

Great Migration Infographic

Appomattox County Outmigration



Demographics

43.5% Female
56.5% Male

Popular Occupations

1. Laborer
2. Housewife
3. Miner
4. Domestic work

Chapman
Johnson, Detroit,
MI: Truck Driver

Albert Johnson,
Detroit, MI:
Chauffeur

Phoebe Porter,
Lynchburg, VA:
Cook

Where do people emigrate once they leave Appomattox County?

14.1%
Pittsburg

9%
Buchanan

17.3%
Lynchburg

6.4%
Philadelphia



Why did people emigrate?

The Great Migration resulted in African Americans migrating from the South to large urban cities in the North. Most people migrated in search of better economic opportunity.

