WE'VE GOT A JOB
THE 1963 BIRMINGHAM CHILDREN'S MARCH
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We’ve Got a Job: The 1963 Birmingham Children’s March

By Cynthia Levinson

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We’ve Got a Job by Cynthia Levinson (Published in February 2012 in South China) is a nonfiction title that explains how African Americans were being treated in the 60’s and how they protested and had meetings to try and earn their rights as a citizen in Birmingham, Alabama. Famous African Americans who protested are included in this book.
Cynthia Levinson:

• Cynthia Levinson made *We’ve Got a Job* book because she was inspired by how brave African Americans were in the 60’s to protest and argue for their freedom.

• Cynthia Levinson was astonished when she realized almost all of the African American protesters in Birmingham were children. This was the main inspiration for Cynthia Levinson to write *We’ve Got a Job*. 
Did You Know?

• Surprisingly, African American adults rarely protested. The adults had jobs to keep, and they didn’t want to lose them by protesting. It was mainly the children and teenagers that had protested for their freedom.

• Even more surprisingly, some African American protesters attempted to get arrested for their protesting so that they could inspire other African Americans to stand up for themselves.
Does *We’ve Got a Job* do its Job?

*We’ve Got a Job* does a good job at telling the reader that people all deserve to be treated equally. So many African Americans in this book had joined in protests to get treated like everyone else. Hopefully, this book will make people wake up and realize how bad racism is. The reader is put into an African American’s perspective in Birmingham in the 1960’s and will understand why they fought for themselves.
When Washington Booker III realized that Caucasians had more rights than African Americans, he got into plenty of trouble. When Wash was in 7th Grade, he and his friends would skip school all the time. Sometimes Wash and his friends would skip school for weeks and camp out in the woods nearby.
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