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*A Call to Conscience* - Clayborne Carson  
2001-01-15

This companion volume to "A Knock At Midnight:  
Inspiration from the Great Sermons of Rev.

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Martin Luther King, Jr". includes the text of his most well-known oration, "I Have a Dream", his acceptance speech for the Nobel Peace Prize, and "Beyond Vietnam", a powerful plea to end the ongoing conflict. Includes contributions from Rosa Parks, Aretha Franklin, the Dalai Lama, and many others.

*I Have a Dream* - Joann Owens 2008-10

I Have A Dream, Too is a book told by a little girl. She remembers the special day in which Martin Luther King, Jr. is honored for his dreams and actions. She is inspired by him making his dreams become actions that changed the world we live in. She tells about dreams she has and what people can do to make them come realities. She challenges the reader at the end to take one of their own dreams and strive to make it come true.

**A Knock at Midnight** - Clayborne Carson  
2001-01-15

Warner Books, in conjunction with Intellectual Properties Management, Inc., presents an

extraordinary collection of sermons by Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.-many never before published-along with introductions an documentary of the world's leading ministers & theologians.

**The Essential Martin Luther King, Jr.** - Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. 2013-08-20

A collection of the most well-known and treasured writings and speeches of Dr. King, available for the first time as an ebook The Essential Martin Luther King, Jr. is the ultimate collection of Dr. King's most inspirational and transformative speeches and sermons, accessibly available for the first time as an ebook. Here, in Dr. King's own words, are writings that reveal an intellectual struggle and growth as fierce and alive as any chronicle of his political life could possibly be. Included amongst the twenty selections are Dr. King's most influential and persuasive works such as "I Have a Dream" and "Letter from Birmingham Jail" but also the essay "Pilgrimage to Nonviolence," and

his last sermon "I See the Promised Land," preached the day before he was assassinated. Published in honor of the 50th anniversary of the 1963 March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom, *The Essential Martin Luther King, Jr.* includes twenty selections that celebrate the life's work of our most visionary thinkers. Collectively, they bring us Dr. King in many roles—philosopher, theologian, orator, essayist, and author—and further cement the most powerful and enduring words of a man who touched the conscience of the nation and world.

**Young Martin Luther King, Jr** - Joanne Mattern 2006

A simple biography of a great black leader emphasizing his dream of equal treatment for all Americans.

*The Everything Martin Luther King, Jr. Book* - Jessica McElrath 2007-12-01

He spent time in a Birmingham jail, lead a march on Washington, and had a dream. Martin Luther King, Jr is an American hero and icon. This book

explores his life from his time spent heading the civil rights movement to his speaking out against the Vietnam War to his assassination.

*Nobody Turn Me Around* - Charles Euchner  
2010-09-25

On August 28, 1963, over a quarter-million people—about two-thirds black and one-third white—held the greatest civil rights demonstration ever. Martin Luther King, Jr. delivered his iconic "I Have a Dream" oration. And just blocks away, President Kennedy and Congress skirmished over landmark civil rights legislation. As Charles Euchner reveals, the importance of the march is more profound and complex than standard treatments of the 1963 March on Washington allow. In this major reinterpretation of the Great Day—the peak of the movement—Euchner brings back the tension and promise of that day. Building on countless interviews, archives, FBI files, and private recordings, Euchner shows freedom fighters as complex, often conflicted, characters. He

explores the lives of Philip Randolph and Bayard Rustin, the march organizers who worked tirelessly to make mass demonstrations and nonviolence the cornerstone of the movement. He also reveals the many behind-the-scenes battles—the effort to get women speakers onto the platform, John Lewis’s damning speech about the federal government, Malcolm X’s biting criticisms and secret vows to help the movement, and the devastating undercurrents involving political powerhouses Kennedy and FBI director J. Edgar Hoover. For the first time, Euchner tells the story behind King’s “Dream” images. Euchner’s hour-by-hour account offers intimate glimpses of the masses on the National Mall—ordinary people who bore the scars of physical violence and jailings for fighting for basic civil rights. The event took on the call-and-response drama of a Southern church service, as King, Lewis, Mahalia Jackson, Roy Wilkins, and others challenged the throng to destroy Jim Crow once and for all. Nobody Turn Me Around

will challenge your understanding of the March on Washington, both in terms of what happened but also regarding what it ultimately set in motion. The result was a day that remains the apex of the civil rights movement—and the beginning of its decline.

