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Zulaikha protested against the rule of not being able to wear her natural hair at an all girls school in South Africa because she believed that there is absolutely nothing wrong with wearing natural hair, to represent her African heritage and culture. Many other ^{children} girls also believed that it was racist to ban young, black girls from wearing their natural hair.

In my opinion, what Zulaikha did was good because she stood up for what she believed in and I was definitely inspired by her actions. Just like Zulaikha, many African heroes and heroes have stood up for what they believed in.

For example:

In the late 1950's, black people were not allowed to sit together with white people on buses. On December 1st, a 42 year old woman with the name of Rosa Parks saw that there were no seats in the section where black people were supposed to sit therefore, she sat in the white section in the state of Montgomery, Alabama. An officer instructed Rosa Parks to stand up but she didn't. Her feet had been hurting her all day and she believed that segregation was wrong. Rosa Parks got arrested just because she fought for what she believed in. Rosa Parks family and friends protested and decided to do something called a boycott, which means that they were not going to ride buses until ^{the} white people stopped being racist. Finally white people gave in and decided that they would let black people ^{to} sit anywhere on any bus.

You see, Rosa Parks stood up for what she believed in

even though there were obstacles in her way. 19

So I think that Zulaikha and Rosa Parks are brilliant examples for standing up for what ~~you~~ they believed in and I would definitely do the same for my colour of skin.

For example:

If I was applying for a job and one of the interview approvals was to bleach my skin, I would certainly be shocked and I would protest against that approval. 33

In a nutshell, I believe that what Zulaikha did was right and I hope to one day follow in her footsteps. 30

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