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Why can't people just live together peacefully with one another and not have to be bothered by the

colour of their skin. This is a question that has been asked ever since.

The killing of George Floyd has sparked protests all over the world. There have been cases of vandalising properties, looting of stores and this has been due to the killing of George Floyd.

Will Smith once said, Racism is not being stopped it is being filmed. I just hope one day people will see that God created us all equally and the issue of racism will be over.