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## Statement on the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church (Birmingham, Ala.) bombing

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document630916-055>

Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Document ID: 630916-055  
Document Date: 9/16/1963  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Audio Transcript  
Status: Not in  
Place Written: Birmingham, Ala.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 1 p.  
Dates: 9/15/1963  
Names: Wallace, George C. (George Corley) [Alabama. Office of the Governor]  
Organizations: Alabama. Office of the Governor  
University of Alabama (Tuscaloosa, Ala.)  
Alabama. Dept. of Public Safety  
Alabama. National Guard  
Topics: Birmingham, 1963  
Churches-vandalism  
School integration  
Sixteenth Street Baptist Church Bombing, Birmingham, Ala., 1963  
Federal intervention  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Student movements  
Bombings  
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Location of Original: Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers (Series I-IV), Martin Luther King, Jr., Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.  
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## Telegram to John F. (John Fitzgerald) Kennedy

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document610522-036>

Author: Stuart, Edgar W.  
Wilbanks, Ben M.

Author Affiliation: Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Montgomery, Ala.

Document ID: 610522-036

Document Date: 5/22/1961

Type of Writing: Printed -- published  
Handwritten -- other than author's hand

Document Type: Wire or Telegram

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

Status: Undecided

Place Written: Montgomery, Ala.

Genre: Letter

Document Length: 5 pp.

Names: Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald)  
Kennedy, Robert F. [United States. Dept. of Justice]

Organizations: Alabama National Guard  
United States. Dept. of Justice  
United States. Marshalls Service

Places: Washington, D.C.

Topics: Freedom rides  
Segregation in transportation  
Federal intervention

Code for Location of Original: WHCF-MBJFK

Location of Original: White House Central Files, John F. Kennedy Presidential Library, Boston, Mass.

Location of Original - Detail: Reel 4/19, frame 788-789

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

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## Press release, "Remarks of the president on nationwide radio and television"

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document630611-042>

Author: Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald)  
Author Dates: 1917-1963  
Author Affiliation: United States. White House  
Document ID: 630611-042  
Document Date: 6/11/1963  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Document  
Status: Cal. 8  
Place Written: Washington, D.C.  
Genre: Press release  
Document Length: 5 pp.  
Names: Lincoln, Abraham [United States. White House]  
Harlan, John Marshall [United States. Supreme Court]  
Malone, Vivan  
Hood, James  
Organizations: University of Alabama (Tuscaloosa, Ala.)  
Alabama. National Guard  
United States. Congress. House of Representatives  
United States. Congress. Senate  
United States. Supreme Court  
United States. District Court (Alabama : Northern District)  
Places: Birmingham, Ala.  
Vietnam  
Berlin, Germany  
Topics: Discrimination in housing  
Segregation--law and legislation  
Afro-American Education  
Civil rights  
Civil Rights Act, 1964  
Discrimination in Employment  
Discrimination in public accommodations  
Race relations  
Federal intervention  
United States - Constitutional law  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Demonstrations  
School integration  
Vietnamese Conflict, 1961-1975  
Voter registration  
Code for Location of Original: RFKAG-MBJFK  
Location of Original: Robert F. Kennedy, Attorney General Papers, John F. Kennedy Presidential Library, Boston, Mass.  
Location of Original - Detail: Box 9  
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## Film Footage, NBC Presents "Alabama, USA"

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document610522-025>

Author: McGee, Frank  
Author Dates: 1921-1974  
Author Affiliation: National Broadcasting Company, Inc.  
Document ID: 610522-025  
Document Date: [5/22/1961]  
Document Type: Film  
Status: undecided  
Genre: Film  
Document Length: 28.2 min.  
Dates: 5/5/1961  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald)  
Patterson, John Malcolm  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Seigenthaler, John  
Agronsky, Martin  
Kennedy, Robert F.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Ryan, William F.  
Percochen, Frank  
Organizations: Congress of Racial Equality  
First Baptist Church (Montgomery, Ala.)  
Alabama National Guard  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Anniston, Ala.  
Birmingham, Ala.  
Nashville, Tenn.  
Topics: Freedom rides  
Federal intervention  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Television public speaking  
Discrimination in public accommodations  
Code for Location of Original: NBCNA-NNNBC  
Location of Original: National Broadcasting Company News Archives, National Broadcasting Company, Inc., General Library, New York, N.Y.  
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<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document630510-007>