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s I Have a Dream Speech in Translation - Leslie J. Holland 2009 "Presents Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s speech and explains its meaning using everyday language. Describes the events that led to the speech and its significance through history"-- Provided by publisher.

**I Have a Dream** - Martin Luther King (Jr.) 2012 Presents the text of the famous speech given on the National Mall in Washington, D.C. by Martin Luther King, Jr., complemented by paintings illustrating the ideals the civil rights leader described.

*The Dream* - Drew Hansen 2003-07-01 A riveting account of the origins and legacy of "I Have a Dream" Forty years ago, Martin Luther

King, Jr. electrified the nation when he delivered his "I Have a Dream" speech from the steps of the Lincoln Memorial. King's prophetic utterances started the long overdue process of changing America's idea of itself. His words would enter the American lexicon, galvanizing the civil rights movement, becoming a touchstone for all that the country might someday achieve. *The Dream* is the first book about Martin Luther King, Jr.'s legendary "I Have a Dream" speech. Opening with an enthralling account of the August day in 1963 that saw 250,000 Americans converge at the March on Washington, *The Dream* delves into the fascinating and little-known history of King's speech. Hansen explores King's compositional strategies and techniques, and proceeds to a brilliant analysis of the "I Have a Dream" speech itself, examining it on various levels: as a political treatise, a work of poetry, and as a masterfully delivered and improvised sermon bursting with biblical language and imagery. In

tracing the legacy of "I Have a Dream" since 1963, *The Dream* insightfully considers how King's incomparable speech "has slowly remade the American imagination," and led us closer to King's visionary goal of a redeemed America. **King's Dream** - Eric J. Sundquist 2009-01-06 "Sundquist's careful, thoughtful study unearths new and fascinating evidence of the rhetorical traditions in King's speech."—Drew D. Hansen, author of *The Dream: Martin Luther King, Jr., and the Speech That Inspired a Nation* "I have a dream"—no words are more widely recognized, or more often repeated, than those called out from the steps of the Lincoln Memorial by Martin Luther King, Jr., in 1963. King's speech, elegantly structured and commanding in tone, has become shorthand not only for his own life but for the entire civil rights movement. In this new exploration of the "I Have a Dream" speech, Eric J. Sundquist places it in the history of American debates about racial justice—debates as old as the nation itself—and demonstrates

how the speech, an exultant blend of grand poetry and powerful elocution, perfectly expressed the story of African American freedom. This book is the first to set King's speech within the cultural and rhetorical traditions on which the civil rights leader drew in crafting his oratory, as well as its essential historical contexts, from the early days of the republic through present-day Supreme Court rulings. At a time when the meaning of the speech has been obscured by its appropriation for every conceivable cause, Sundquist clarifies the transformative power of King's "Second Emancipation Proclamation" and its continuing relevance for contemporary arguments about equality. "The ['I Have a Dream'] speech and all that surrounds it—background and consequences—are brought magnificently to life . . . In this book he gives us drama and emotion, a powerful sense of history combined with illuminating scholarship."—The New York Times Book Review (Editor's Choice)

**I Have a Dream** - Martin Luther King, Jr.  
2003-04-29

For use in schools and libraries only. Gathers speeches, sermons, letters, and essays from each period in Dr. King's life, and includes brief notes on their historical background.

**The Dream** - Drew D. Hansen 2004

Describes the 1963 March on Washington and provides an analysis of King's history-making speech, examining it as a political treatise, a work of poetry, and an effectively delivered sermon filled with biblical imagery.

**I Have a Dream** - Martin Luther King (Jr.) 1997

Illustrates the inspiring words of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., as they were presented in his "I Have a Dream" speech on August 28, 1963, collecting the images of fifteen Coretta Scott King Award-winning and Honor Book artists--including Jerry and Brian Pinkney, Leo and Diane Dillon, and others.

The Dream - Drew Hansen 2009-10-13

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electrified the nation when he delivered his "I Have a Dream" speech from the steps of the Lincoln Memorial. In *The Dream*, Drew D. Hansen explores the fascinating and little-known history of King's legendary address. *The Dream* insightfully considers how King's speech "has slowly remade the American imagination," and led us closer to King's visionary goal of a redeemed America.

