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### **DALLAS DIRECTOR'S BUFFALO SOLDIERS FILM TO SCREEN AT NEW YORK CITY FESTIVAL**

*Lindell Singleton's Betrayal of Justice will be screening at New York Monthly Film Festival January 2024*

**New York (January 7, 2024)** – *Betrayal of Justice: A Buffalo Soldier Story* – the landmark documentary film ([betrayalofjustice.com](https://betrayalofjustice.com)) directed by Lindell Singleton – is an official selection in the New York Monthly Film Festival and will screen at the Vino Theater in New York City at the end of January 2024.

An official selection to numerous film festivals, the documentary explores the cruel aftermath of a Houston riot between mobs of violent citizens and the Black soldiers of the Army's Third battalion, 24th infantry, who were stationed just outside the city at Camp Logan. The violence of the mob-- and subsequent actions by the soldiers to protect themselves and their comrades -- resulted in the court-martial of more than 100 men, including 19 executions. The execution of these men— known as Buffalo soldiers — remains one of the most tragic occurrences in U.S. military history. For years, the soldier's remains were in unmarked graves near a creek bed in San Antonio. Because of sustained efforts of historians, activists, retired military officers and the South Texas College of Law, the U.S. Army announced that the soldiers were treated unfairly because of their race and did not receive fair trials."



'Sistas with a PhD' —major supporters of this documentary — are developing an educational curriculum for secondary schools that link history, justice, and the lessons to be learned for today's youth. This curriculum will be available nationwide.

#### **About "Betrayal of Justice: A Buffalo Soldier Story"**

Considered the largest court martial in US military history, the men of the 24th Infantry were stationed amid the hostility of the Jim Crow South in Houston, Texas, to help protect the construction of Camp Logan. White townsmen and law enforcement resented black soldiers in uniform and made their sentiments clear: If you challenge the southern codes of white supremacy, there will be a price to pay. 19 soldiers paid with their lives. If you think it doesn't matter today, think again. The blood of these soldiers still cries out for justice.

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The trailer for "Betrayal of Justice" is here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2WWatapMq74> or visit: [betrayalofjustice.com](https://betrayalofjustice.com)

The film is available for church and community screenings (including a panel discussion.)