



THE INVENTION OF THE WHITE RACE

VOLUME I: RACIAL OPPRESSION AND SOCIAL CONTROL

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?When the primary Africans arrived in Virginia in 1619, there had been no “white” human beings there. Nor, in step with colonial information, might there be for any other sixty years. In this seminal two-extent work, *The Invention of the White Race* , Theodore W. Allen tells the story of the way America’s ruling classes created the category of the “white race” as a method of social manipulate. Since that early invention, white privileges have enforced the parable of racial superiority, and that reality has been crucial to preserving ruling-magnificence domination over ordinary operating people of all colours for the duration of American history.

Volume I draws instructions from Irish records, comparing British rule in Ireland with the “white” oppression of Native Americans and African Americans. Allen information how Irish immigrants fleeing persecution learned to unfold racial oppression in their adoptive country as part of white America.

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