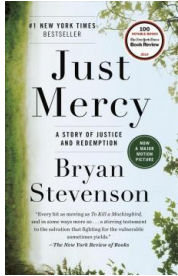




# Community Raving About Books (C.R.A.B.) Book Club Guide



***Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption* by Bryan Stevenson**  
Spiegel & Grau, 2014; 368 pages/audio 11 hours

“A passionate account of the ways our nation thwarts justice and inhumanely punishes the poor and disadvantaged.”  
—Booklist, 10/15/2014

## **Summary**

The founder of the Equal Justice Initiative in Montgomery, Alabama recounts his experiences as a lawyer working to assist those desperately in need, reflecting on his pursuit of the ideal of compassion in American justice.

## **Author Information**

Bryan Stevenson is the executive director of the Equal Justice Initiative in Montgomery, Alabama, and a professor of law at New York University Law School. He has won relief for dozens of condemned prisoners, argued five times before the Supreme Court, and won national acclaim for his work challenging bias against the poor and people of color. He has received numerous awards, including the MacArthur Foundation "Genius" Grant.

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