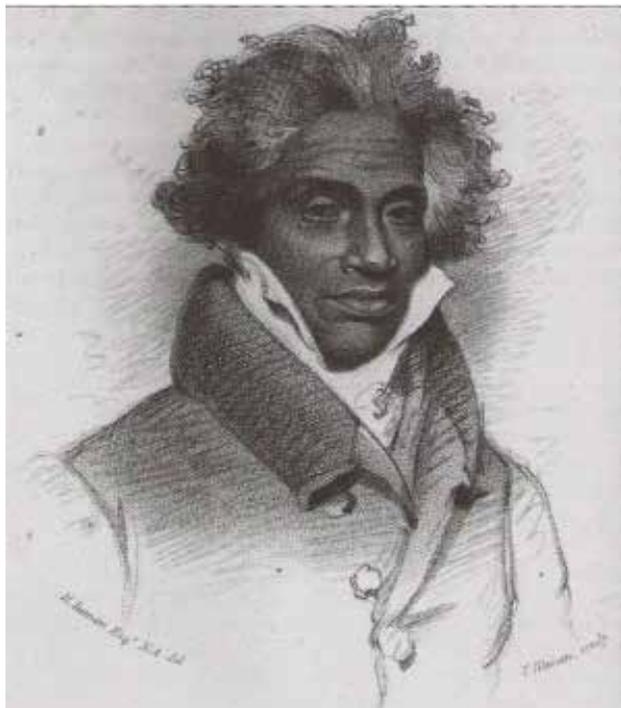




From Prince to Slave to Freedom



Date: Saturday, February 16, 2013

Time: 10:00 a.m

Location: Natchez Trace Parkway
Visitor Center

Cost: Free of charge

Join guest speaker Bruce Smith as the Natchez Trace Parkway commemorates Black History Month. Mr. Smith will present the story of Prince Abdul-Rahman. In Africa, he was heir to a throne; in Natchez he was purchased as an enslaved person by a cotton and tobacco farmer. He eventually became the overseer of a plantation, was later freed, and returned to Africa forty years after his enslavement.

The Natchez Trace Parkway Visitor Center is located at milepost 266, two miles north of Highway 78 near Tupelo, MS. For more information, please contact the Natchez Trace Parkway Visitor Center at 662-680-4027 or visit the park's website: www.nps.gov/natr.