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BLACK HISTORY

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Safeway honors the achievements of black men and women and salutes their contributions in science, art, government, and countless other fields.

This year we spotlight Shirley A. Chisholm, whose campaign motto "unbought and unbossed" helped her become the first African-American Congresswoman. While in congress she served on several House committees including Veterans Affairs, Education, and Labor, and helped found the Congressional Black Caucus and the Congressional Women's Caucus. An outspoken advocate for children and education, "Fighting Shirley" became the first African-American major party candidate to run for President of the United States.

Congresswoman
Presidential
Candidate

Shirley A. Chisholm

1924-2005

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