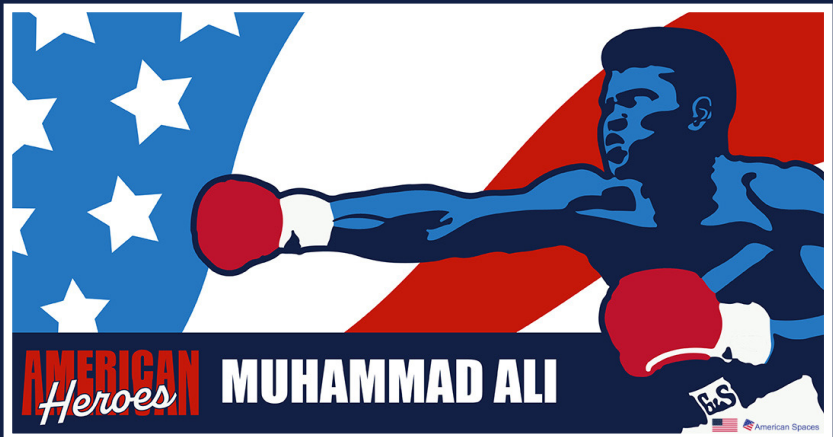
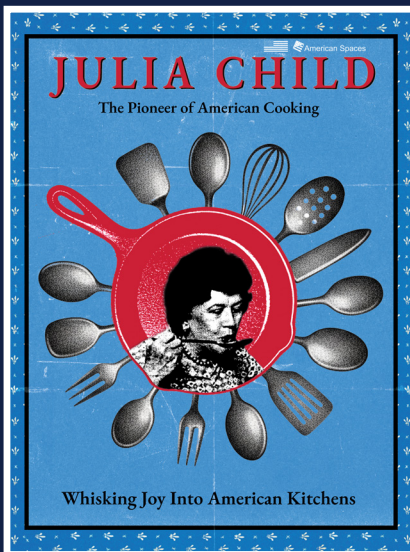


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AMERICAN *Heroes*



- Jackie Robinson • Maria Tallchief • Aretha Franklin
- Julia Child • Muhammad Ali



Jackie Robinson

Jackie Robinson (1919–1972) broke Major League Baseball’s color barrier in 1947 when he joined the Brooklyn Dodgers. His courage, talent, and commitment to equality helped transform American sports and advanced the cause of civil rights in the United States.

Maria Tallchief

Maria Tallchief (1925–2013) was America’s first major prima ballerina and a member of the Osage Nation. Her extraordinary talent and achievements helped establish ballet as a respected art form in the United States and inspired generations of dancers.



