

# Nat Love - African American cowboy

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Description: Surveys the life of Nat Love, African American cowboy, renowned for his riding, roping, and sharpshooting.



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Those up for the challenge chose to venture into the frontier and become cowboys. When he left town reputation as Deadwood Dick followed him.

#### Nat Love: A True Original

As a kid, the rodeo was like his playground.

#### Nat Love

During his program, Nat Love surrounds himself with the objects that made up his life: a cowhide, a Winchester rifle, and the brands that helped cattlemen like Love identify which cattle were theirs and which belonged to other ranchers.

#### The fascinating life of Nat Love, America's most famous black cowboy in the 1870s

He sold the horse for one hundred dollars and gave half to his mother, and he used the other half to leave town.

#### Nat Love, aka: Deadwood Dick

In 1872 Love went to work for the Gallinger Ranch in Arizona, where he remained for many years. He became a champion rifleman by placing 14 out of 14 shots in the center of a target at 250 yards.

#### How Black Cowboys Built the American West: A Living History

When slavery ended, Sampson attempted to start a family farm to raise tobacco and corn, but he died shortly after the second crop was planted.

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