**He Had a Dream** - Flip Schulke 1995-01-01  
A visual record of the life and work of Martin Luther King, jr., records public and private moments

**Martin's Dream** - Clayborne Carson 2013-01-08  
On August 28, 1963 hundreds of thousands of demonstrators flocked to the nation's capital for the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom, where Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. delivered his famous "I Have a Dream" speech. It was Clayborne Carson's first demonstration. A nineteen year old black student from a working-class family in New Mexico, Carson hitched a

ride to Washington. Unsure how he would return home, he was nonetheless certain that he wanted to connect with the youthful protesters and community organizers who spearheaded the freedom struggle. Decades later, Coretta Scott King selected Dr. Carson—then a history professor at Stanford University-- to edit the papers of her late husband. In this candid and engrossing memoir, he traces his evolution from political activist to activist scholar. He vividly recalls his involvement in the movement's heyday and in the subsequent turbulent period when King's visionary Dream became real for some and remained unfulfilled for others. He recounts his conversations with key African Americans of the past half century, including Black Power firebrand Stokely Carmichael and dedicated organizers such as Ella Baker and Bob Moses. His description of his long-term relationship with Coretta Scott King sheds new light on her crucial role in preserving and protecting her late husband's legacy. Written

from the unique perspective of a renowned scholar, this highly readable account gives readers valuable new insights about the global significance of King's inspiring ideas and his still unfolding legacy

How does Martin Luther King's speech "I have a dream" influence the development of the civil rights movement in the USA? - 2022-11-30  
Facharbeit (Schule) aus dem Jahr 2022 im Fachbereich Didaktik für das Fach Englisch - Literaturgeschichte, Epochen, Note: 12, , Sprache: Deutsch, Abstract: In the year 2020 a black person named George Floyd was killed by a policeman who laid on his neck for several minutes. This act of police violence and many other cases have resurrected the problem of racial inequality in the USA especially those of black US Citizens and it begs the question to the past of racial inequality and where the roots are. What is left of the famous speeches and motivations of the human and civil rights activist Martin Luther King Jr. in the 1960s? Have his

speeches and dreams improved the lives of black people in the US? The scientific approach for this skilled work in the subject English is to analyze King's famous speeches and quotes and conclude how effective it still is for our present time and what kind of effect it had in the 1960s. It also operates with two pieces of literature to describe and question King's influence on today's movements like "Black Lives Matter".  
Dream - Martin Luther King (Jr.) 2007  
Full of quotes from Martin Luther King, Jr.  
*The Rhetoric of Redemption* - David A. Bobbitt 2007-01-30  
Martin Luther King, Jr.'s 'I Have a Dream' speech has become an icon of American public culture, its imagery and words profoundly influencing the civil rights debate. In *The Rhetoric of Redemption* Bobbitt applies Kenneth Burke's theory of guilt-purification-redemption in a close, critical analysis of the speech, developing and examining the implications of Burke's redemption drama in contemporary



public discourse. He studies the impact of the speech over time, arguing that, while King's speech contains an inspirational vision of national redemption, it does so by omitting the real difficulties of overcoming America's racial divisions.

*I Have a Dream* - Martin Luther King (Jr.) 2007

**I Have a Dream** - Margaret Davidson

1991-01-01

From his childhood encounters with racial prejudice to the Montgomery bus boycott and the Voting Rights drive, the private side of Martin Luther King's life and the historical events of the time are revealed.

**Martin Luther King, Jr.** - Dharathula H.

Millender 1986-10-31

A biography, emphasizing the early years, of the civil rights leader whose philosophy and practice of nonviolent civil disobedience helped American blacks win many battles for equal rights.

[The Words of Martin Luther King, Jr](#) - Coretta

Scott King 2010

Reissued with a new cover in trade paperback format in the Newmarket "Words Of" series, this perennial classic--over 200,000 copies sold--belongs in every home, school and library.

Throughout his brief life, Martin Luther King communicated vision, passion, and inspiration.

He led millions of people in a nonviolent movement that shattered the system of segregation in the South, and at the age of 39 he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his eloquent, passionate advocacy of civil and human rights. This timeless volume, authorized by the estate of Martin Luther King, includes highlights from the legendary civil rights leader's speeches, sermons, and writings selected by his wife Coretta Scott King, who contributes an impressive introduction on Dr. King's life and legacy. The stirring book contains approximately 120 quotations, focusing on seven areas of concern: The Community of Man, Racism, Civil Rights, Justice and Freedom, Faith

and Religion, Nonviolence, and Peace. Also included is a detailed chronology of Dr. King's life and its involvement in the civil rights movement in our time.

