

" SLAVERY DIDN'T END, IT JUST EVOLVED"

— Bryan Stevenson

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Let's consider ...

Do we have racial equality in the United States today?

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TANYA MCDOWELL
Lied about the school district she "lived" in so her 6-year-old could go to a better school, even though she was homeless.
SENTENCED TO 5 YEARS IN JAIL



FELICITY HUFFMAN
Paid \$15,000 to an SAT test administrator to cheat on her daughter's test, so her daughter could get into a better college.
SENTENCED TO 14 DAYS IN JAIL.

" [The United States] has a system of justice that treats you much better if you're rich and guilty than if you're poor and innocent. Wealth, not culpability, shapes outcomes."

— Bryan Stevenson

Let's consider ...

"You're **11 times** more likely to get the death penalty if the *victim* is white than if the victim is black, and **22 times** more likely to get it if the *defendant* is black and the victim is white."

— Bryan Stevenson

Let's consider ...

If your family lived in the South in 1776 and was well-to-do, would your family have owned slaves?

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Let's consider ...

If your family lived in the North in 1776 and was well-to-do but didn't own slaves, would you have had any responsibility for the institution of slavery?

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Let's consider ...

Are you and I responsible for the lingering effects of slavery today?

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INVOLUNTARY SERVITUDE,
EXCEPT AS A PUNISHMENT
FOR CRIME WHEREOF
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BEEN DULY CONVICTED,
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~ THIRTEENTH AMENDMENT,
UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION

Signed January 31, 1865

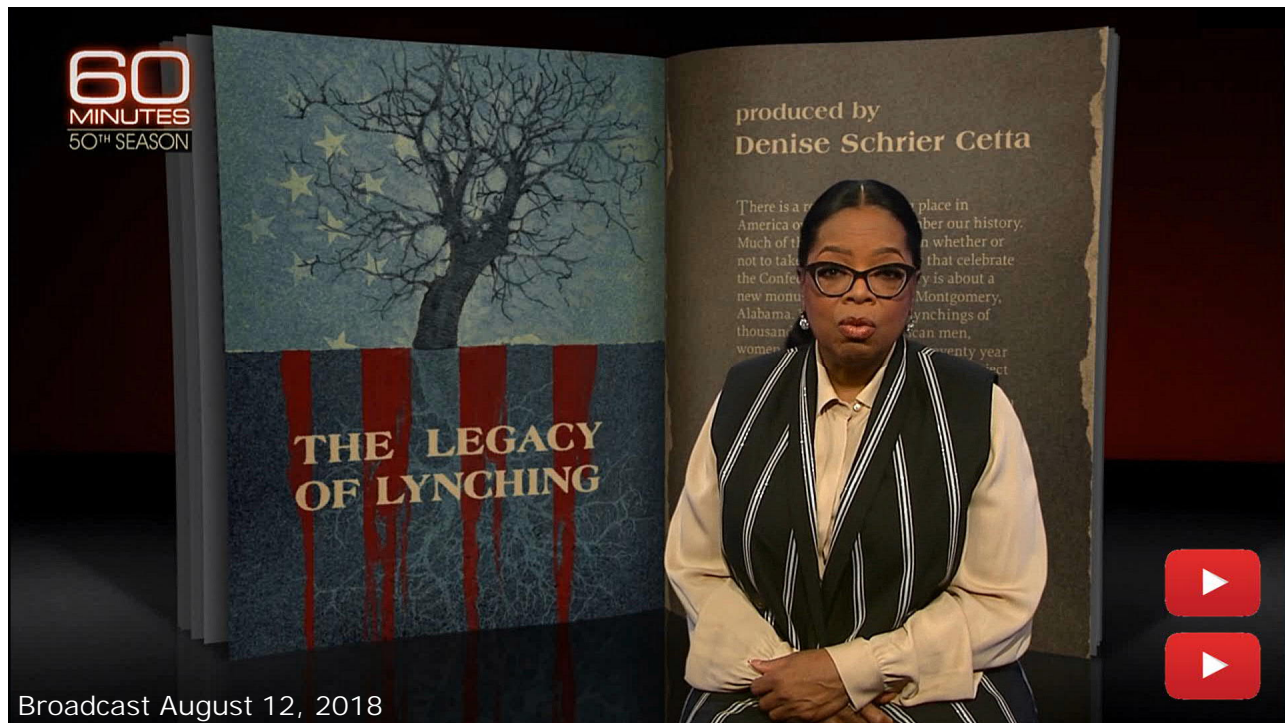
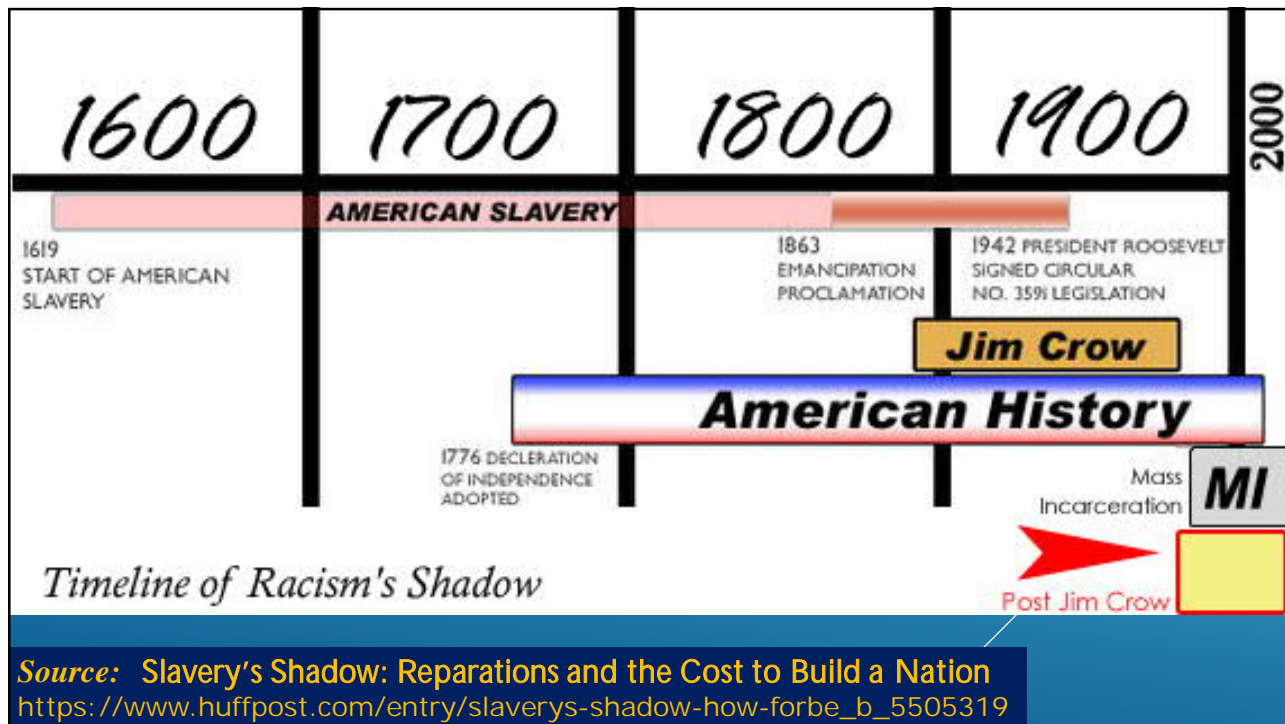
Following the formal abolition of slavery at the end of the Civil War, freed slaves often found themselves subject to conditions of forced labor that approximated slavery. This "Age of Neoslavery" lasted until the end of World War II.

