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Rosa Parks
Civil Rights Leader
Born 1913 - Died 2005

1. Where did Rosa Parks attend school after being homeschooled until she was eleven?

2. What did Rosa fear when she was a child?

3. What did Rosa do for a living, and how did she get to work?

4. What were the rules for white and black bus passengers before 1956?

5. Why was it wrong to have such rules?

6. What happened on December 1, 1955 when Rosa was returning home from work?

7. Why did the civil rights leaders choose to make an example of Rosa Parks' case?

8. What is a boycott, and how long did the bus boycott last ?

9. What was the Supreme Court ruling on November 13, 1956?

10. Name some ways Rosa Parks was honored during her lifetime.

11. What special honor did she receive after her death, and what was unusual about the honor?

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