# EMMETT TILL INTERPRETIVE CENTER

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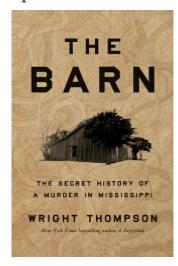
# What We Accomplished This Year Thanks to You

As we look toward the end of the year, we see that Giving Tuesday (December 3rd) is fast approaching. Held on the Tuesday after Thanksgiving, Giving Tuesday began in 2012 as a movement dedicated to centering charitable giving amidst the holiday frenzy. It gives nonprofits the chance to spread their message and gives supporters the opportunity to reflect on how they can best support the causes that matter to them.

Thanks to your support last year, President Biden signed an executive order designating the Emmett Till and Mamie Till-Mobley National Monument. This milestone represented years of effort among a coalition of partners across the country. While we at the Emmett Till Interpretive Center are proud of that achievement, the work continues.

# Here's a sampling of what your contributions helped ETIC accomplish in 2024:

Wright Thompson's <u>The Barn</u>, a New York Times best-seller, provides a deep dive on our organization as he follows our community and staff over the past three years.





We hosted the fourth annual Mississippi Delta Film Academy, during which high school students received hands-on instruction from professionals to learn about filmmaking strategies so they can tell their own stories.

We launched a new iteration of the Emmett Till Memory Project, a website providing a self-guided tour of sites connected to Emmett's legacy.





We continued the tour of the traveling exhibit,

<u>Emmett Till & Mamie Till-Mobley: Let the World</u>

<u>See</u>, which won <u>an award</u> from the American

Association for State and Local History!

Photo courtesy of the Northwest African American Museum

We presented at the Smithsonian's conference gathering people committed to preserving Emmett's memory. The conference accompanied the exhibit, <u>Reckoning with Remembrance: History, Injustice, and the Murder of Emmett Till</u>, featuring our bulletriddled river site sign.





We participated in over thirty community events, including a book drive to provide books for local students.

We held our third annual memorial service with nearly 250 attendees at the barn where Emmett was beaten and murdered.





We continued to support the National Park Service, giving tours of Till sites and completing installation of a permanent copy of the *Let the World See* exhibit in the Monument's Visitor Center.

We will be planning various events throughout 2025, the 70th anniversary of the murder, to commemorate Emmett and Mamie. Your contributions will help us make next year one of special remembrance. We hope you will <u>support us</u> as we continue to tell this important American story.

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# **ETIC 2024** BY THE NUMBERS









# 7800+ attendees

saw the Emmett Till and Mamie Till-Mobley: Let the World See traveling exhibit



### 2200+ visitors

toured the Emmett Till sites in Mississippi with our staff



### 230+ supporters

laid a rose for Emmett during the third annual commemoration service



#### 30+ community events

ETIC participated in as a sponsor, participant, or attendee

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