar or different to Loki’s reaction?

From 1789 to 1850, what percentage of the United States Presidents owned slaves? How many owned slaves while serving as President?

Luvagh्न speaks about the Ferguson, Watts, and King riots. What does he say about these riots? What do they all have in common? Explain.

Loki explains that whites and blacks commit crimes at roughly the same rate, but says that arrest rates differ drastically. He maps out an example using a population size of 100,000 white and black males in America. How many of these white males are in state or federal prison? Black males? Why is this an issue? Explain.

After watching the film and learning about Joan Trumpauer Mulholland reflect on these questions. Who was Joan, and what was she known for? What impact(s) did she make on our world today?

As Loki created this film and narrates, he discovers a lot about his mother, Joan. What are some of the things he learns about his mother and their family's history?

If you could ask Joan Trumpauer Mulholland one question, what would it be, and why?

