The Haitian Revolution (Revolutions)
Synopsis

Toussaint L’Ouverture was the leader of the Haitian Revolution in the late eighteenth century, in which slaves rebelled against their masters and established the first black republic. In this collection of his writings and speeches, former Haitian politician Jean-Bertrand Aristide demonstrates L’Ouverture’s profound contribution to the struggle for equality.

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The high point of Haiti’s history. I found Aristide’s introductory essay irritating because any comparison between him and L’Ouverture reflects badly on the current generation of Haitians. We have not lived up to the lofty hopes of our forebears. A good book all the same.

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