Source:

Circular No. 3591

By Francis Biddle

https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Circular_No._3591

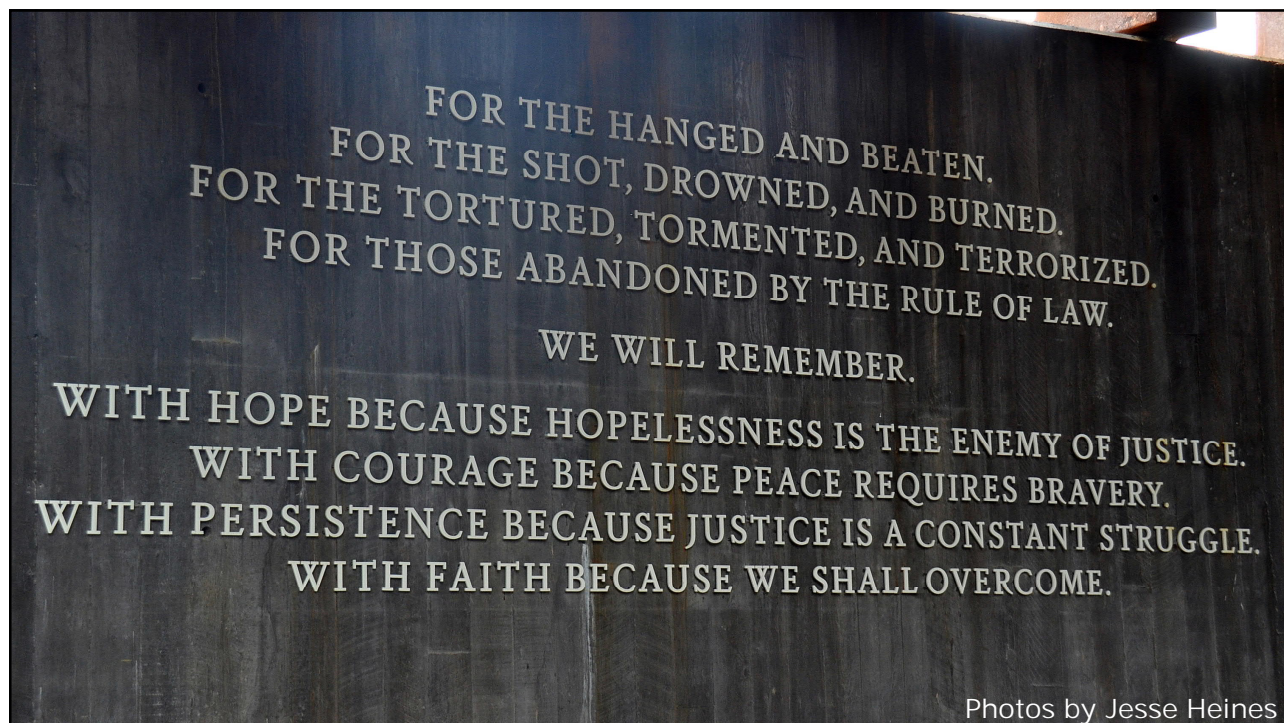


Nearly 25 percent of African American lynching victims were accused of sexual assault and nearly 30 percent were accused of murder. Because African Americans were presumed guilty and dangerous, accusations lodged against them were rarely scrutinized. Nearly all were lynched without an investigation, much less a trial. Efforts to pass federal anti-lynching legislation repeatedly failed because of opposition by Southern elected officials. Only 1 percent of lynchings committed after 1900 led to a criminal conviction.

With no protection from the constant threat of death, nearly six million black Americans fled the South between 1910 and 1970. Many left behind homes, families, and employment to flee racial terror as traumatized refugees. Lynching profoundly reshaped the geographic, political, social, and economic conditions of African Americans in ways still evident today.



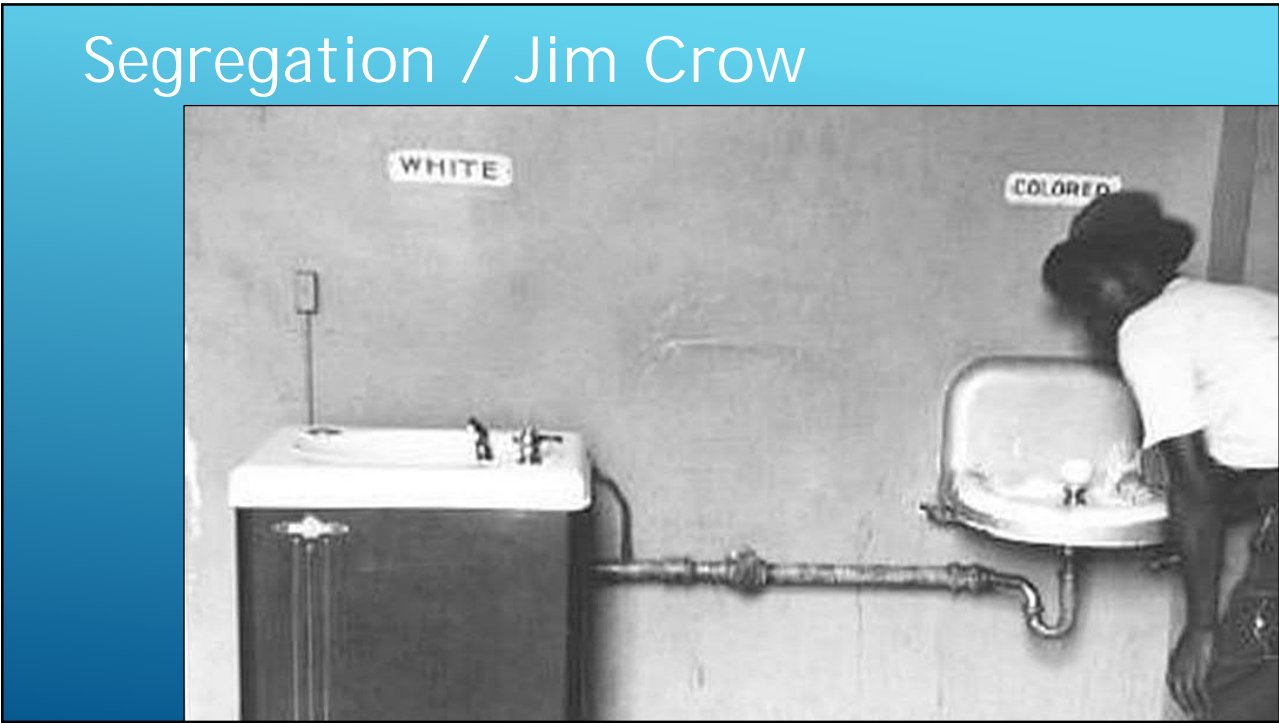
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Brown vs. Board of Education



On May 17, 1954, U.S. Supreme Court Chief Justice Earl Warren delivered the unanimous ruling against the "separate but equal" mandate and demanded desegregation.

