

Faith Ringgold Harlem, New York. 1930

painter, mixed media sculptor, performance artist, writer, teacher and lecturer

"Anyone can fly, all you gotta do is try"

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EcUPrr9nNJg

https://www.faithringgold.com

https://www.serpentinegalleries.org/whats-on/faith-ringgold/



Faith Ringgold, Early Works #25, Self-Portrait, 1965.



Guernica by Pablo Picasso. 1937



Jacob Lawrence
The Migration Series. 1940-41. Panel 40: The migrants arrived in great numbers.

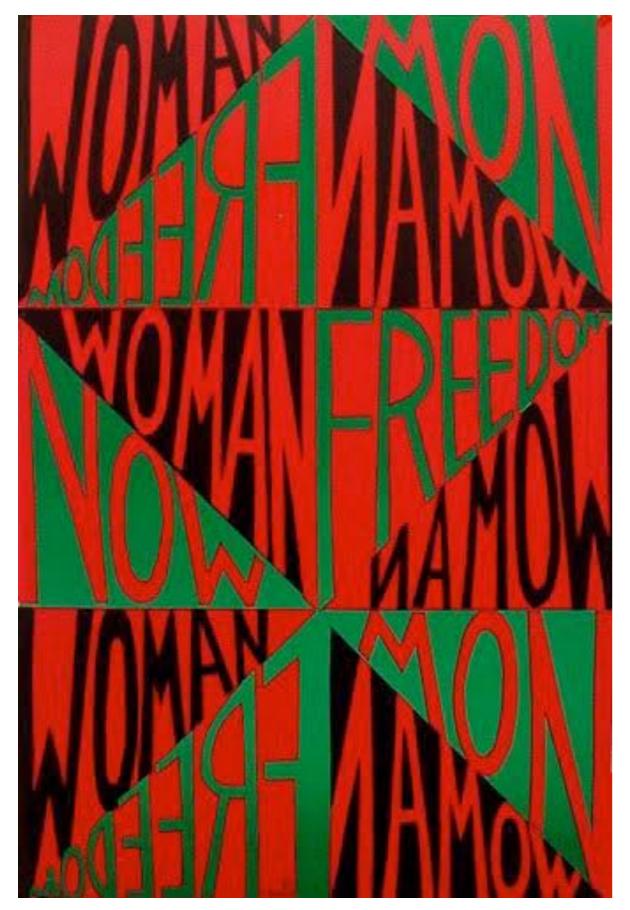


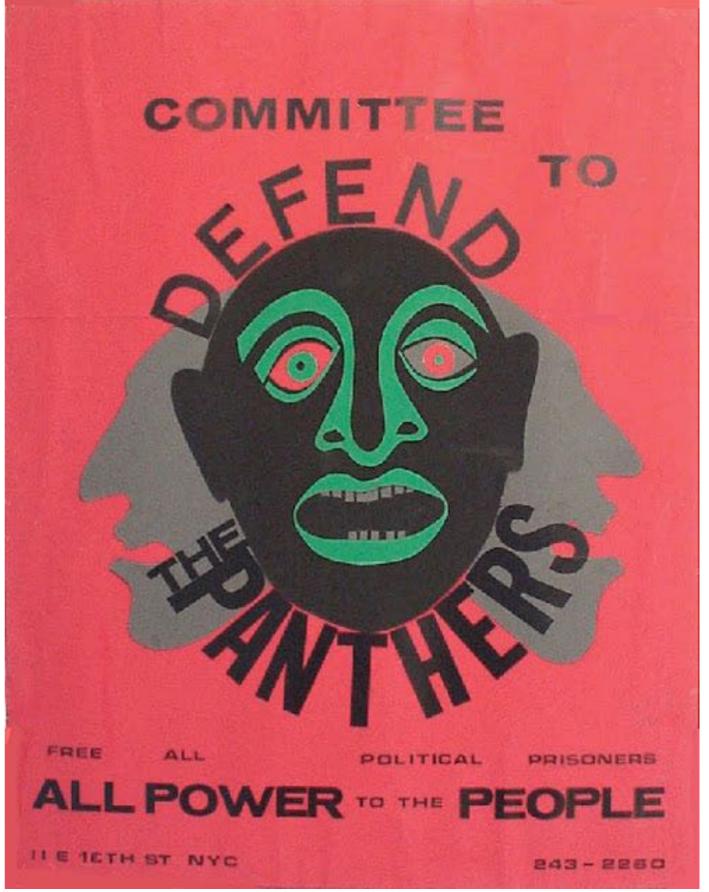
American People Series #20: Die 1967
The things like spontaneous riots that were not shown on the TV or the Radio...."It's my job to do that"



Posters and activism....

