

Bessie Coleman!

Bessie Coleman was born in Atlanta, Texas on January 26, 1892. Coleman was one of 13 children, she grew up in Watahatchie, Langston, Oklahoma, before moving to Chicago. She worked as a manicurist and a restaurant manager, but she was more interested in being a aviator. Bessie Coleman was an Aviator. She wanted to start a flying school for African Americans. Coleman specialized in stunt flying and parachuting. She earned a living by performing aerial tricks. Bessie Coleman inspired young African American. Woman to take flight

Sources: Britannica.com, Woman's history.com, Mamizi.com, www. National aviation.com!



January 26,1892- April 30,1926

Bessie Coleman was the first civilian licensed African American pilot in the world. She raised money for an African American Flying School.

Fun facts! 😊

- ***Her husbands name was Claude Glenn***
- ***She had no children!***
- ***She was the first African American woman to take flight!***

“I refuse to take no as an answer”- Bessie Coleman