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Please be sure to include much information on the "service of black people in the Civil War" with some emphasis on modern day Civil War Re-enactors, both male and female, who are striving to gain recognition for the African American role in the Civil War. I just read a school American history textbook. The chapter on the Civil War did not even mention black soldiers at all. Black people, both slave and free, gave significant military and non-combat service which aided the Union victory to a very large extent. Please, consider purchasing a docudrama produced in 2009 which received the Nomination for the NAACP Image Award. The film is titled, "Filling the Gap, Forgotten Chapter of American History. Please order from:

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722 Mercedes Ave.

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Price \$20 + \$3 for tax and shipping. Or maybe, there should not be tax, you can decide.

Thank you.

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