**Martin Luther King, Jr** - Jacqueline A. Ball  
2005-08-01

Highlights the life and accomplishments of civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Eyewitness to Martin Luther King's I Have a Dream Speech - Susan Buckley

On August 28, 1963, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. made one of the most famous speeches in United States history. Read descriptions about the historic March on Washington and the famous speech about civil rights. Compare reports in a newspaper to comments about the event from people who were there.

*I Have a Dream* - Margaret Davidson 1986  
"An inspiring portrait of a man who changed the course of American history . . . Well documented, clearly written and illustrated with captivating photos".--Kirkus Review. Copyright

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*I Have a Dream* - Nóstica Editorial 2020-10-19

The history has been in charge of demonstrating that the struggle to which Martin Luther King gave his whole life was decisive in changing the history of millions of people. This is often exposed from a romantic perspective, few people know the sufferings and extreme dangers to which he was subjected, not only he but his entire family, throughout many years defending a dream that, like the biblical Moses that he mentioned so much in life, came, but he could neither see nor enjoy. The book that you have in your hands narrates in a simple but in depth way the life of one of the greatest fighters for human rights that has been born in the West. Others before him and after him fought tirelessly for the civil rights of minorities in the country, but no one achieved what the Reverend King Jr..

**Let's Dream, Martin Luther King, Jr.!** - Peter Roop 2004

In this book, you will find out all about Martin

Luther King, Jr., before he became famous.

**A Place to Land** - Barry Wittenstein 2019-08-27

As a new generation of activists demands an end to racism, *A Place to Land* reflects on Martin Luther King, Jr.'s "I Have a Dream" speech and the movement that it galvanized. Winner of the Orbis Pictus Award for Outstanding Nonfiction for Children Selected for the Texas Bluebonnet Master List Much has been written about Martin Luther King, Jr. and the 1963 March on Washington. But there's little on his legendary speech and how he came to write it. Martin Luther King, Jr. was once asked if the hardest part of preaching was knowing where to begin. No, he said. The hardest part is knowing where to end. "It's terrible to be circling up there without a place to land." Finding this place to land was what Martin Luther King, Jr. struggled with, alongside advisors and fellow speech writers, in the Willard Hotel the night before the March on Washington, where he gave his historic "I Have a Dream" speech. But those

famous words were never intended to be heard on that day, not even written down for that day, not even once. Barry Wittenstein teams up with legendary illustrator Jerry Pinkney to tell the story of how, against all odds, Martin found his place to land. An ALA Notable Children's Book A Capitol Choices Noteworthy Title Nominated for an NAACP Image Award A Bank Street Best Book of the Year A Notable Social Studies Trade Book for Young People A Booklist Editors' Choice Named a Best Book of the Year by Publishers Weekly, Kirkus Reviews, and School Library Journal Selected for the CBC Champions of Change Showcase

**My Daddy, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr** -

Martin Luther King (III) 2018

A poignant account of the author's brief years shared with his civil rights leader father offers insight into their special bond, their separation during Dr. King's imprisonment and the author's 5-year-old witness to the famous "I Have a Dream" speech.

## **I Have a Dream** - Time-Life Books 1968

*Living the Dream* - Daniel T. Fleming 2022-03-11  
Living the Dream tells the history behind the establishment of Martin Luther King Jr. Day and the battle over King's legacy that continued through the decades that followed. Creating the first national holiday to honor an African American was a formidable achievement and an act of resistance against conservative and segregationist opposition. Congressional efforts to commemorate King began shortly after his assassination. The ensuing political battles slowed the progress of granting him a namesake holiday and crucially defined how his legacy would be received. Though Coretta Scott King's mission to honor her husband's commitment to nonviolence was upheld, conservative politicians sought to use the holiday to advance a whitewashed, nationalistic, and even reactionary vision of King's life and thought. This book reveals the lengths that activists had to go to

elevate an African American man to the pantheon of national heroes, how conservatives took advantage of the commemoration to bend the arc of King's legacy toward something he never would have expected, and how grassroots causes, unions, and antiwar demonstrators continued to try to claim this sanctified day as their own.

