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Addition to J. W. Franklins, Jr.'s letter to James M<sup>c</sup>Coin

The guest speaker for the New York C.O.R.E. meeting of February 28, 1962, was Malcolm X, leader of the Muslim Religion (better known as the Black Nationalists).

Malcolm X's speech was contradictory to C.O.R.E. principles. He insulted C.O.R.E. as a whole, as well as every white member of C.O.R.E., and every decent thinking person. He advocated the Muslim Religion and segregation of the races.

Some of his statements were as follows:

1. "Blacks should marry blacks."
2. "Whites should marry whites."
3. "The whites who are present are here because of guilt complexes, not because they want to help the Negro help himself."
4. "C.O.R.E. should not picket the white man's business; Negroes should establish their own businesses."
5. "Negroes should not work in jobs intended for white men."

This meeting was a disgrace to C.O.R.E.

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Malcolm X was invited to speak to  
New York C.O.R.E. by Edward Mollette,  
chairman of the Program Committee; and  
endorsed by our chairman Gladys Harrington.