Civil Rights
A lot of my family have had to fight for civil rights
My grandfather marched
My mother spoke out
My uncle didn’t do a god damn thing but he was there.
After being in this class I realized that civil rights is not a thing of the past
It’s on going.
As an activist, I realized that my legacy is one that is growing
I will not apologize for being loud or proud
I will not sit down or pipe down
I will invoke the rawness of Eli Malik Shabazz and the power of Huey P Newton,
And continue to pump my fist in the air
“HIST 2020” at first I didn’t care
But this class has helped me keep my head in the air
That there is hope to be had because history keeps shifting
Thank you so very much for listening