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The History Project is a non-profit organization that works to preserve and promote the history of the United States. One of the project's most recent initiatives is a series of oral history interviews with notable American women. In this interview, Bridgette Booth, a civil rights activist and former

member of the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC), discusses her experiences during the civil rights movement and her thoughts on the current state of race relations in the United States.

Booth was born in 1942 in Montgomery, Alabama. She became involved in the civil rights movement at a young age, and in 1960 she joined SNCC. Booth worked with SNCC for several years, and she participated in a number of key events in the civil rights movement, including the Freedom Rides and the March on Washington. In 1964, Booth was arrested and jailed for her participation in a civil rights demonstration. She was later convicted of trespassing and sentenced to one year in prison.

After her release from prison, Booth continued to work for civil rights. She worked with the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) and the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE), and she helped to organize the Poor People's Campaign. In 1970, Booth left the United States to live in Tanzania. She returned to the United States in 1975, and she has continued to work for social justice ever since.

In this interview, Booth discusses her experiences during the civil rights movement. She talks about the challenges that she faced, the victories that she helped to achieve, and the lessons that she learned. Booth also shares her thoughts on the current state of race relations in the United States. She argues that there is still much work to be done to achieve racial equality, but she is optimistic about the future. She believes that the United States can overcome its history of racism and become a more just and equitable society.

The History Project is grateful to Bridgette Booth for sharing her story. Her interview is a valuable addition to the project's oral history collection. The project hopes that this interview will help to preserve the history of the civil rights movement and inspire future generations of activists.

The History Project is a non-profit organization that works to preserve and promote the history of the United States. The project's oral history collection includes interviews with notable American women, including Bridgette Booth, Rosa Parks, and Eleanor Roosevelt. The project's website also includes a number of educational resources, including lesson plans and primary source documents.



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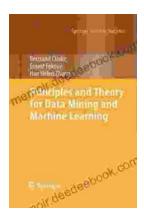


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