George Hayes, Thurgood Marshall, James Nabrit

Brown vs. Board of Education 1954

There was one major problem ...

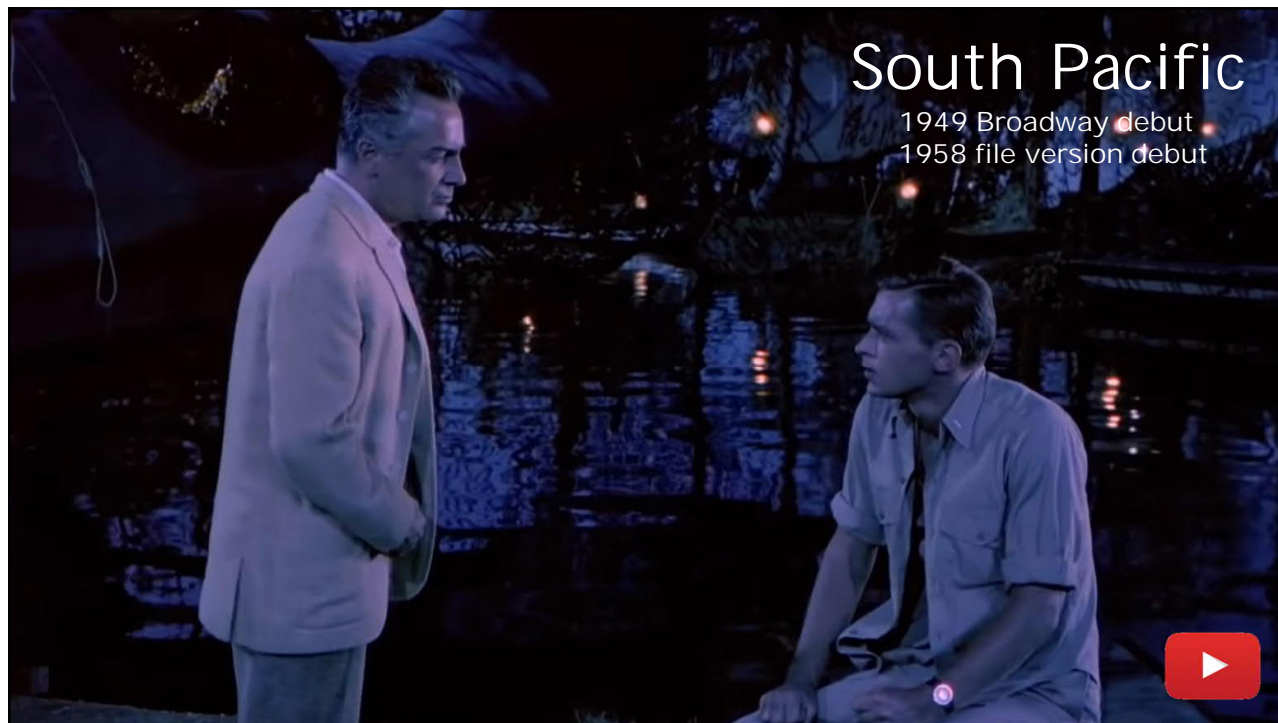


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There was no
implementation time
frame specified.



Mass Incarceration

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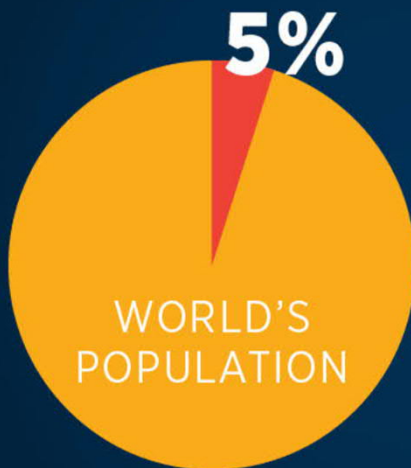
FROM SLAVE TO CRIMINAL WITH ONE AMENDMENT



"Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except as a punishment for crime whereof the party shall have been duly convicted, shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction."

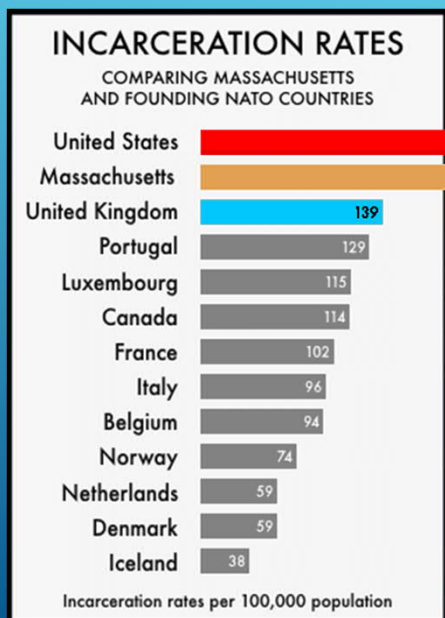
- Section 1, 13th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

The United States has ...



Source: "18 things you should know about mass incarceration"
Southern Poverty Law Center

To put that in perspective ...

