

American Dreamers Trailer

Transcript

Claire Clotley: My name is Claire Clotley and I suppose you can say I'm an American dreamer. I made the bold decision to leave my birthplace and home in the UK in pursuit of a better life in the USA.

I'm a very proud black, British gynae in London. And. To an African-American man. And although I initially moved for love, I used my head and my hearts to seriously consider the pros and cons of relocating from London to Las Vegas, lifestyle, culture, climate, Korea, income opportunities, relationships, health care, education, freedom of movement.

So many things to think about. At least we speak the same language you might say, trust me, this is not always the case. Rubbish versus trash trunk versus boots, toilet versus restroom. Oh, give it a rest. I moved this year with the American dream looking more like the American nightmare, particularly for black people, political, social, and economic mayhem at its peak and hashtag blacks.

It looking like the only sensible option for African-Americans. But those were the dream outside of the U S and I sat on the UK. I'm curious, is the grass really greener on the other side? I can't decide. So every week on the American dreams podcast, we'll hear from others with cross Atlantic live and experience sharing their stories and perspectives on being a black immigrant in the UK versus USA.

I'll be poking my nose deep into their personal lives and go in as far as to ask them what they've packed in their suitcase. Listen to American dreamers on Apple podcasts or wherever you get your podcasts.