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Nonfiction Books for Teens
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Almost Astronauts: Thirteen Women Who Dared to Dream by Tanya Lee Stone Candlewick, February 2009

Claudette Colvin: Twice Toward Freedom by Phillip Hoose Farrar, Straus and Giroux, January 2009

Years of Dust: The Story of the Dust Bowl by Albert Marrin Dutton, August 2009

Charles and Emma: The Darwins’ Leap of Faith by Deborah Heiligman Henry Holt, 2008


How Does It Feel to Be a Problem? Being Young and Arab in America by Moustafa Bayoumi Penguin, 2008

Resources for locating great teen nonfiction:

Sibert Award for Distinguished Informational Books
http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/alsc/awardsgrants/bookmedia/sibertmedal/index.cfm

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