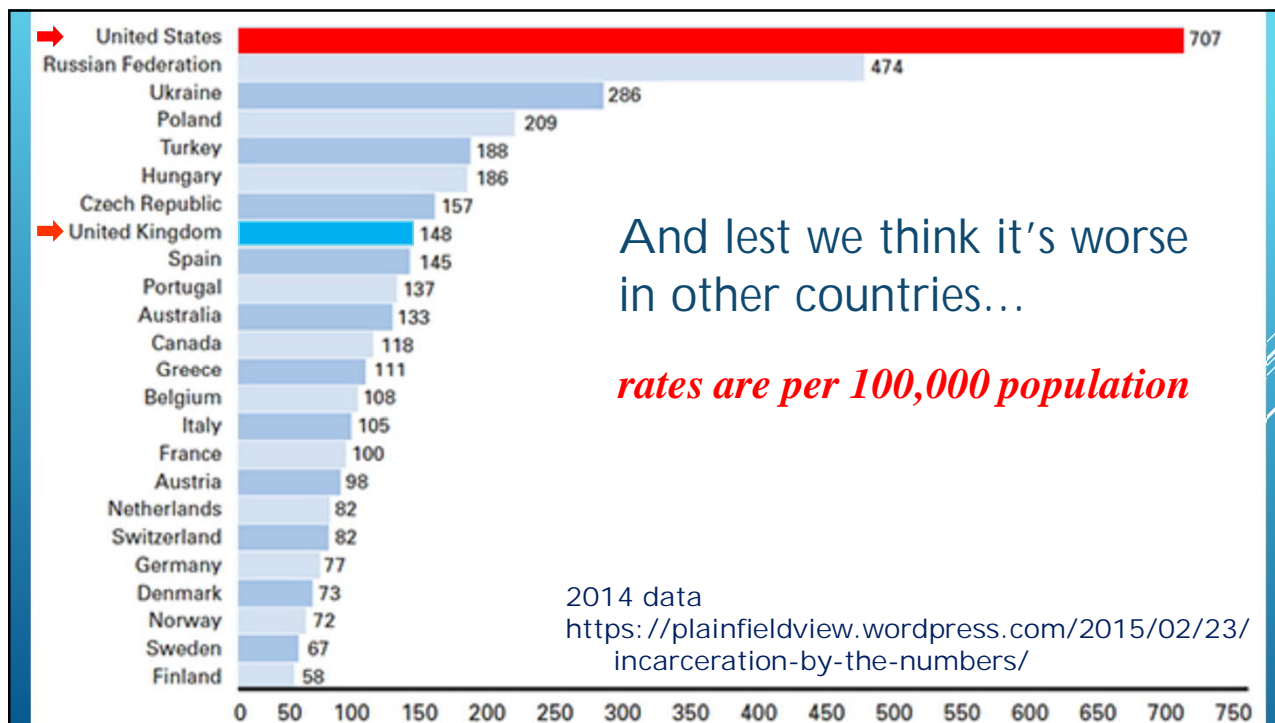


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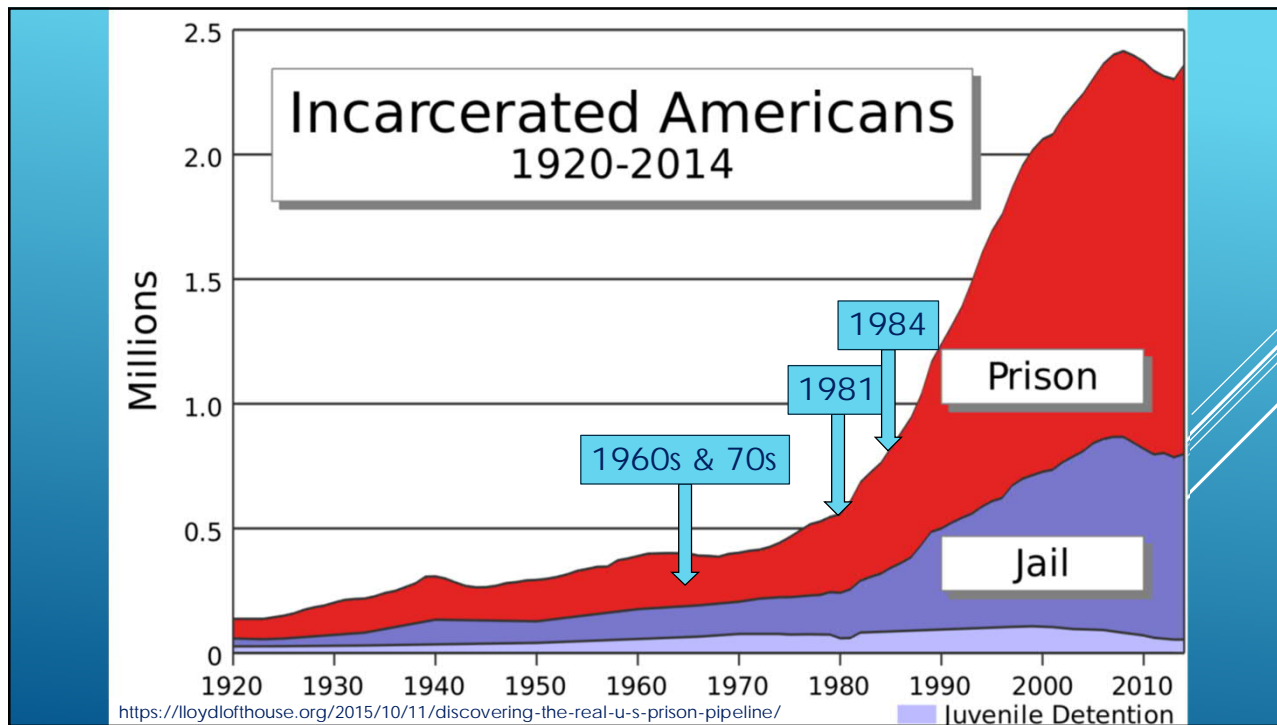
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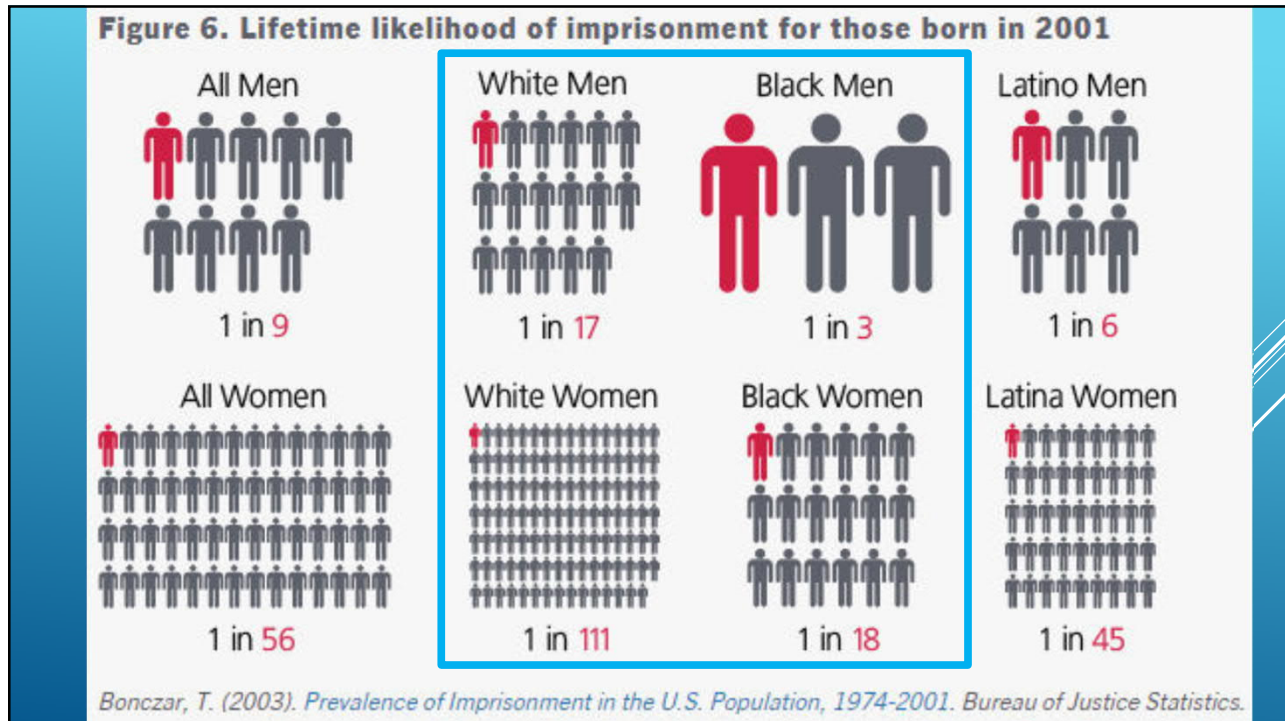
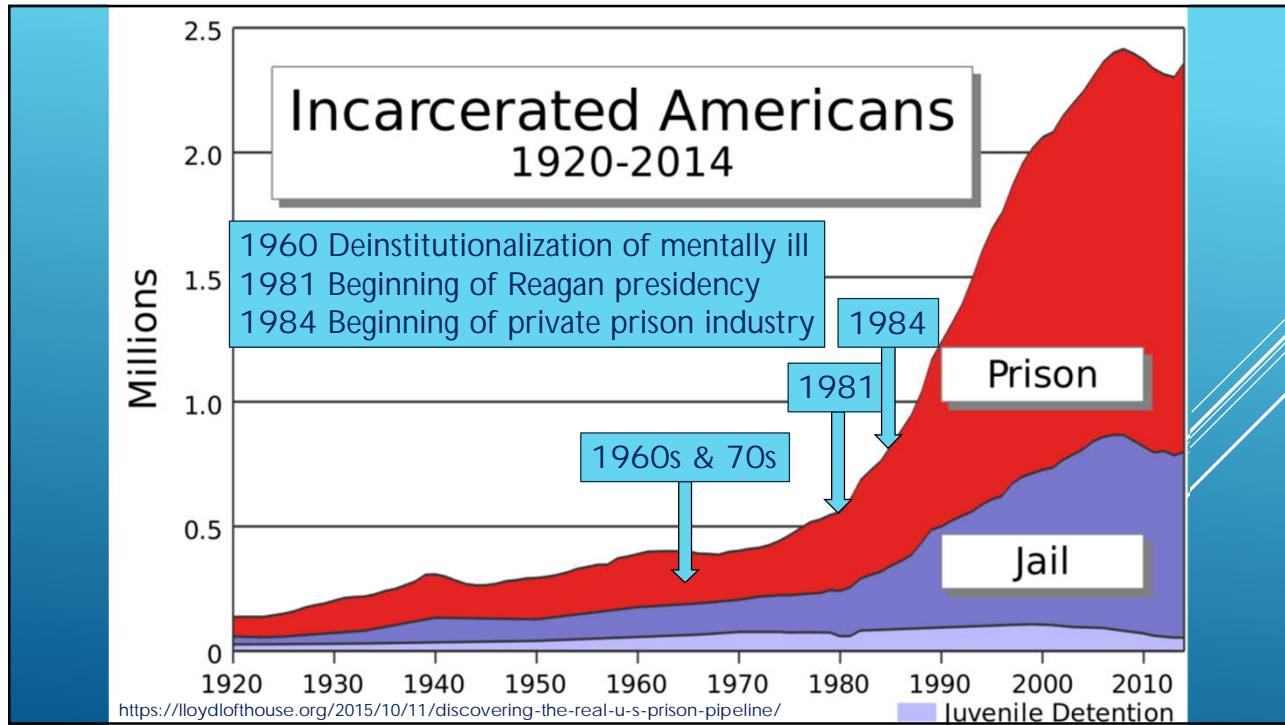
2018 data on founding NATO countries
<https://www.prisonpolicy.org/global/2018.html>

