

# JackHadleyBlack HistoryMuseum

Open Tues-Fri, 10am-5pm  
Sat, 11am-4pm  
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**LOCATED IN THE FREDERICK  
DOUGLASS COMPLEX  
DEWEY CITY HISTORIC  
DISTRICT**

**Jack Hadley Black History  
Memorabilia, Inc.  
214 Alexander Street  
Thomasville, GA 31792**

## VISITING HOURS

*Tuesday-Friday  
10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.  
Saturday – 11 A.M. to 4 P.M..  
(Closed All Holidays)  
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**A MUST SEE MUSEUM!  
ARTIFACTS! HISTORIC PHOTOS!  
ANTIQUES & MUCH MORE!**

**Visit us online today!**

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Thomasville's First Black History Museum is established to educate individuals about the history and culture of African Americans, locally and nationally. African-American historian, James "Jack" Hadley has preserved over 4,545 pieces of African American artifacts with emphasis on Thomasville's First Black Achievers, States and National Achievers that commemorates their lives and accomplishments. It takes more than one month a year ... to learn about African American History. This Museum is dedicated to telling this story every day with educational exhibits. The black History Museum is a Must See!

*This is a **Black History Museum** you do not want to miss. See collectible African-American artifacts dated back to slavery, the **Buffalo Soldiers**, exhibits on **Lt. Henry O. Flipper**, **Dr. Martin L. King, Jr.**, **Blacks in the Military from the Spanish American War to Desert Storm/Iraq War** and the **African-American Life on the Southern Hunting Plantation** and their life and Thomasville/Thomas County Black Achievers. Also visit the exhibits on our **1993 Heisman Award Winner Charlie Ward, Jr.**, **Black Women**, **Douglass High School historical era** and much, much more!*

These collectible artifacts, documents, books, prints, posters and photos chronicling Black History can be found on the former campus of Douglass High School in Thomasville, a black school that was segregated from 1902-1970 located in the Dewey City Historic District. The facility is owned by the Douglass High School Alumni, Inc.

Hours of Operation are: Tuesday thru Friday, 10:00 A.M. To 5:00 P.M. Saturday – 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Closed all major holidays.

**Admission: Adults - \$5.00. Students - \$3.00**  
Group rates for museum and Black Heritage Tour available.

The Museum's address is 214 Alexander Street, Thomasville, Georgia, 31792, Office: (229) 226-5029/FAX-229-226-5084. The Museum is located approximately 35 miles north of Tallahassee, Florida and 55 miles west of I-75, Valdosta, Georgia – off Exit 16 -84West.

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The Jack Hadley Black History Memorabilia, Inc. is a non-profit 501(c) (3) organization. All contributions are tax deductible. Family Membership is open to all interested citizens. Call or visit museum office for application or go on line at:

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Brochure by Richard Hadley – (229) 227-0867

# THE JACK HADLEY BLACK HISTORY MUSEUM AN AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORICAL AND EDUCATIONAL SITE Featuring Exciting Exhibits and Memorabilia!

## 1. Main Gallery:

- Science/Inventors
- Africa/Slavery
- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
- Blacks in Government and Civil Rights
- Blacks in Military/Astronauts (The Tuskegee Airmen)
- Lt. Henry O. Flipper and Buffalo Soldiers / Youth Milestone Exhibit



## 2. Gallery # 2: Jack & Chris Hadley family gathering at reunions

Congressman Sanford D. Bishop, Jr. Resource Center. (Over 853 books on Blacks)



## 3. Breezeway Gallery # 3:

- Thomas County Honors African-American Leaders

## 4. Gallery # 4: Thomasville/Thomas County Black Achievers:

- African Americans on the Southern Hunting Plantation
- Douglass High School and Thomas County Teachers
- The Tools that built a Community
- Allen Normal & Industrial School. Era. 1887-1933

- Thomasville/Thomas County and surrounding communities First Black Doctors and Nurses
- Thomasville/Thomas County First Black Politicians
- Douglass High School Activities, Achievers and Sports
- Douglass Elementary School Era.
- All Douglass High School Alumni Association Reunions
- More Thomasville/Thomas County Black Achievers



## 5. Gallery # 5 Hallway

- Thomasville/Thomas County First Blacks in Law enforcement
- Willie H. Johnson, Jr. Multi-Media Room
- In Memory of Douglass H. S. Coach Mr. E.C. Williams
- Thomasville/Thomas County First Black Military Achievers
- St. Thomas A.M.E. Church Early Years activities
- A tribute to France G. Williams and Coach James I. Bryant's Memories



## 6. Gallery # 6.

- Black Women That Made a Difference
- Cosmetology & La Charme Beauty Culture School in Memory of Mrs. Gertrude Horne
- Some Blacks in Religion and Historical News
- Blacks in Music and Movies
- Charlie Ward, Jr., The Heisman Winner-1993 and other Local Black Sport Achievers
- Jackie Robinson and Brother Mack Robinson and other National Blacks in Sport Athletics



- Jim Crow Era in America- 1870 to 1960s and caricatures
- Poets and Writers
- Douglass High School On Parade and other Local Black Achievers
- Black Men and Women in the Bible on exhibit.



*"Thank you for visiting with us today!" – James "Jack Hadley, Museum President*