Born on Jan. 15th in Atlanta, Georgia

Led boycott of Montgomery, Alabama buses

Led the March on Washington on Aug. 28th and gave his "I have a Dream" speech from the steps of the Lincoln Memorial.

The third Monday in January was declared an annual federal holiday by the United States Congress to honor the life and ideals of Martin Luther King Jr.

Ordained a minister
1947

Was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize
1964





Married Coretta Scott in Marion, Alabama

Assassinated on April 4th in Memphis, Tennessee

1929 1947 1953 1955 -1956 1963 1964 1968 1983