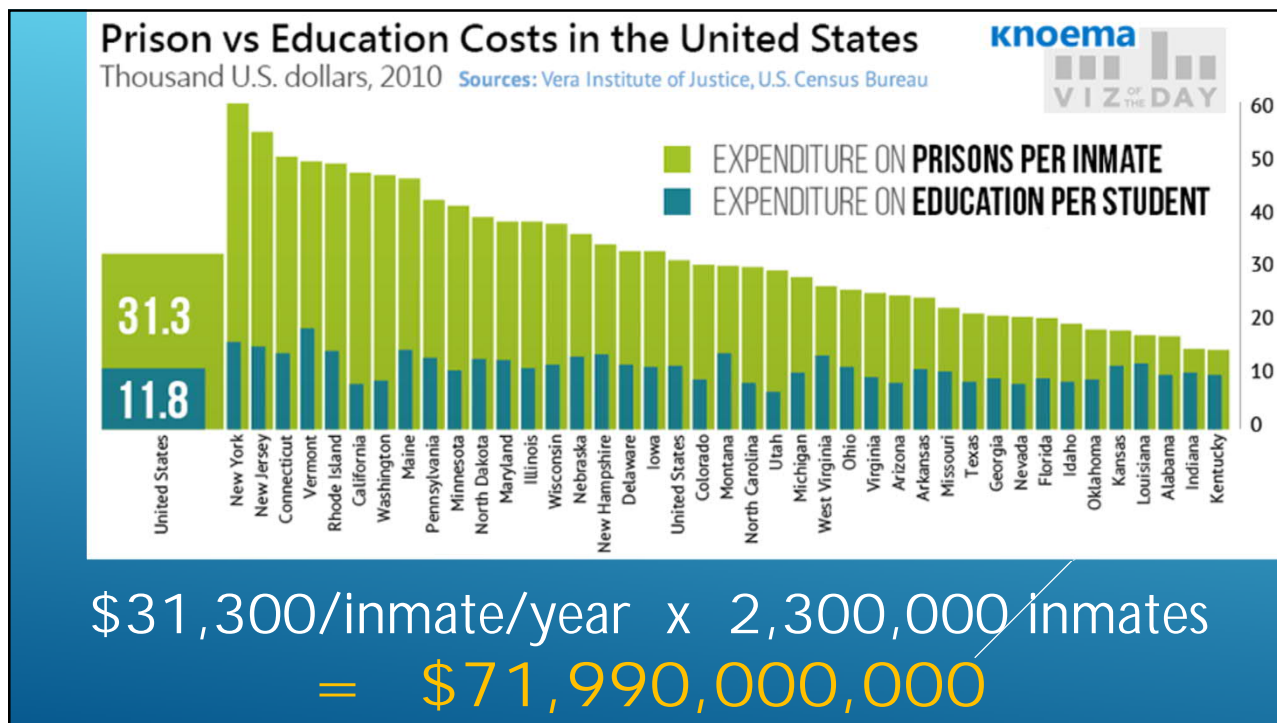
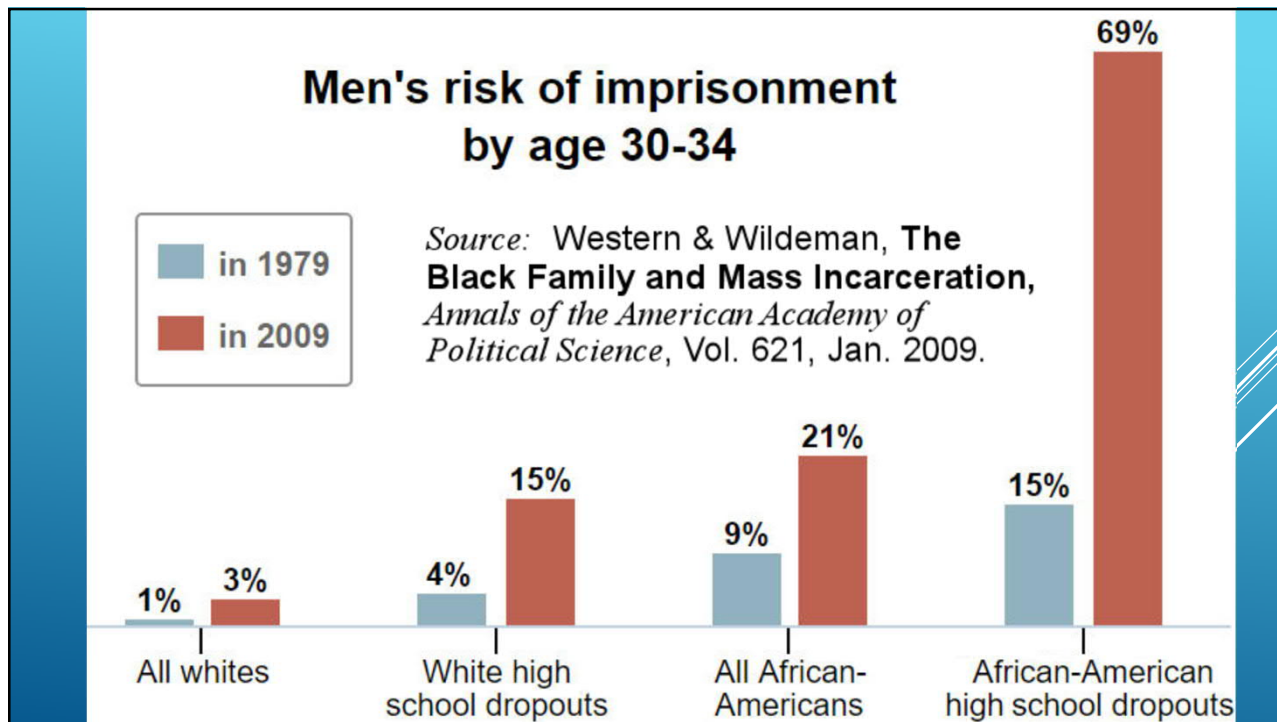



