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Walk into any racially mixed high school and you will see Black, White, and Latino youth clustered in their own groups. Is this self-segregation a problem to address or a coping strategy? A renowned authority on the psychology of racism argues that straight talk about our racial identities is essential if we are serious about enabling communication across racial and ethnic divides.

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A young woman from Nigeria leaves behind her home and her first love to start a new life in America, only to find her dreams are not all she expected.

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