

Simon Burris: *Africana Diaspora
 Black History Month II Crossword
 **Historic Black Women
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Across

1. **Vice President Kamala
7. **Women's tennis champion ___ Gauff (2023)
11. Mount of ___ (John 8:1)
12. **Ruth: ethnic stock Palestinian; (great grandmother of David and an ancestor of Jesus; Matt. 1:5,6)
13. **Makeda of S__ba (Arabia; world's richest queen; 1Kings 10)
14. **Tennis great Williams
16. "Mamma ___!"
18. Mississippi Attorney (abbr.)
19. __aha, Nebraska
20. Single leg part (2 wds.)
22. ___rse (prepare, in a way)
25. New Testament Guide, for short
26. La-la lead-in (song)
27. Long ___, California
29. *Mr. Belafonte
32. Nine, in old Rome
33. **"Selma" film director DuVernay
35. "Norma ___" 1979 movie
36. Regret
39. Yes, in Cuba
40. **"First Lady of Song" Fitzgerald
41. **Activist Davis or actress Bassett
45. **Celeb like Beyonce, so to speak
46. **"Queen of Soul" Franklin ("Respect")

Down

1. A syllabe from Santa Claus
2. *Green or Roper
3. **Pop music icon from Barbados
4. I__rside, (California city)
5. Latin for "that is"
6. Snake sounds
7. **"___men Jones" (1954 Dorothy Dandridge film)
8. Raw rock
9. Kayak

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10. **Michelle ___ America's First Lady and author of "Becoming"
15. **"Santa Baby" Kitt singer and actress
16. **__ry McLeod Bethune educator
17. __EA (furniture brand)
18. **__ Markle American Duchess of Sussex (British royal family)
21. And so forth
23. Period of time
24. **__ Tubman abolitionist and poet
27. **Simone ___ Olympics gymnast champion
28. Praise
30. **Ty__ supermodel
31. *Kanye West, formerly
34. *Vermont: African American (history), for short
37. Monroe, Louisiana, briefly
38. Corn unit
39. Star Guard Elite (initials)
42. *_ipsey _ussell (comedian/poet)
43. **Musical Horne's monogram
44. Battery size

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