One burning question ...

How did we
GET HERE ?







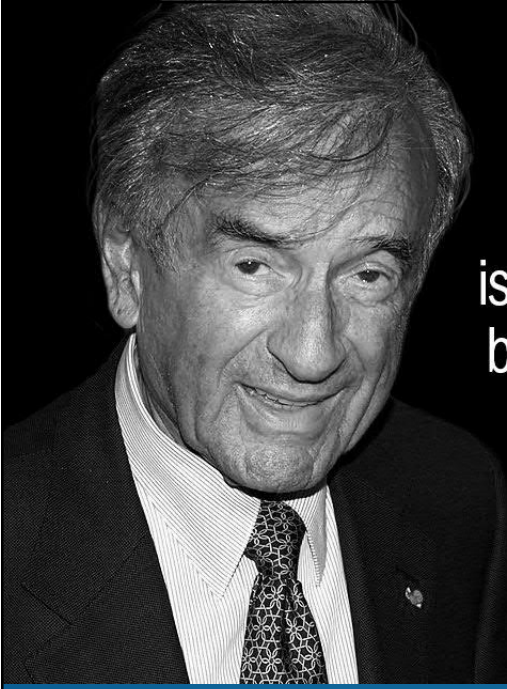


I come from a people who gave the Ten Commandments to the world. Time has come to strenghten them by three additional ones, which we ought to adopt and commit ourselves to: thou shall not be a perpetrator; thou shall not be a victim; and thou shall never, but never, be a bystander.

— *Yehuda Bauer* —

AZ QUOTES

https://www.azquotes.com/author/44209-Yehuda_Bauer

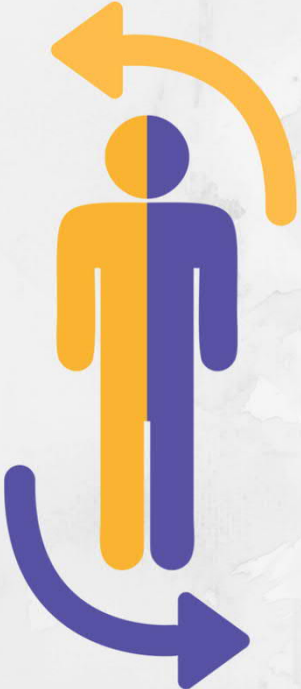


What **hurts** the victim most
is not the cruelty of the oppressor,
but the **silence of the bystander.**