"to understand freedom and too know how important it is to all of us"





"Political Art is Art...to give people something to see..to think about."



1971:demonstrated against the museum's discrimination against black artists



Part of The Whitney Museum Collection Faith Ringgold: Hate is a Sin 2007



Getting her word out there...by writing on her art "No-one can stop me doing that..."

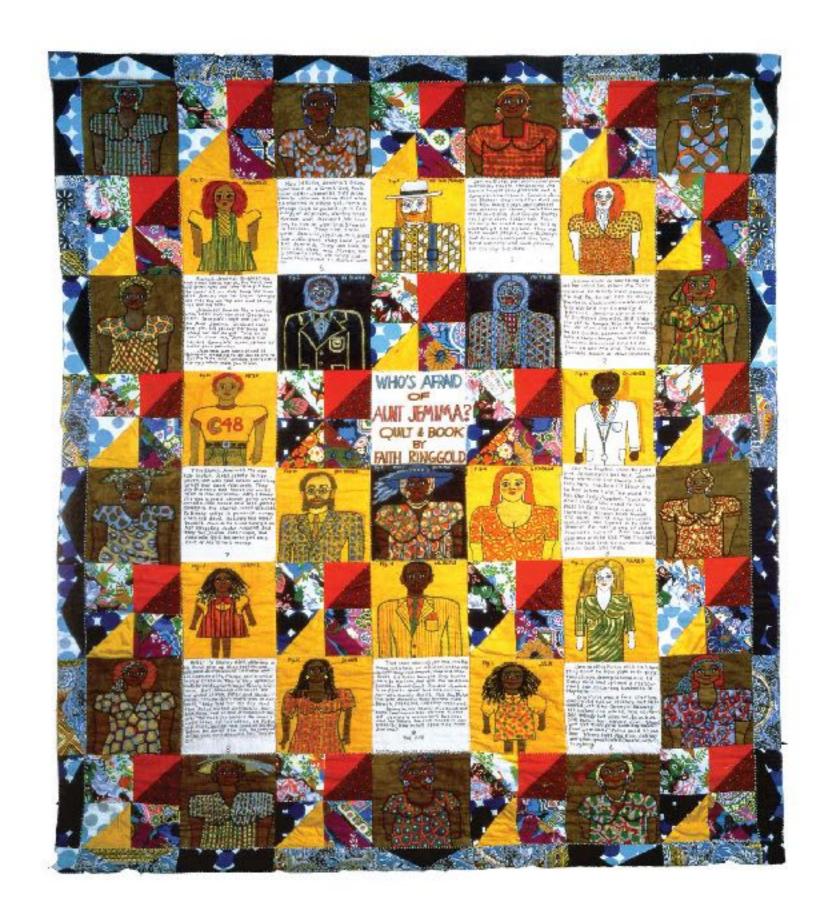
She says "I am a Painter."

(But there was a point where they became so big they were too heavy for me to manage -) "So I made quilts so I could make it as big as I liked.

> I Could roll it fold it and pick it up myself. I wanted to have my work shown everywhere. It got more difficult the larger my work got I wanted to make my work bigger and bigger."



Jazz Stories: Mama Can Sing, Papa Can Blow #1: Somebody Stole My Broken Heart, 2004



Who's Afraid of Aunt Jemima?, 1983
Acrylic on canvas, dyed, painted and pieced fabric 90 x 80 in



