

# Bounce TV & Brown Sugar Celebrate Black History Month



Bounce TV and Brown Sugar will honor Black History Month with programming that will recognize the work and contributions of African Americans. Bounce's schedule will include:

*King*– A three-part mini-series about Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. starting from his days as a Baptist minister and activist to his 1968 untimely ending on the balcony of the Lorraine Motel in Memphis. Paul Winfield stars as King with a cast that includes Cicely Tyson, Howard E. Rollins Jr. and Ossie Davis.Â

*Southside With You*– The story of the 1989 afternoon when Barack and Michelle Obama had their first date in Chicago.Â

*Road To Freedom: The Vernon Johns Story*- James Earl Jones stars as Veron John who preceded Martin Luther King Jr. as the minister of the Dexter Avenue Church in Montgomery, Alabama and is known as the father of the Civil Rights Movement.Â

Brown Sugar's curated collection for Black History Month is called A Change Is Gonna Come and includes documentaries and movies including:Â

*A Woman Called Moses*– Cicely Tyson stars as Harriet Tubman the escaped slave who organized the Underground Railroad.Â

*Huey P. Newton: Prelude To A Revolution*– Huey P. Newton was the Black Panther Minister of Defense and the film is a detailed look at his life.Â

*Michelle Obama: With Hope Comes Change*– The 2019 documentary

about Michelle Obama's journey from a working-class family on the south side of Chicago to the first family in the White House.Â

For the complete schedule check the [Bounce website](#).Â

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## **Brown Sugar Celebrating Black Music Month With Prince, Michael Jackson, BeyoncÃ© & Rihanna**



Brown Sugar is celebrating Black Music Month with a collection of films from Prince: *Purple Rain*, Michael Jackson: *The Journey*, BeyoncÃ©: *On Top*,Â Rihanna: *No Regrets*Â and The Winans: *The Lost Concert*.Â

The video on demand has a lineup for Father's Day called Brown Sugar Daddies that includes a series of films with strong father figures. Don Cheadle's *Hotel Rwanda*, *Souder* starring Paul Winfield, James Earl Jones' *The River Niger* and season six of *Family Time* with Omar Gooden.Â

Brown Sugar is available via Apple TV, Chromecast, Roku, Comcast Xfinity X1, Amazon Channels, Amazon Kindle, Android and Apple Smartphones.Â

For the full lineup of programming check out [BrownSugar.com](#).Â

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# Brown Sugar Will Celebrate Pam Grier's 70th Birthday In May



Bounce TV's Brown Sugar channel will honor the queen of action movies Pam Grier's 70th birthday in May with a collection of her movies. Grier's *Coffy*, *Sheba, Baby*, *Friday Foster*, *The Big Bird Cage*, *The Big Doll House* and *Women In Cages* will stream on the channel. It was during the 1970s when Grier became famous as a fierce and physical onscreen heroine with style. Her characters were fearless and would take on any villain with force and feminine power. Grier's work paved the way for every woman who played an action hero after her including Angelia Jolie, Michelle Rodriguez, and Gal Gadot among others. She soared again in the '90s with Quentin Tarantino's *Jackie Brown* that was created just for her. Grier will celebrate her birthday next month with Brown Sugar's programming dedicated to her and she will also be seen in the new movie *Poms* which opens on May 10th.Â

For more information about Brown Sugar visit [www.BrownSugar.com](http://www.BrownSugar.com).Â

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# Brown Sugar Video-On-Demand Service Makes Xfinity X1 Debut



Bounce TV's Brown Sugar video-on-demand service is now available on Comcast's Xfinity X1. Brown Sugar has a broad library of Black movies through several eras including classic titles including *Guess Who's Coming To Dinner*, blaxploitation; *Super Fly* and critically acclaimed like *Monster's Ball*. There are music documentaries on Beyonce, Prince, Michael Jackson and more. Brown Sugar can also be accessed through Apple TV, Amazon Channels, Roku, Amazon Kindle, Android, Apple smartphones and tablets and web browsers via [Brownsugar.com](http://Brownsugar.com). Subscribers can try the service for free on a seven-day trial period. The \$3.99 a month service can be added to a viewer's streaming options by simply saying "Brown Sugar" into their X1 Voice Remote or by finding it within Xfinity's networks section.Â Â