– *Elie Wiesel*

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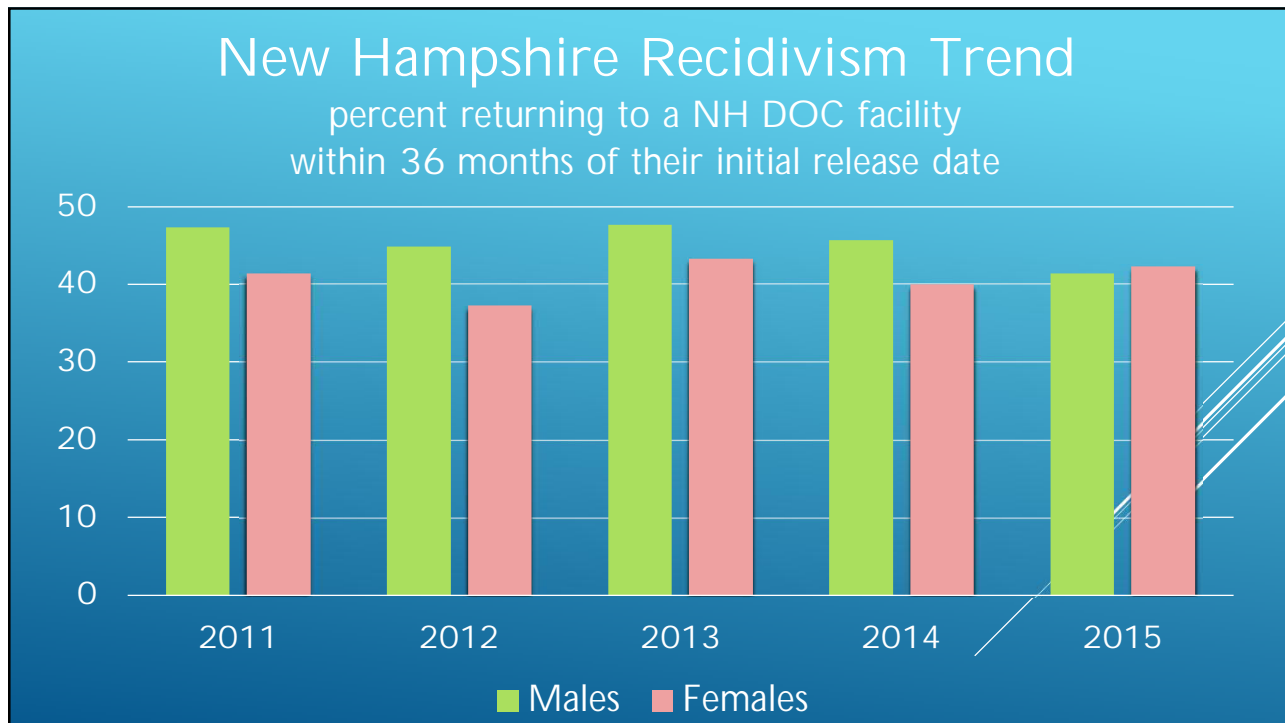
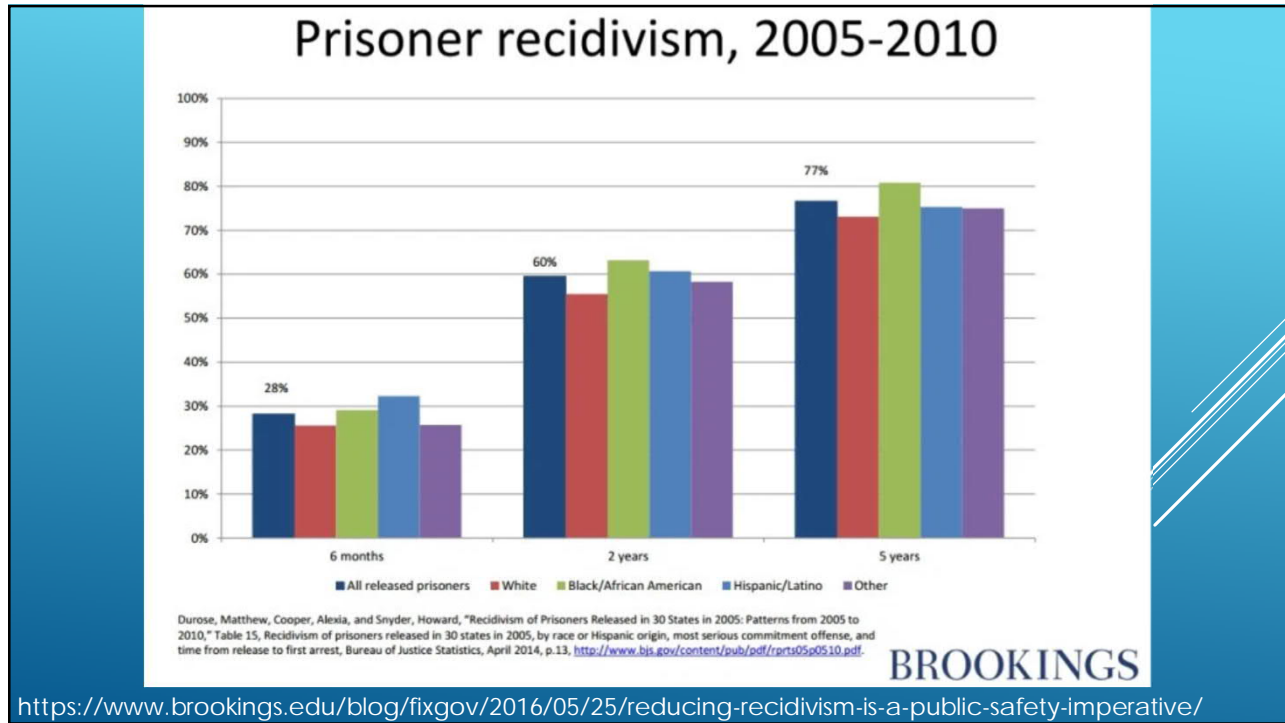


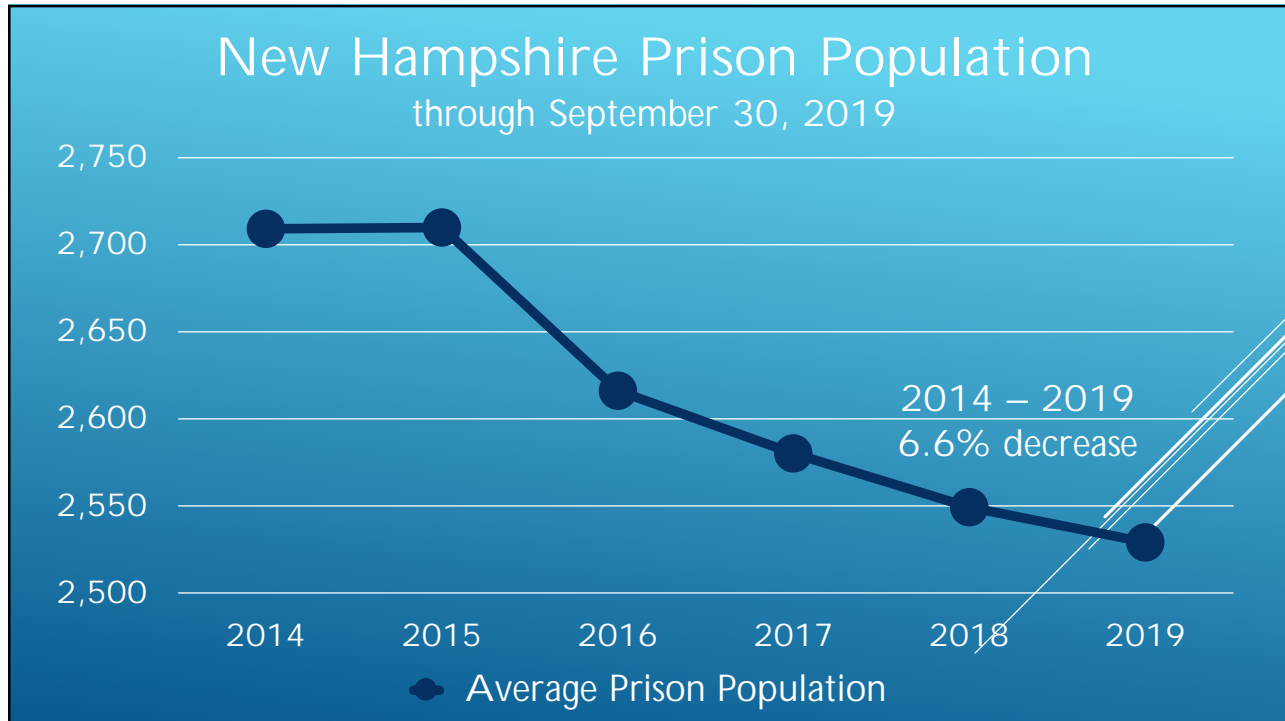
RECIDIVISM

– the tendency of a convicted criminal to reoffend.

