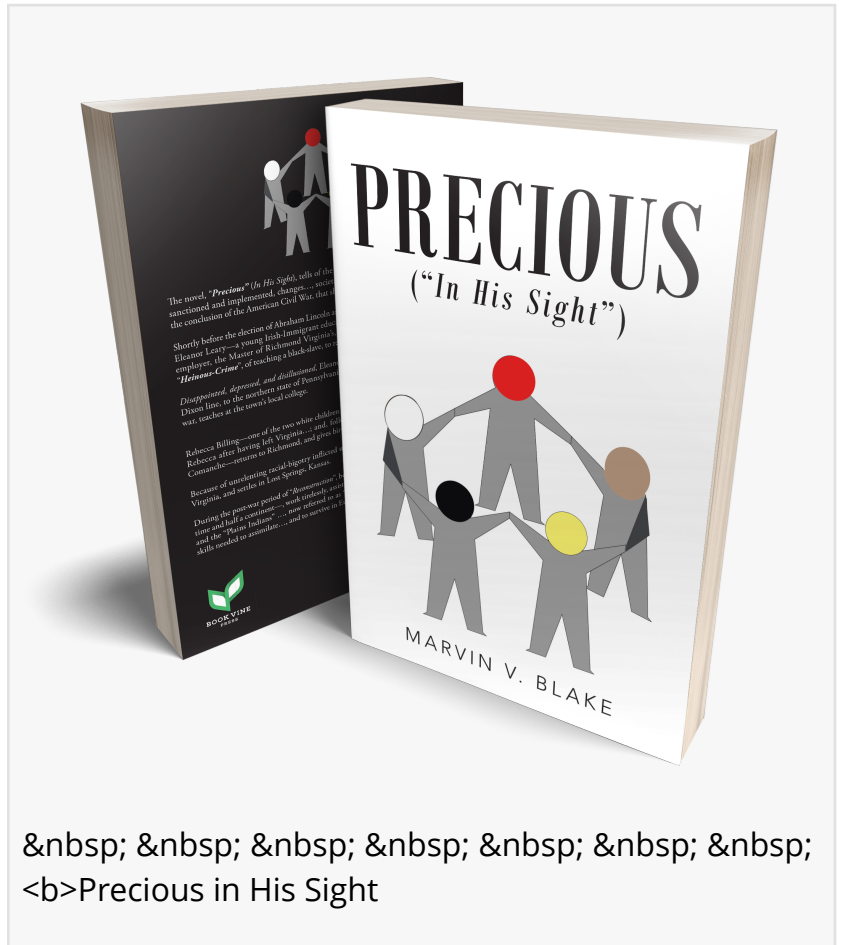


Blake writes; "Shortly before the 1860 election of Abraham Lincoln as the 16th President of the United States, Eleanor Leary-a young Irish-Immigrant educator-is summarily discharged by her



“Because of unrelenting racial-bigotry inflicted upon her mixed-blood son, Rebecca leaves Richmond, Virginia, and settles in Lost Springs, Kansas.

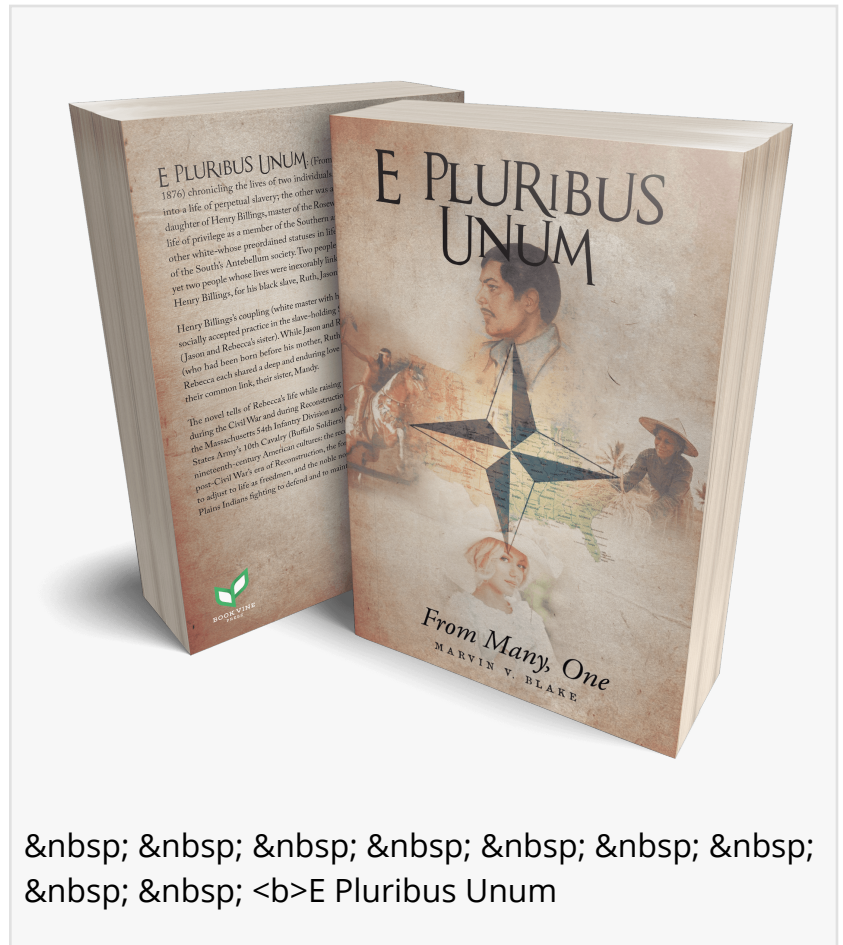
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Racial prejudice is not innate.
You've Got To Be Carefully Taught. And that;
Knowledge Is Power. And that;
Those who do not learn from, and Ignore History's Mistakes, are Doomed to repeat them."

Marvin V. Blake, Author

“During the post-Civil-War period of ‘Reconstruction,’ both Eleanor and Rebecca—separated by time and half a continent—work tirelessly, independently, assisting the former, now freed black-slaves, and the defeated ‘Plains Indians,’ now referred to as ‘The Reservation-Indians,’ to acquire the skills needed to assimilate, and to survive in Euro-Centric, American society.”

Published by [Book Vine Press](#), Marvin V. Blake's new book "Precious in His Sight", is an intriguing, fascinating novel, that will both entertain and enlighten everyone, 'Red; Brown; Yellow; Black or White;' interested in history and knowing their past.



Through his books, the author's goal is to both entertain and enlighten the readers, so that they can appreciate, how the past, has contributed to, and continues to, shape the 'present,' and our children's 'future.'