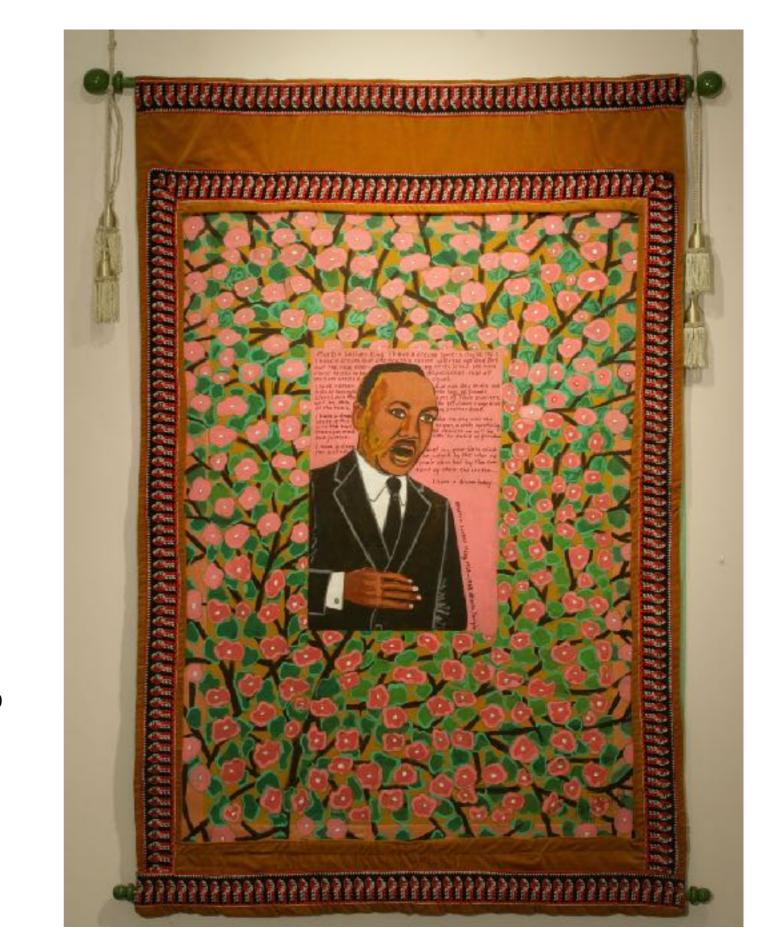
Sunflower Quilting Bee at Arles, 1991
Acrylic on canvas with pieced fabric border 74 x 80 in.



We Came to America, from the series; "The American Collection" 1997



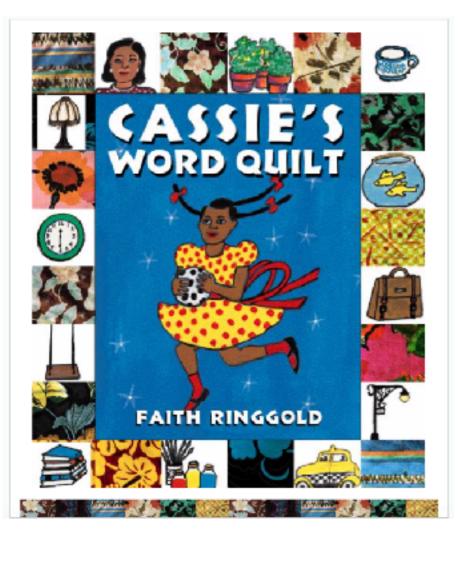
The Flag is Bleeding #2 (American Collection #6), 1997.

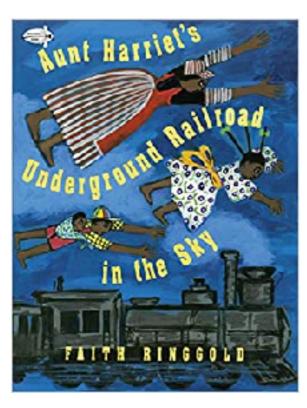


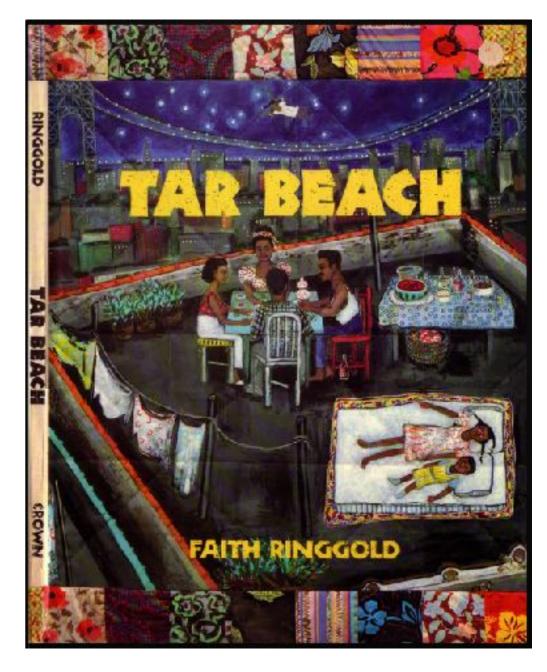
Coming to Jones Road Tanka #3: Martin Luther King, 2010 Acrylic on canvas with pieced fabric border 65 x 43 in.



Groovin high. Mural







Written 23 published children's Books.

Listen to Faith Ringgold reading her children book,
Tar Beach
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h9RKJleFdBU