*"I Have a Dream" Speech* - Martin Luther King (Jr.) 1999

*Before the Dream* - Christopher Elliott  
2021-07-26

1963. It is a year stamped as one of the most turbulent during the Civil Rights movement. Centuries of racial oppression were confronted with peaceful protests challenging segregation laws. Responses to protests were often met with brutality. Four young girls were murdered in a church bombing. Police dogs and fire hoses were unleashed on adolescents in Birmingham, Alabama. Medgar Evers was assassinated by a

member of the KKK. 1963 also included the March on Washington, highlighted by Dr. Martin Luther King's uplifting "I Have a Dream" speech. Civil Rights conflict was not contained to the South. Similar battles were waged throughout the nation. The future Nobel Peace Prize winner accepted an invitation from a close friend to speak in Fort Wayne, Indiana, on June 5, 1963, to address these struggles. Although Dr. King's speech was enthusiastically received by his supporters, resistance to his appearance in this conservative, blue-collar Midwestern city were also plentiful. Bomb threats were delivered. Letters to the editor were submitted expressing opposition to Dr. King's visit. Protestors picketed across the street during the event. Local law enforcement feared violence was possible. June 5, 1963 would become Dr. King's only visit to Fort Wayne. But the legacy of that one visit continues to resonate, sandwiched between unrest in Birmingham, and the March on Washington.

**My Dream of Martin Luther King** - Faith Ringgold 1998-12-07

Learn about the life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. with this inspiring children's book, perfect for reading together as a family. From acclaimed artist Faith Ringgold, the Coretta Scott King and Caldecot Honor winning creator of Tar Beach. Faith Ringgold brings her own voice and artistic vision to the life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., and the history of the civil rights movement. Illustrated with the dramatic folk-modern paintings for which Faith Ringgold is renowned, this inspiring story begins with her dream of Dr. Martin Luther King and ends with the promise of peace and hope. This beautifully illustrated and heartfelt story is followed by a list of important dates in Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s life and the civil rights movement. Includes two pages of activities to help kids explore and reflect on what they've learned!

**Martin Luther King** - Angela Herbert  
2016-06-22

This book explores the significance of Dr Martin Luther King Jr. 'I have a dream' speech and the continued legacy to education and academia demonstrated through the study of his life, achievements, works and ultimate assassination, which are included in social studies and history as part of the curriculum. There are lessons to be learned from his speech about access, success and progression to and from education at all levels. The influence of religion is a key feature that is manifested through social inclusion and tolerance which if considered from an academic perspective results in achievement. From peaceful demonstration and humble engagement with authorities, King made a mark that would be referenced 50 years later in all areas of academia from teaching young people about his life and achievements to equality, rights and tolerance, reflected throughout this book. The impact of prejudice, discrimination and segregation addressed by King's campaign which through adversity resulted in the passing

of the Civil Rights Bill in the USA supported the non-political rights of all citizens is discussed. All of these concepts influence perception and realistic possibilities in the quest for people from all walks of society to access and benefit from education, which is explored. What motivated King to speak out and selflessly address the rights of the underprivileged, Black and White putting at risk his liberty and ultimately his life? King's speech is considered and associated with current issues faced by the people that are socially excluded. The struggle for social equality is considered with a focus on the impact of exclusion from education that demonstrates the need for a dream that gives hope to current and future generations that suggests that education can be accessed and lead to academic success.

*I Have a Dream* - Anita Ganeri 2013-08-01  
"Describes the life, accomplishments, and assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr"--  
Provided by publisher.

## **The Speech** - Gary Younge 2013-08-12

In this “slim but powerful book,” the award-winning journalist shares the dramatic story surrounding MLK’s most famous speech and its importance today (Boston Globe). On August 28, 1963, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. led the historic March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom, where he delivered the most iconic speech of the civil rights movement. In *The Speech*, Gary Younge explains why King’s “I Have a Dream” speech maintains its powerful social relevance by sharing the dramatic story surrounding it. Today, that speech endures as a guiding light in the ongoing struggle for racial equality. Younge roots his work in personal interviews with Clarence Jones, a close friend of Martin Luther King Jr. and his draft speechwriter; with Joan Baez, a singer at the march; and with Angela

Davis and other leading civil rights leaders. Younge skillfully captures the spirit of that historic day in Washington and offers a new generation of readers a critical modern analysis of why “I Have a Dream” remains America’s favorite speech. “Younge’s meditative retrospection on [the speech’s] significance reminds us of all the micro-moments of transformation behind the scenes—the thought and preparation, vision and revision—whose currency fed that magnificent lightning bolt in history.” —Patricia J. Williams, legal scholar and theorist

## I Have a Dream - James Echols 2004

One of America's leading African-American theologians takes a look at society's moral and religious bearings 40 years after the legacy of Dr. King's memorable speech.