# Very Brief & Incomplete Prologue to the Civil Rights Movement of the 1950s & 1960s

## Roots of CRM before Reconstruction

- Slave Revolts
- Abolitionist Movement
- Civil War
- Emancipation Proclamation
- 13<sup>th</sup> Amendment

## Legacy of Reconstruction

- Black Codes
- 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment
- 15<sup>th</sup> Amendment
- Jim Crow
- Plessy v. Ferguson
- Booker T. Washington
- W.E.B. Dubois &NAACP

## Segregation in American History

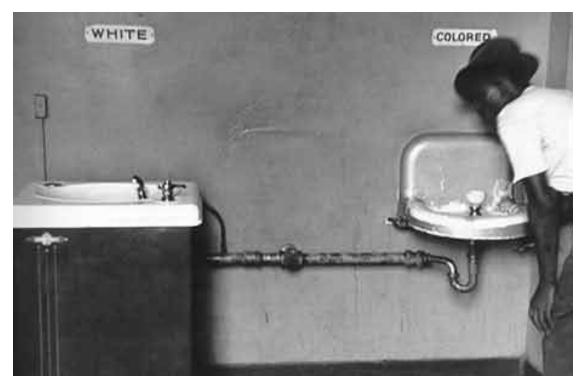
#### Definitions



- Segregation: To divide or separate
  - In American History: to divide society by race
  - What is segregated:
    - Living Spaces—Where you can live
    - Job Opportunities—what kinds of jobs are open to you
    - Public Facilities—restrooms, water fountains
    - Public Services—restaurants, trains, buses

## *De Jure* Segregation

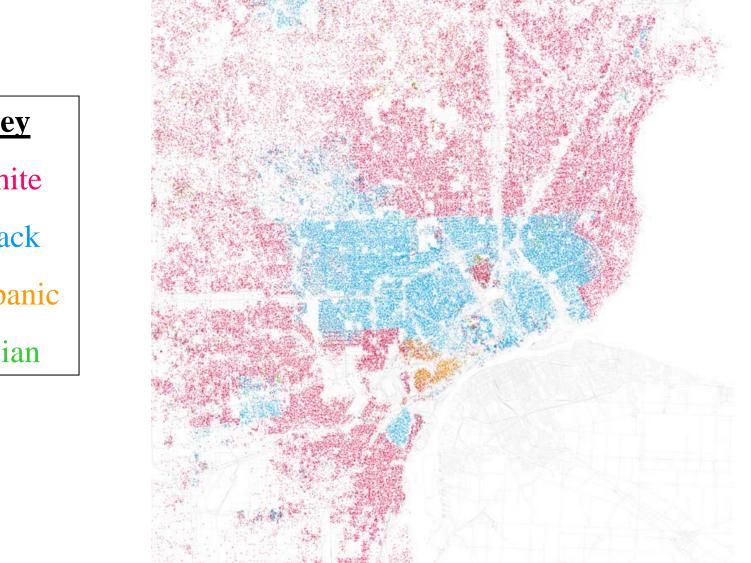
- *De Jure* = By Law
- Practiced in the south
- Justified by *Plessy v. Ferguson* (1896)
  - "Separate but Equal"—segregation is ok as long as the separate facilities are basically equal



#### De Facto Segregation

- *De Facto* = In fact or in reality
  - Informal, not enforced by law
  - Enforced by custom, norms, etc.
    - Ex. Redlining
- Practiced throughout America

#### Detroit





#### Boston

