

Amazing Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. accomplished many great things in his short life of only 39 years old, including his famous "I Have A Dream" speech and the act of removing all Jim Crow laws *from* the South and the unspoken laws *from* the North. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. always wanted to help African Americans live a better life one day and nobody could hold him back. In his well-known speech, Dr. King explained his dream for America, which was to make the USA great again with no segregation or discrimination against colored people. In this popular meeting at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington D.C., he said, "I have a dream that one day this nation will rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed: 'We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal.'" This means that Dr. King did not want everybody to sit there and wait in despair. Instead, he wanted everybody to take out a little stone of hope *from* this big mountain of despair that they were living in. That tiny little effort could go a long way in helping America shape its future into something better than before.

Dr. King's vision for a society not filled with discrimination and prejudice means that today, if you are a colored person, you will not have to hide your emotions and your knowledge about other things. Instead, you can go out to the open world and express your opinions and your point of view of the world to people. That will help shape America's future to become more diverse and inclusive. We can continue to work towards Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s dream by making sure that all people are getting what they deserve, no matter what their race or the color of their skin is. We can all stand up for African Americans and make sure that they get fair treatment. Yes, it is definitely true that their skin color is different *from* ours, but that should not matter in this world. Dr. King said, "I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character." A shorter version of that would be to just simply say, "Don't judge a book by its cover." The only difference is that MLK Jr. understood the meaning of that, while other people may not know the deep emotion put into this small quote.

My parents inspire me to take action towards accomplishing Dr. King's amazing dream for America. They do this because they never like to see anything mean happen to anybody and they are always teaching me not to be mean to others. My parents teach me to never give up on trying to make new friends of different cultures and to always include others in any game I'm playing, regardless of their race or skin color. They have always told me to treat others how I want to be treated in life because they have emotions, too! Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s dream was to never ever judge anybody by

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how they look, but instead judge them by the content of their character and my parents do just that. Mahatma Gandhi inspired him as my parents inspire me to do the right thing. Whenever we are outside and see people of different races being bullied or treated unfairly, we all always

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feel sorrow for them because they cannot live the life they have always dreamed of. My parents are always telling me that. when they were little, some people did not get education because of their race and/or skin color. They have explained to me that I should not take advantage of my rights because, back in the day, people did not have the right to vote, the right to a fair trial. or even the right to a public education. These are just a few examples of the civil rights we now have. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was a very kind and influential *man* who achieved great things in his short, troublesome, but inspiring life. We should all always remember this great *man* who is the person that has shaped this amazing future for the United States of America.