Aretha Franklin



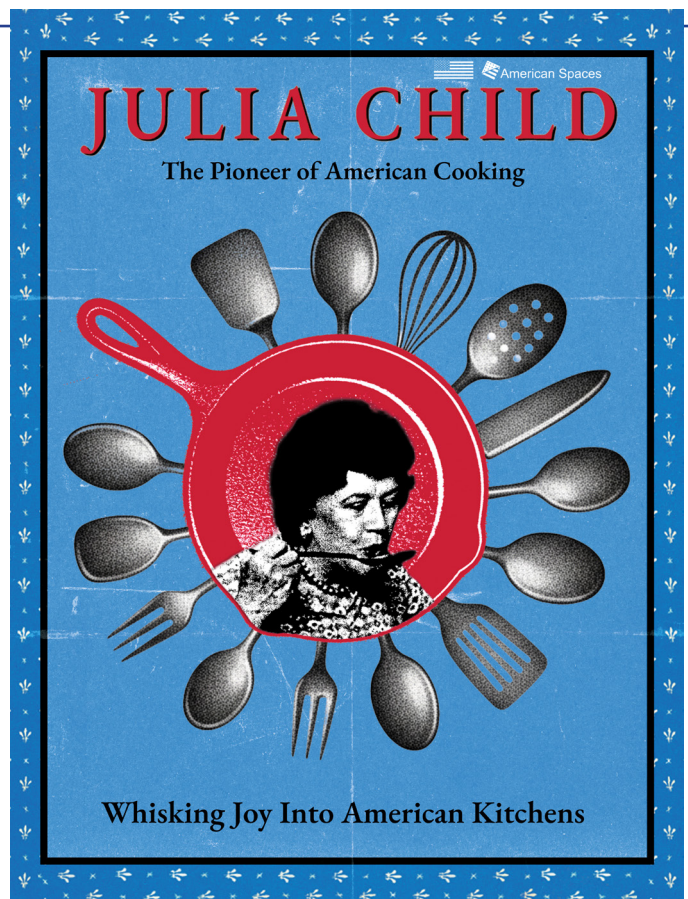
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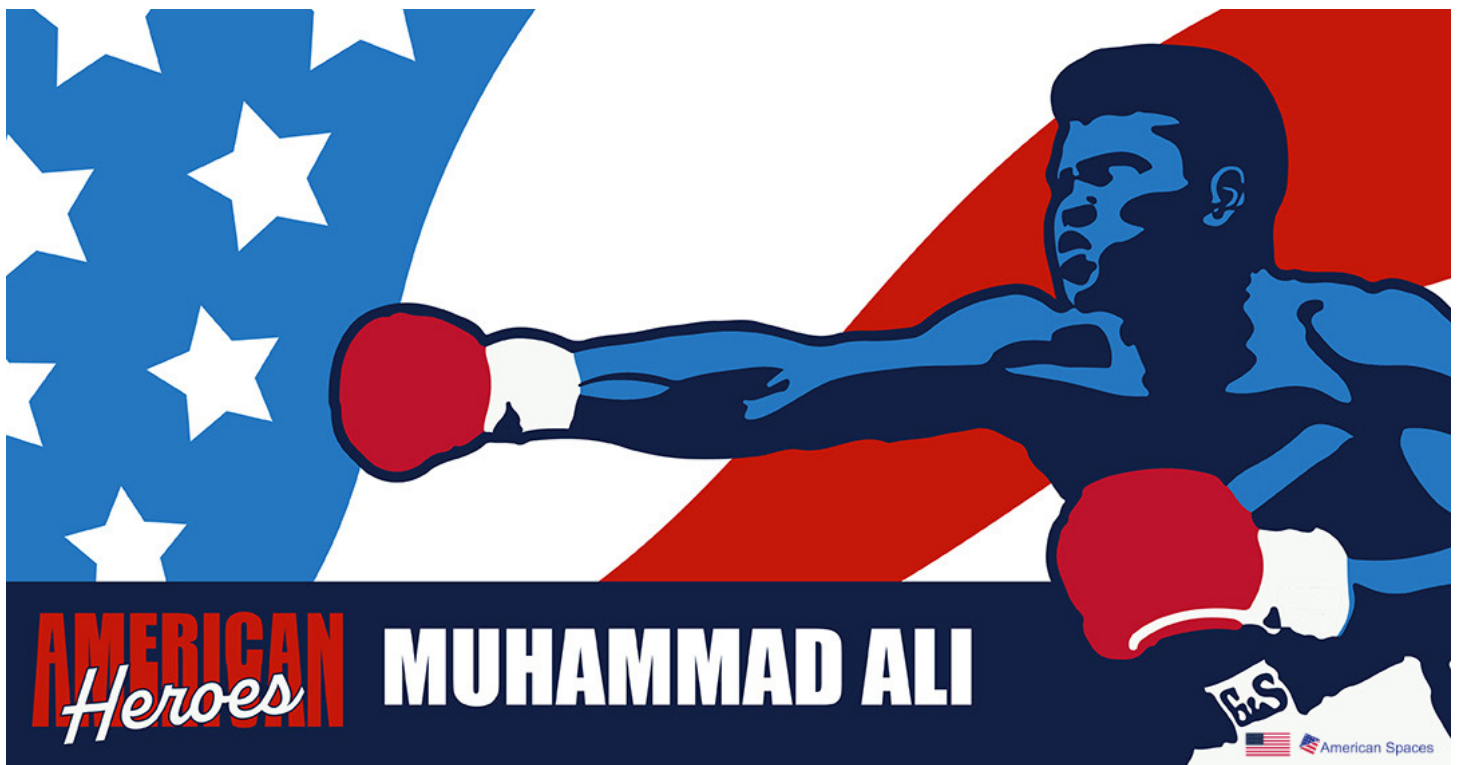
Aretha Franklin

Aretha Franklin (1942–2018), known as the “Queen of Soul,” was one of the most influential singers in American history. Her powerful voice and advocacy for civil rights and women’s rights made her a cultural icon around the world.

Julia Child

Julia Child (1912–2004) introduced French cuisine to millions of Americans through her books and television programs. Her passion for cooking, education, and cultural exchange changed the way Americans approached food and home cooking.





Muhammad Ali

Muhammad Ali (1942–2016) was a legendary boxer, humanitarian, and activist. Celebrated for his athletic achievements and his willingness to stand up for his beliefs, Ali became a global symbol of courage, dignity, and social change.

Through their achievements in sports, arts, culture, and social progress, these American heroes continue to inspire future generations and reflect the diversity, creativity, and resilience of the American experience.



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