## **My Favorite Books**

## **TOP TEN:**

## 1. Bible

- 2. The Autobiography of Malcolm X as told to Alex Haley
- 3. *My American Journey* by Colin Powell
- 4. **Outliers: The Story of Success** by Malcolm Gladwell
- 5. *Becoming* by Michelle Obama
- 6. *The Giver* by Lois Lowry
- 7. The Alchemist by Paulo Coelho
- 8. The Soul of America: The Battle for Our Better Angels by Jon Meacham
- 9. Who Will Cry for the Little Boy by Antwone Fisher
- 10. Thank You, Mr. Falker by Patricia Polacco

## **HONORABLE MENTIONS:**

Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents by Isabel Wilkerson
Begin Again: James Baldwin's America and Its Urgent Lessons for Our Own by Eddie S. Glaude Jr.
The Skin I'm In by Sharon G. Flake
Between the World and Me by Ta-Nehisi Coates
The Tipping Point: How Little Things Can Make a Big Difference by Malcolm Gladwell
Black Profiles in Courage: A Legacy of African American Achievement by Kareem Abdul-Jabber and Alan Steinberg