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## "The Role of the Church in Facing the Nation's Chief Moral Dilemma", Address at the Conference on Christian Faith and Human Relations in Nashville, Tenn. on 4/25/1957

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Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Author Affiliation: Dexter Avenue Baptist Church  
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Published In: Fellowship of Southern Churchmen, Proceedings of the Conference on Christian Faith and Human Relations  
Dates: 4/25/1957  
Names: Scott, Dred  
Jesus Christ  
Luther, Martin  
Savonarola, Girolamo  
Livingston, John Henry  
Schweitzer, Albert  
Jefferson, Thomas  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Kester, Howard  
Hollands, Josial G.  
Organizations: United States. Supreme Court  
Conference on Christian Faith and Human Relations  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Nashville, Tenn.  
Topics: Segregation  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Religion  
Church and Race Relations  
Nonviolence  
Agape  
Other Topics: Plessy Doctrine  
Romans 12:2  
Matthew 5:11  
John 18:11  
Code for Location of Original: HAK-NcU  
Location of Original: Howard A. Kester Papers, Southern Historical Collection, Wilson Library, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, N.C.  
Location of Original - Detail: Box 4, folder 144

Copy Location (1): MLKPP, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers Project, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.  
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## "A Statement to the South and Nation"

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Author: Southern Leaders Conference

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Handwritten -- other than author's hand

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Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Steele, C. K.  
Nixon, Richard M. (Richard Milhous)  
Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David)  
Brownell, Herbert  
Christ, Jesus  
King, Martin Luther

Organizations: Southern Christian Leadership Conference  
United States. Supreme Court  
Ebenezer Baptist Church  
United States. Dept. of Justice

Topics: Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Nonviolence  
United States - Constitutional law  
Imperialism  
Afro-Americans--Intimidation of

Other Topics: Star Spangled Banner

Code for Location of Original: NCCP-PPPrHi

Location of Original: National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America Papers, Presbyterian Department of History, Philadelphia, Penn.

Location of Original - Detail: Box 46, folder 30

Copy Location (1): NCCR-PPPrHi, National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America Records, Presbyterian Historical Society, Philadelphia, Pa.

Filing Info: Box 46, folder 30

Copy Location (2): CAABP-WHi, Carl and Anne Braden Papers, State Historical Society of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

Filing Info: Box 58, folder 6

Copy Location (3): CSKC-INP, Coretta Scott King Collection, In Private Hands

Filing Info: Sermon file, folder 132

Copy Location (4): MLKJP-GAMK, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers (Series I-IV), Martin Luther King, Jr., Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.

Filing Info: Box 9, folder 20

Copy Location (5): RWP-DLC, Roy Wilkins Papers, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

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## Telegram to Richard M. (Richard Milhous) Nixon

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Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Steele, C. Kenzie  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Jemison, T. J.

Author Affiliation: Southern Leaders Conference

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Type of Writing: Printed -- published

Document Type: Wire or Telegram

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Genre: Letter

Document Length: 4 pp.

Dates: 1/10/1957

Names: Nixon, Richard M. (Richard Milhous) [United States. White House]  
Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David) [United States. White House]

Organizations: United States. White House

Places: Washington, D.C.  
Hungary  
Austria  
Montgomery, Ala.

Topics: Afro-Americans - Economic conditions  
Afro-Americans--Intimidation of  
Hungary Revolution, 1956  
United States - Constitutional law

Code for Location of Original: PPRN-CY1NL

Location of Original: Pre Presidential Papers of Richard M. Nixon, Special Files, Series 320, Richard M. Nixon Library and Birthplace, Yorba Linda, Calif.

Copy Location (1): MLKJP-GAMK, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers (Series I-IV), Martin Luther King, Jr., Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.

Filing Info: SERIES J, SS.2 Box 35, folder 8

Copy Location (2): MLKPP, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers Project, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.

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## "Memo Regarding Prayer Pilgrimage"

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document570200-010>

Author: Baker, Ella  
Rustin, Bayard  
Levison, Stanley D.

Author Dates: 1903-1986

Document ID: 570200-010

Document Date: [2/1957]

Type of Writing: Typed  
Autograph -- author's hand

Document Type: Document

Status: Cal. 4

Genre: Letter

Document Length: 4 pp.

Dates: 5/17/1957  
4/4/1957  
5/18/1957  
3/25/1957

Names: Randolph, A. Philip (Asa Philip)  
Wilkins, Roy [National Association for the Advancement of Colored People]  
Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David)  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
King, Martin Luther, Jr.

Organizations: Southern Leaders Conference  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People  
Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters and Maids

Places: Washington, D.C.

Topics: Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom  
United States - Constitutional law

Code for Location of Original: NAACPP-DLC

Location of Original: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Papers, 1909-1955, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Location of Original - Detail: Group IIIA, folder 245

Copy Location (1): MLKP-MBU, Martin Luther King, Jr., Papers, 1954-1968, Howard Gotlieb Archival Research Center, Boston University, Boston, Mass.

Copy Location (2): MLKPP, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers Project, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.

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## Telegram to Emanuel Celler

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Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Jemison, T. J. (Theodore Judson)  
Steele, C. Kenzie  
Davis, A.L

Author Affiliation: Southern Leaders Conference

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Document Type: Wire or Telegram

Type of Signature: Signed with representation of author (Handwritten signature by author's representative)

Status: Cal. 4

Place Written: New Orleans, La.

Genre: Letter

Document Length: 3 pp.

Names: Celler, Emanuel

Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Birmingham, Ala.  
Tallahassee, Fla.  
Washington, D.C.  
Baton Rouge, La.

