

George Floyd Remembered



Toronto's Graffiti Alley

George was a man who went into a store to buy cigarettes and lost his life because he was Black. A police officer knelt, not to show his support for the rights of Black lives, but to deny these rights. George was a father, husband, son, brother, friend and human being. Today when we remember George we must also recall the deaths of so many others. Each struggled to be heard but 'could not breathe' due to structural racism, violence and inequities resulting in their death. We are mourning George Floyd to remember him and to challenge racism and discrimination that exists every day for those whose voices are not heard.

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