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The Family Tree: Getting Honest About White Southern History

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“Branan has written a book of exceptional courage. She gives us a rare glimpse into the lives and minds of white southerners who lynched their black neighbors, engaged in moonshining, lived desperate lives, and yet were held in high esteem in their communities. As much as any book I know, The Family Tree gives a human face to the tragic human relations of the Jim Crow South.”

–W. Fitzhugh Brundage, author of Lynching in the New South: Georgia and Virginia 1880-1930

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