

AGBM.com

A goodblackman.com (AGBM) is an actual web site on The Internet at: www.agoodblackman.com.



This site was conceived, designed, created and launched (and continues to be maintained) by author/entrepreneur, D. Anne Browne in response to the criticism, "there are no good black men."

The motivation behind the construction of this site is to first, silence the critics. Second, it is to provide a place on the planet for Black males to go where they will not be criticized unkindly, persecuted unjustly or judged unfairly.

AGBM.com places a great deal of emphasis on the history of people of African descent. We do this because we recognize how important it is to re-educate ourselves. We believe that we must reconcile ourselves with the past in order to understand the present and prepare for the future.

AGBM.com wants to hear about and from the countless numbers of Black males out there who have devoted their lives to building strong communities, families and relationships. We want to help those Black males who have positive messages to convey.

So, if you have a funny, touching, thought provoking, positive story to tell about your brother, husband, son, friend or self, we want to hear it. We want to celebrate it.

What We're About

AGBM.com is all about exploring, honoring, uplifting and celebrating the Black male. This web site is about and for Black men. However, we welcome feedback from women if the feedback is in support of Black males. This is not a forum for male bashing or for perpetuating harmful stereotypes about Black male. Instead, it is a place of hope, healing and love. Black males of all ages, shades, and stations of life will find peace and sanctuary at this web site.

In addition, AGBM.com is a resource for A Good Black Man, Inc. -- the non-profit organization committed to using technology (through its Legacy of Excellence Program) as a tool to help 11-13 year old African American males with developing a clear sense of their attributes, talents, goals and attitudes to enhance their self-image, self-esteem and character.

All of the folks at **AGBM.com** are on a mission. That mission is to restore as many Black men as possible to their original positions of greatness. To this end, we operate on the premise that a good Black man is **not** hard to find. He's been right here all along, waiting for us to re-discover him!



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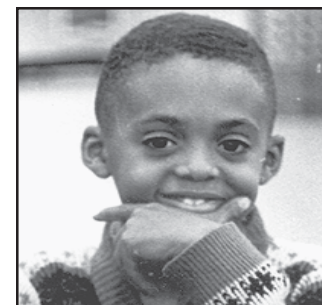
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Our mission is also to provide a global forum to dispel the myth that “there are no good Black men” by creating a safe haven void of the unkind criticism, persecution and degradation sadly too often seen in the media and society-at-large.

Through our Legacy of Excellence Program modules we provide a variety of images, narratives and culturally relevant material that portrays Black males in positive roles (and encourages Black males to cast them selves in such roles). We also combine classroom activities with the utilization of www.agoodblackman.com as a vehicle for self-exploration and career exposure -- allowing us to address some of the issues created by the Digital Divide.

What We're Working Towards

We strive to re-educate young Black males on the premise that of all the things you can shape, condition, develop, improve, enhance and strengthen, the most important is your mind. Therefore, the goal of the AGBM, Inc. is to strengthening the self-confidence of Black males by replacing negative images with positive ones to help reverse the process of self-hatred.

The goal of AGBM, Inc. is also to use The Internet and related technologies to:

- Enhance the educational experience of it's program participants
- Help Black males achieve their goals.
- Help Black males gather critical information and gain insight.
- Provide participants with a virtual forum for documenting the positive stories of their lives and communities.
- To provide a networking forum to offer support, an exchange of ideas, and a bonding between those with the same positive image of Black males.