Topics: United States - Constitutional law  
Civil Rights Act, 1957

Code for Location of Original: LRC-DNA

Location of Original: Legislative Records Center, United States National Archives and Records Service, National Archives Library, Washington, D.C.

Copy Location (1): MLKPP, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers Project, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.

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## Address at Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document570517-040>

Author: Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Author Dates: 1922-  
Document ID: 570517-040  
Document Date: 5/17/1957  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Document  
Status: Cal. 4  
Place Written: Washington, D.C.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 1 p.  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Steele, C. Kenzie  
Jemison, T. J. (Theodore Judson)  
Organizations: Ku Klux Klan  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Places: Birmingham, Ala.  
Topics: United States - Constitutional law  
Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom  
Church and Race Relations  
Code for Location of Original: FrLSP-GAMK  
Location of Original: Fred L. Shuttlesworth Collection, Martin Luther King, Jr., Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.  
Location of Original - Detail: Box 4, folder 4  
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# "The Future of Integration, Address at the Fourth Biennial Wage and Contract, Third National Anti-Discrimination and Third National Women's Activities Conference of the United Packinghouse Workers"

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Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Document ID: 571002-000  
Document Date: 10/2/1957  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Audio Transcript  
Status: Cal. 4  
Place Written: Chicago, Ill.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 28 pp.  
Names: Helstein, Ralph [United Packinghouse Workers of America.]  
Lowell, James Russell  
Bryant, William Cullen  
Carlyle, Thomas  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Jefferson, Thomas  
Lasley, Russell R.  
Organizations: United Packinghouse Workers of America  
United States. Supreme Court  
Ku Klux Klan  
White Citizens Council  
Southern Christian Leadership Conference  
Crusade for Citizenship  
Places: Little Rock, Ark.  
Montgomery, Ala.  
Topics: Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Civil Rights Act, 1957  
School integration  
Labor Movement  
political participation  
Crusade for Citizenship  
Plessy vs Ferguson, 1896  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Southern Christian Leadership Conference--relations with other organizations  
Southern Christian Leadership Conference--Finance  
Other Topics: Galatians 3:28  
Amos 5:24  
Code for Location of Original: UPWR-WHi  
Location of Original: United Packinghouse, Food and Allied Workers Records, State Historical Society of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.  
Location of Original - Detail: Box 526  
Copy Location (1): DJG-GEU-S, David J. Garrow Collection, Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library, Emory University, Atlanta, Ga.  
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## "Nonviolence and the Law"

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Author: Wofford, Harris

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Document Type: Document

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Dates: 11/1955  
12/1955

Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Gandhi, Mahatma  
Thoreau, Henry David  
Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David)  
Hill, Daniel G.  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Lohia, Rammanohar  
Johnson, Charles Spurgeon [Fisk University]  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Parks, Rosa  
Scott, Dred  
Emerson, Ralph Waldo  
Aristotle  
Aquinas, Thomas, Saint  
Augustine, Saint, Bishop of Hippo  
Socrates  
Nehru, Jawaharlal

Organizations: Howard University  
United States. Supreme Court  
United States. Dept. of Justice  
Montgomery Improvement Association  
Fisk University  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People  
Hampton Institute

Places: India  
Montgomery, Ala.  
South Africa  
Little Rock, Ark.

Topics: United States - Constitutional law  
Nonviolence  
Imperialism  
Gandhism  
Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Little Rock School Crisis, 1957

Other Topics: U.S. Constitution  
Essay on Civil Disobedience  
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Location of Original: Morehouse College Martin Luther King, Jr. Collection, Atlanta University Center, Robert W. Woodruff Library Archives and Special Collections, Atlanta, Ga.  
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# "The Christian Way of Life in Human Relations," Address delivered at the General Assembly of the National Council of Churches

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Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
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Document Type: Audio Tape  
Status: In Vol. 6  
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Place Written: [St. Louis, Mo.]  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 24.8 min.  
Document Note: 1 sound cassette: analog  
Names: Gandhi, Mahatma  
Whitehead, Alfred North  
Wieman, Henry Nelson  
Tillich, Paul  
Carlyle, Thomas  
Bryant, William Cullen  
Lowell, James Russell  
Christ, Jesus  
Jefferson, Thomas  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Organizations: National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America  
United States. Supreme Court  
Ku Klux Klan  
White Citizens Council  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Topics: Church and Race Relations  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Agape  
Nonviolence  
Segregation--law and legislation  
Imperialism  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Religion  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Psychology  
Other Topics: John 18:11  
Amos 5:24  
Matthew 5:44  
Matthew 26:52  
The French Revolution  
The Battlefield  
The Present Crisis  
Hallelujah Chorus  
Code for Location of Original: RRL-VIRUT  
Location of Original: Reigner Recording Library, Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia

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Place Written: St. Louis, Mo.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 4 pp.  
Names: Gandhi, Mahatma  
Tillich, Paul  
Whitehead, Alfred North  
Wieman, Henry Nelson  
Bryant, William Cullen  
Carlyle, Thomas  
Lowell, James Russell  
Jesus Christ  
Amos (Biblical prophet)  
Jefferson, Thomas  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Organizations: National Council of Churches of Christ in the United States of America  
Ku Klux Klan  
White Citizens Council  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Topics: Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Agape  
Church and Race Relations  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Comparative Religion  
Hinduism  
Faith  
Nonviolence  
Colonialism  
Other Topics: Matthew 26:52  
Amos 5:24  
Matthew 5:44  
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