

Nobel Peace Prize Nominee Dr. Opal Lee ‘ Grandmother of Juneteenth’ Campaigns for Unity & Education



Fort Worth, Texas Mar 17, 2022 ([Issuewire.com](https://www.issuewire.com)) - Unity Unlimited, Inc sets forth a campaign to amplify Dr. Opal Lee's message that Juneteenth is a UNIFIER. Dr. Opal Lee was busy last week making history as she stopped by the White House at the [invitation](#) of President Biden to celebrate Black History Month.

The following day, Dr. Opal jetted back to Texas to attend Sherrod Elementary's Read Across America Day organized by community activist Evelyn Dickerson, Preside of Eddie Dean Foundation. There she read her book accompanied by other celebrity guests such as Romero Hartfield of Millennium Multi-Media, Byron Williams, NFL Alumni President, and Jazze of the Dallas-based syndicated radio station 97.9 The Beat.

Later in the week, New York City's Harlem Councilwoman Kristin welcomed Dr. Opal as she released the special edition of her book, Juneteenth a Children's Story at Casa 51 where attendees were treated to authentic NY Pizza sponsored by Zaddy's Pizza.

Next up for Dr. Opal is to address Virginia Polytechnic Institute & Virginia State University, to speak as a part of their institution's celebration of 100 Years Women at Virginia Tech.

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About Dr. Opal Lee

Dr. Opal is the oldest living board member of the National Juneteenth Observance Foundation (NJOFF) founded and led by the late Dr. Ronald Myers, Sr., whose primary initiative is for Juneteenth to become a national holiday. To bring awareness to the cause, she started her Opal's Walks 2 DC campaign in 2016, where she walks 2.5 miles to symbolize the 2.5 years that it took for slaves in Texas to know that they were freed. Ms. Opal believes that FREEDOM should be celebrated from the 19th of June to the 4th of July.

For more details on the special edition of Juneteenth: A Children's Story, please visit:

<https://www.opalswalk2dc.com/books>

About Unity Unlimited, Inc.

Unity Unlimited, Inc. is a non-profit organization that is completely volunteer-driven with activities that help communities overcome racial and cultural division. The programs they produce provide educational activities and resources to people to foster unity and harmony regardless of race, culture, or denomination including JuneteenthFTW a community festival that highlights the initiatives of the Grandmother of Juneteenth, Ms. Opal Lee whose mission is to support human dignity through education, culture, and opportunity. Other initiatives of the organization include Opal's Farm to address food deserts in her community and Your Voice Unleashed a free week-long fine arts workshop for the youth to build bridges of unity.



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