So Tired

A list of those of color targeted by police because of their race

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Black people are so tired. ????

We can't be handcuffed and put in the police car unless we are dead (#GeorgeFloyd).

We can't go bird watching in Central Park (#ChristianCooper).

We can't go jogging (#AmaudArbery).

We can't relax in the comfort of our own homes (#BothemSean and #AtatianaJefferson).

We can't ask for help after being in a car crash (#JonathanFerrell and #RenishaMcBride).

We can't have a cellphone (#StephonClark).

We can't leave a party to get to safety (#JordanEdwards).

We can't play loud music (#JordanDavis).

We can't sell CDs (#AltonSterling).

We can't sleep (#AiyanaJones & #BreonnaTaylor).

We can't walk from the corner store (#MikeBrown).

We can't play cops and robbers (#TamirRice).

We can't go to church (#Charleston9).

We can't walk home with Skittles (#TrayvonMartin).

We can't hold a hair brush while leaving our own bachelor party (#SeanBell).

We can't party on New Year's Eve (#OscarGrant).

We can't get a normal traffic ticket (#SandraBland).

We can't lawfully carry a weapon (#PhilandoCastile).

We can't let our car break down on a public road (#CoreyJones).

We can't shop at Walmart (#JohnCrawford).

We can't have a disabled vehicle (#TerrenceCrutcher).

We can't read a book in our own car (#KeithScott).

We can’t be a 10-year-old walking with our grandfather (#CliffordGlover).

We can’t decorate for a party (#ClaudeReese).

We can’t ask a cop a question (#RandyEvans).

We can’t cash our check in peace (#YvonneSmallwood).

We can’t take out our wallet (#AmadouDiallo).

We can’t run (#WalterScott).

We can’t breathe (#EricGarner).

We can’t live (#FreddieGray).

We’re tired.

Tired of making hashtags.

Tired of trying to convince you that our #BlackLivesMatter too.

Tired of dying.

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So very tired.

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