

SUGGESTED READINGS ON CHRISTMAS AND SLAVERY IN THE AMERICAN SOUTH

1. Brandon Byrd, "Ghosts of Slavery's Christmas," *Black Perspectives*, Dec. 22, 2016 (<https://www.aaihs.org/ghosts-of-slaverys-christmas/>)
2. Elizabeth A. Fenn, "'A Perfect Equality Seemed to Reign': Slave Society and Jonkonnu," *North Carolina Historical Review* 65 (April 1988): 127-153
3. Karal Ann Marling, *Merry Christmas! Celebrating America's Greatest Holiday* (Harvard University Press)
4. Robert E. May, *Yuletide in Dixie: Slavery, Christmas, and Southern Memory* (University of Virginia Press)
5. Patricia C. McKissack and Fredrick L. McKissack, *Christmas in the Big House, Christmas in the Quarters* (Scholastic Press) * **for young readers**
6. Stephen Nissenbaum, *The Battle for Christmas* (Knopf)
7. Penne L. Restad, *Christmas in America: A History* (Oxford)
8. Thomas Ruys Smith, *Christmas Past: An Anthology of Seasonal Stories from Nineteenth-Century America* (LSU)