

## AFRICAN AMERICAN GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

FEATURING RENOWNED  
GENEALOGIST  
MELVIN J. COLLIER

**Time: 1:00 pm**

**Date: 2/18/2012**

**Roswell Adult Recreation Center  
Ballroom**

Renowned genealogist Melvin J. Collier will present a workshop on tracing African American roots. The workshop will focus on discovering African American heritage and research utilizing different methods including oral histories, DNA testing, and slave documents. Melvin appeared as one of the expert genealogists on the Spike Lee episode of *Who Do You Think You Are* on NBC that aired on April 30, 2010. This episode highlighted Spike Lee's search for his ancestry in Georgia. He is also the author of two books, *Mississippi to Africa* and *150 Years Later*.



Spike Lee and Melvin J. Collier

**Admission: \$5.00**

### Location Details

Roswell Adult Recreation Center  
830 Grimes Bridge Road  
Roswell, Georgia 30075



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