



Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920

Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham

Download now

[Click here](#) if your download doesn't start automatically

Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920

Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham

Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham

What Du Bois noted has gone largely unstudied until now. In this book, Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham gives us our first full account of the crucial role of black women in making the church a powerful institution for social and political change in the black community. Between 1880 and 1920, the black church served as the most effective vehicle by which men and women alike, pushed down by racism and poverty, regrouped and rallied against emotional and physical defeat. Focusing on the National Baptist Convention, the largest religious movement among black Americans, Higginbotham shows us how women were largely responsible for making the church a force for self-help in the black community. In her account, we see how the efforts of women enabled the church to build schools, provide food and clothing to the poor, and offer a host of social welfare services. And we observe the challenges of black women to patriarchal theology. Class, race, and gender dynamics continually interact in Higginbotham's nuanced history. She depicts the cooperation, tension, and negotiation that characterized the relationship between men and women church leaders as well as the interaction of southern black and northern white women's groups.

Higginbotham's history is at once tough-minded and engaging. It portrays the lives of individuals within this movement as lucidly as it delineates feminist thinking and racial politics. She addresses the role of black Baptist women in contesting racism and sexism through a "politics of respectability" and in demanding civil rights, voting rights, equal employment, and educational opportunities.

Righteous Discontent finally assigns women their rightful place in the story of political and social activism in the black church. It is central to an understanding of African American social and cultural life and a critical chapter in the history of religion in America.

 [Download Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in th ...pdf](#)

Download and Read Free Online Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham

From reader reviews:

Saul Robinson:

Reading a guide can be one of a lot of task that everyone in the world enjoys. Do you like reading book and so. There are a lot of reasons why people like it. First reading a guide will give you a lot of new information. When you read a book you will get new information because book is one of a number of ways to share the information or perhaps their idea. Second, reading through a book will make a person more imaginative. When you reading through a book especially hype book the author will bring you to definitely imagine the story how the figures do it anything. Third, you may share your knowledge to some others. When you read this Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920, you are able to tells your family, friends and also soon about yours guide. Your knowledge can inspire the mediocre, make them reading a e-book.

Kimberly Smith:

The e-book with title Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 has a lot of information that you can understand it. You can get a lot of help after read this book. This book exist new information the information that exist in this book represented the condition of the world today. That is important to yo7u to know how the improvement of the world. This book will bring you within new era of the syndication. You can read the e-book in your smart phone, so you can read this anywhere you want.

Maxine Ford:

Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 can be one of your starter books that are good idea. Many of us recommend that straight away because this guide has good vocabulary that can increase your knowledge in vocabulary, easy to understand, bit entertaining but delivering the information. The author giving his/her effort to put every word into satisfaction arrangement in writing Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 but doesn't forget the main place, giving the reader the hottest and also based confirm resource data that maybe you can be considered one of it. This great information can drawn you into fresh stage of crucial thinking.

Stephanie Carter:

As a student exactly feel bored to be able to reading. If their teacher requested them to go to the library as well as to make summary for some e-book, they are complained. Just small students that has reading's soul or real their hobby. They just do what the educator want, like asked to the library. They go to presently there but nothing reading very seriously. Any students feel that studying is not important, boring and also can't see colorful photos on there. Yeah, it is to become complicated. Book is very important for yourself. As we know that on this period, many ways to get whatever you want. Likewise word says, many ways to reach Chinese's country. Therefore , this Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist

Church, 1880-1920 can make you experience more interested to read.

**Download and Read Online Righteous Discontent: The Women's
Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 Evelyn Brooks
Higginbotham #8IL4Z67DYCO**

Read Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 by Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham for online ebook

Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 by Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 by Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham books to read online.

Online Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 by Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham ebook PDF download

Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 by Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham Doc

Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 by Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham Mobipocket

Righteous Discontent: The Women's Movement in the Black Baptist Church, 1880-1920 by Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham EPub