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**Who is your hero?** Thurgood Marshall. He was the first African-American Supreme Court justice and led the team that won *Brown vs. Board of Education*.

**What does Black History Month mean to you?** It is an occasion for me to talk about aspects of my cultural heritage with my children. It is also an occasion to reflect on my personal history and its connection to the broader history of Africans in America.

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