"Black in Latin America: Brazil, A Racial Paradise?"



In 2010 Henry Louis Gates began an exploration of the legacies of slavery in Latin America. Latin America and the Caribbean have the largest concentration of people with African ancestry outside of Africa, in some countries up to 70%. Brazil is one of the countries investigated by Prof. Gates, a country that often describes itself as a "racial paradise," with a culture shaped by both Africans and the Portuguese as shown in this film.

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