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Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Document ID: 630510-007  
Document Date: 5/10/1963  
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Document Type: Audio Transcript  
Type of Version: Fragment  
Status: Not in  
Place Written: Birmingham, Ala.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 5 pp.  
Dates: 5/11/1963  
5/12/1963  
5/13/1963  
Names: Abernathy, Ralph  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L. [Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)]  
King, Yolanda  
Wallace, George C. (George Corley) [Alabama. Office of the Governor]  
Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald) [United States. White House]  
Kennedy, Robert F. [United States. Dept. of Justice]  
Khrushchev, Nikita Sergeevich  
Long, Billy  
Organizations: Birmingham (Ala.). Senior Citizens Committee  
Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)  
Ku Klux Klan  
Alabama. Office of the Governor  
Alabama. National Guard  
United States. White House  
United States. Dept. of Justice  
National Council of Negro Women  
Places: Atlanta, Ga.  
Topics: Birmingham, 1963  
Discrimination in public accommodations  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Nonviolence  
Sit-ins  
Segregation--law and legislation  
Voter registration  
Boycotts  
Code for Location of Original: MLKJP-GAMK  
Location of Original: Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers (Series I-IV), Martin Luther King, Jr., Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.  
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## Press conference at Boston University

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document640911-002>

Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Document ID: 640911-002  
Document Date: 9/11/1964  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Audio Transcript  
Status: Undecided  
Place Written: Boston, Mass.  
Genre: Interview  
Document Length: 8 pp.  
Dates: 5/21/1961  
Names: Kennedy, Robert F. [United States. Dept. of Justice]  
Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald)  
Abernathy, Ralph [First Baptist Church (Montgomery, Ala.)]  
Goldwater, Barry M. (Barry Morris) [United States. Congress. Senate]  
Wood, Virgil [Southern Christian Leadership Conference]  
DeWolf, L. Harold (Lotan Harold) [Boston University]  
Johnson, Lyndon B. (Lyndon Baines)  
Brightman, Edgar Sheffield [Boston University]  
Chalmers, Allan Knight  
Thoreau, Henry David  
Humphrey, Hubert H. (Hubert Horatio)  
Organizations: United States. Dept. of Justice  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Southern Christian Leadership Conference  
Boston University  
First Baptist Church (Montgomery, Ala.)  
Alabama National Guard  
United States. Congress. Senate  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Savannah, Ga.  
Rochester, N.Y.  
Philadelphia, Pa.  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Washington, D.C.  
Topics: Martin Luther King, Jr. - Interviews  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Freedom rides  
Nonviolence  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Education  
Black nationalism  
Discrimination in housing  
Discrimination in Employment  
Voter registration  
Civil Rights Act, 1964  
Communism  
Presidential Elections



Southern Christian Leadership Conference--meetings

Riots

Martin Luther King, Jr. - Critics

School integration

Other Topics:

Essay on Civil Disobedience

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## Memo to Jamie Moore

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document630509-041>

Author: Allison, B. A.  
Watkins, R. A.

Author Affiliation: Birmingham (Ala.). Police Department

Document ID: 630509-041

Document Date: 5/9/1963

Type of Writing: Typed

Document Type: Letter

Type of Version: Copy

Status: undecided

Genre: Report

Document Length: 5 pp.

Dates: 5/8/1963  
8/1961

Names: Moore, Jamie  
Gardner, Edward Hall  
King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Wallace, George C. (George Corley)  
Connor, Eugene  
Fulton, Robert Brank  
Shortridge, William E.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Shapiro, Alex  
Rubenstein, Richard  
Coffin, William Sloane  
Bevel, James L. (James Luther)  
Husing, John  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Becker, Fred

Organizations: Sixth Avenue Baptist Church  
New Pilgrim Baptist Church  
Saint James Baptist Church  
National Guard  
Alabama State Troopers  
Nazi Germany  
Michigan State University  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Birmingham City Jail  
Birmingham County Jail  
Alabama State Penitentiary  
Board of Education, Birmingham Ala.  
Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)  
Yale University

Places: Birmingham, Ala.  
Princeton, N.J.  
Houston, Texas  
Minneapolis, Minn.  
Memphis, Tenn.

