



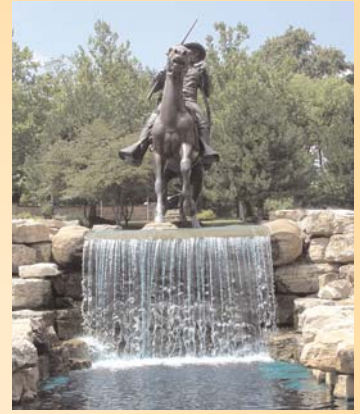
# **BUFFALO SOLDIERS THE LOST LEGACY**

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SO MANY TO SERVE SO MANY TO DIE  
TREATED DIFFERENT FOR COLOR  
DEDICATED BY PRIDE  
FEARED BY THE ENEMY  
ADMIRER BY SAME  
GAVE THEIR SACRED IDOL  
AS OUR LASTING NAME  
OUR HONOR AND TRUST  
WAS CHALLENGED BY ALL  
WHEN THE COUNTRY REQUESTED  
WE STILL ANSWERED THE CALL  
WE PUT ASIDE DIFFERENCES  
TILL MISSIONS COMPLETE  
ONLY TO RETURN  
TO OUR UNEQUALED SEAT  
WE JUST PERSEVERED  
PRAYING OUR DAY OF JUSTICE  
IS SOON GROWING NEAR  
WITH OUR INTEGRATION  
NEW CHALLENGES FACED  
WE SERVE WITH THE MASSES  
BUT WE SUFFER FOR RACE  
OUR UNITS DISBANDED  
OUR LEGACY LOST  
FOR ALL WE HAD DONE  
IN THE GARBAGE WAS TOSSED  
MOVING THROUGH HISTORY  
OUR SOLDIERS PUSHED ON  
WITH NO BAND OR SIGNING  
PRONOUNCING OUR SONG  
1992 JULY 25  
RESTORATION WAS MADE  
TO RESTORE OUR GREAT PRIDE  
A BRONZE STATUE ERECTED  
FOR THE EYES OF BEHOLDERS  
TO KNOW THE TRUE LEGACY  
OF THE BUFFALO SOLDIERS