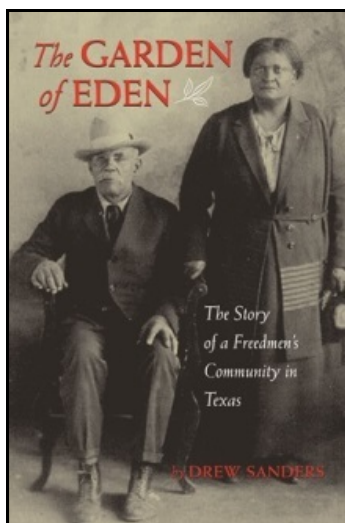


A Tale of Two Families: The Cheney-Sanders History in Fort Worth



with Drew Sanders, Independent Scholar

Come with us on a journey into the Garden of Eden neighborhood of Fort Worth. In commemoration of African American History Month, author Drew Sanders will share the history of the Cheney-Sanders family and of the freedman's community they established. Drawing from personal interviews and exhaustive research, Sanders will recall the joys and sorrows of life in the Garden from its early days as a flourishing farm to its 21st century role as the city's first African American historic and cultural landmark district. A book signing will follow the presentation.

Drew Sanders is a graduate of Eastern New Mexico University and retired after a thirty-eight year career with Texas Industries. *The Garden of Eden: The Story of a Freedman's Community in Tarrant County, Texas* is the culmination of a lifelong interest in family and local history.

Saturday, February 6, 2016

10:30am to Noon

Tandy Lecture Hall, Fort Worth Central Library, 500 W. 3rd Street

Free Admission

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