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Kaepernick Writes on Activism

Says new memoir meant to inspire

(AP) -- Colin Kaepernick, the NFL quarterback who knelt during the national anthem to protest racial injustice and police brutality is writing a memoir and audio book through his own publishing com-

Kaepernick led the San Francisco 49ers to the Super Bowl in 2013, where they lost to the Baltimore Ravens. He knelt during the anthem in 2016 and dozens of players initially joined him. It created a national debate and drew taunts from President

The 32-year-old Kaepernick has been out of a job in the NFL the last three years. He filed a grievance against the league, contending teams colluded to keep him out. The sides reached an undisclosed settle-

Kaepernick will write about that experience and what prompted his activism. Lately, he's been reach-



Former NFL football quarterback Colin Kaepernick is writing a memoir. (AP photo)

through the Know Your Rights Camp, which he founded. It instructs youths on understanding their rights, education and interacting with law enforcement.

"My protest was the culmination of years of thought and experiences, of learning and unlearning," Kaepernick said in a statement. "I want to tell the story of my evo- sion. That resulted in no job offers.

ing audiences around the country lution, and the events that led me to protest systemic oppression, in hopes that it will inspire others to rise in action."

> Kaepernick says he still wants to play football. A chaotic NFL workout he had last November in Atlanta was moved to another location after Kaepernick was unhappy with the rules the league placed on the ses-



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