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## Rastafari View Reparation Repatriation

Even since this early years (time) of the Rastafari Movement the desire for reparation has been major aspect of the movement in fact under close security the only commonalities that all of the various houses and mansion of Rastafari have:

1) The Belief in the divinity of H.I.M. Haile Selassie I The 1st, the aspiration for reparation to what Rastafari viea as the mother land, Africa.

Rastafari's primary focus on the demand for repatriation as part package that is owed to Black people in the west is base on the notion that the transatlantic slave trade entailed the forcible and involuntary removal of africans from África. Not only did this bring about the displacement of the enslaved african bot to the mental anguish tormentand psychic displacement of their descendants.

To compound the upon their arrival in the new world the enslaved africans were robbed of their language culture and religion in addition to having been torn away from there homeland thebdevastation that this wroght on the psche of first their descendants is immeasurable hen there was the matter of the devastion that was inflicted on the population and familiies of west africa itself as a consecuence of so many africans being forcible removed from the continent - to this day all of the west africans were captured and enslaved remain under populated save for Nigeria.

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