There was something very, very interesting about the Black response to me as contrasted with their response to the white radicals. Not only did they respond to me differently because I was not white, but they responded to me differently because I knew and said that *I didn't know what to say*.

I was a Chinese American living in an African American community or in a white community and saw myself as a part *of* and a part *from* the community around myself.

I think it's given me many a great opportunity to be more things than one thing.

GRACE LEE BOGGS

Grace Lee Boggs was a civil rights activist, philosopher, author, and daughter of Chinese immigrants who was heavily involved with the Black Power Movement in Detroit. At Barnard College, Grace studied Kant and Hegel, who inspired Grace to keep her mind open to new ideas, especially when everything around her was changing. She started Detroit Summer, a multicultural intergenerational youth program that engages youth in Detroit's history and Detroit's future. These quotes were taken from extra footage shot for but not featured in the documentary American Revolutionary: The Evolution of Grace Lee Boggs. Grace is one of the women featured in the Women of Color Against the War series.