..... OxfordDictionaries.com







Addressing Recidivism

- Printing Services
- Sign Making and Engraving Services
- Furniture Refinishing and Upholstery Services
- Woodworking Services
- NH State License Plate Making

GG466 1976, white on green	LK372 1971, green on white	GO 86 1971, white on green
LL 60 1970, white	EC773 1970, white	XA965 1971, white
XF9907 1970, white	73142 1970, white	DAU-081 1987-1988
127 1988 Series, Blue 1	37065 1988 Series, Blue 1	821 906 1988 Series, Blue 2



The Print Shop: Jim Weaver, our print shop manager, has 20 years of experience and it shows in the quality of work the shop turns out. The shop produces everything from stationary to memo pads, calendars to full color brochures, multi part forms to sequentially numbered stickers. We also have a state of the art typesetting, graphic design and art service that can give your project a creative touch you can be proud of. Whether big or small, Jim and his crew can handle any printing job you need done.

(603) 271-2857



The Sign Shop: Alan Burgess manages the sign shop full time. With his 23 years of experience, there is not much Alan has not put on a sign. The sign shop does more than just the road signs you see every day on your way to work. The sign shop offers customized signage of all types, awards and plaques, as well as engraved name plates and tags. With our new high tech laser engraver we can put words and images on almost any flat surface including metal, glass, wood and more.

(603) 271-1874



Upholstery, Restoration & Refinishing: We have two shops that do upholstery and refinishing. Jerry Teal runs the Concord shop, and Tim Villeneuve runs the Berlin shop. Between them, they have over 32 years of experience. The shops do residential and commercial re-upholstery and restoration and can handle everything from the fabric to hand tying springs. Other services include wood furniture restoration and chair caning. Our newest growth area is in re-upholstering boat, snowmobile and ATV cushions.

Southern Division (603) 271-6587

Northern Division (603) 752-0376



Wood Shop & Furniture Crafting: Bryant Russell has been with the DOC for almost 3 years and has been managing the wood shop since March. Bryant's shop produces most of the furniture for the retail store, as well as custom pieces for private customers and state agencies. Offering a wide range of products, the shop produces everything from cutting boards to cherry bedroom sets. Browse the selection on display at the retail showroom located at 312 North State St. Concord, NH 03301.

(603) 752-0375

Addressing Recidivism



Apprenticeship Programs: New Hampshire Correctional Industries offers apprenticeship programs in various occupations including upholstery, printing and braille transcription. These trades are taught by resident master craftsmen to other residents. Depending on the trade the apprentice receives up to 8000 hours of hands-on and class room training, supplemented with text book reading requirements and written testing. Participants are required to show progression by completing the job tasks of increasing difficulty under direct and eventually indirect tutelage of master craftsman. Upon completion of the apprenticeship, the apprentice is granted a "Journeyman Certification" sanctioned by the U.S. Department of Labor. They also become eligible to receive up to a 60 day sentence reduction.

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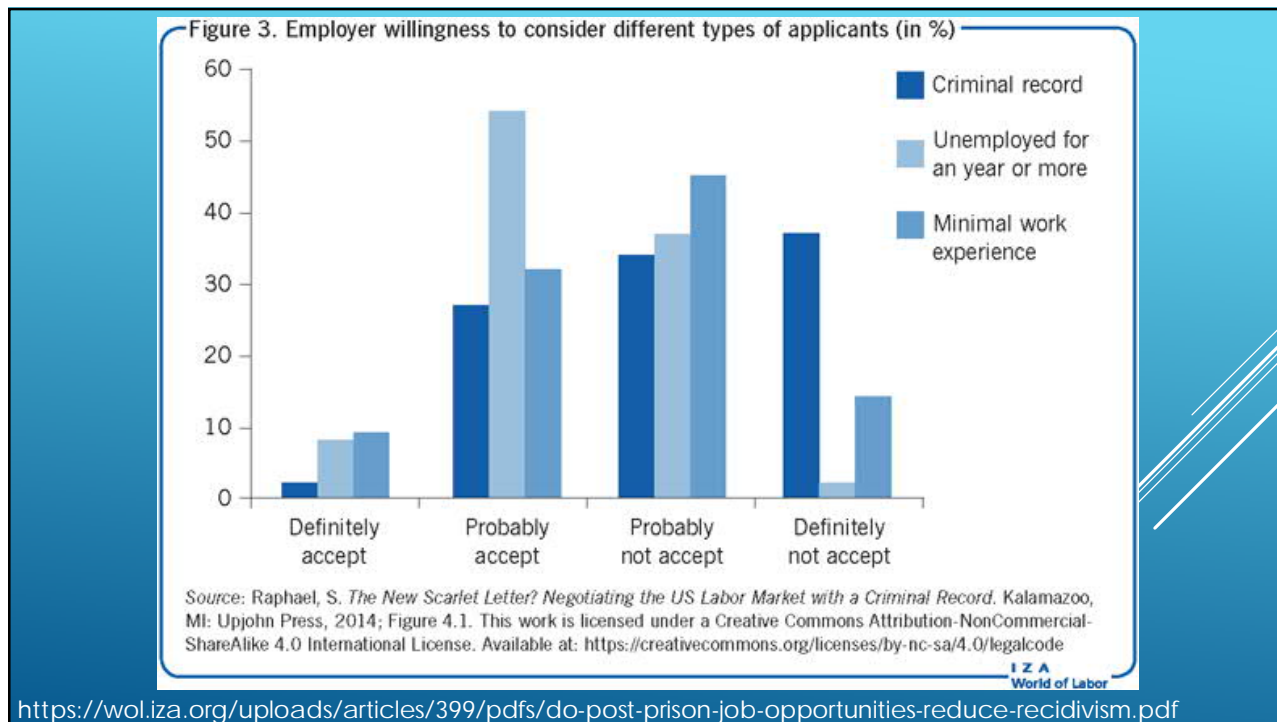
The United States Department of Labor
Office of Apprenticeship
Certificate of Registration of Apprenticeship Program
New Hampshire Department of Corrections
*Registered as part of the National Apprenticeship System
in accordance with the basic standards of apprenticeship
established by the Secretary of Labor*

Date _____
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Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship _____





WHEN INMATES PARTICIPATE IN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS, THE RECIDIVISM RATE DROPS SIGNIFICANTLY.

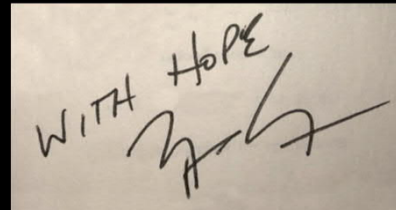
Education Level	Recidivism Rate
With VOCATIONAL TRAINING	30%
With an ASSOCIATE DEGREE	13.7%
With a BACHELOR'S DEGREE	5.6%
With a MASTER'S DEGREE	ZERO

For every \$1 spent on education programs, \$4 is saved on reincarceration costs.

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<https://www.gtl.net/gtl-invests-in-education/>

You ultimately judge the civility of a society not by how it treats the rich, the powerful, the protected and the highly esteemed, but by how it treats the poor, the disfavored, and the disadvantaged.



thank you

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