	Pittsburg, Pa.
	Spring Valley, N.Y.
	Greenwich, Conn.
	Westwood, N.J.
	New Britian, Conn.
	West Hartford, Conn.
	Halifax, Nova Scotia
	East Berlin
	Greenfield Park, N.Y.
Topics:	Albany, Ga.
	Afro-American student movements
	Afro Americans - Jewish relations
	Albany Movement
	Birmingham, 1963
	Freedom rides
	Martin Luther King, Jr. - Arrests
	School integration
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Document Note: 1 sound cassette: analog  
Published In: Birmingham, Testament of Nonviolence Radio Program, Part I  
Dates: 5/11/1963  
5/12/1963  
5/13/1963  
5/9/1963  
Names: Abernathy, Ralph  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L. [Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)]  
King, Yolanda  
Wallace, George C. (George Corley) [Alabama. Office of the Governor]  
Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald) [United States. White House]  
Kennedy, Robert F. [United States. Dept. of Justice]  
Khrushchev, Nikita Sergeevich  
Dawkins, Maurice A.  
Robinson, Marvin T.  
Hudson, H. Claude  
Odom, Lawrence S. (Lawrence Sylvester)  
Belafonte, Harry  
Stagg, Paul L. [American Baptist Convention]  
Organizations: Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)  
Ku Klux Klan  
Alabama. Office of the Governor  
Alabama. National Guard  
United States. White House  
United States. Dept. of Justice  
Associated Press  
National Council of Negro Women  
American Baptist Convention  
St. John's Baptist Church (Birmingham, Ala.)  
Places: Atlanta, Ga.  
England  
France  
New York, N.Y.  
Los Angeles, Calif.  
Denver, Colo.  
Washington, D.C.  
Topics: Birmingham, 1963

Afro-American student movements  
Civil rights demonstrations  
Discrimination in public accommodations  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Nonviolence  
Sit-ins  
Segregation--law and legislation  
Student movements  
Voter registration  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Radio public speaking  
Boycotts  
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## Special report, "The Freedom Ride, May 1961"

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Author: Southern Regional Council

Document ID: 610530-005

Document Date: 5/30/1961

Type of Writing: Typed

Document Type: Document

Place Written: Atlanta, Ga.

Genre: Report

Document Length: 21 pp.

Dates: 2/1960  
3/13/1961 - 5/29/1961

Names: Kennedy, Robert F.  
Patterson, John Malcolm  
Patterson, Eugene  
Lippmann, Walter  
Seigenthaler, John  
King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Lewis, John  
Nash, Diane  
Farmer, James  
Barnett, Ross R.  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Walker, Wyatt Tee  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Henley, C.V.

Organizations: Congress of Racial Equality  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Southern Christian Leadership Conference  
Greyhound Bus Lines, Inc.  
Trailways  
Alabama National Guard  
Mississippi State Troopers  
United States. Interstate Commerce Commission  
Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (U.S.)  
United States. Supreme Court  
United States. Dept. of Justice  
Ku Klux Klan  
Nashville Student Movement

Places: Birmingham, Ala.  
Montgomery, Ala.  
Anniston, Ala.  
Jackson, Miss.  
Nashville, Tenn.  
Clinton, Tenn.  
Norfolk, Va.  
Prince Edward County, Va.  
New Orleans, La.

New York, N.Y.  
 Washington, D.C.  
 Selma, Ala.  
 Richmond, Va.  
 Tuscaloosa, Ala.  
 Danville, Va.  
 Rockhill, S.C.  
 Winnsboro, S.C.  
 Augusta, Ga.  
 Athens, Ga.  
 Topics: Freedom rides  
 Sit-ins  
 Arrest  
 Segregation in transportation  
 Other Topics: Charlotte Observer  
 Tuscaloosa News  
 Auburn Plainsman  
 Montgomery Advertiser  
 New York Times  
 Washington Post  
 Times-Herald  
 Norfolk Journal and Guide  
 Alabama Journal  
 Atlanta Constitution  
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 Location of Original: American Civil Liberties Union Collection, 1955-1968, Princeton University, Princeton, N.J.  
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## Memo to Jamie Moore

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Watkins, R.A.

Author Affiliation: Birmingham (Ala.). Police Dept.

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Names: Gardner, Edward Hall  
Wallace, George C. (George Corley) [Alabama. Office of the Governor]  
Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald) [United States. White House]  
Boutwell, Albert Burton [Birmingham (Ala.). Office of the Mayor]  
Collins, Addie Mae  
Robertson, Carole Rosamond  
Wesley, Cynthia Dianne  
McNair, Carol Denise  
Ware, Virgil  
Robinson, Johnny  
Powell, Josephine  
Marcus, Patricia  
Walker, Richard Arnold  
Armstrong, Dwight Edward  
Armstrong, Floyd Douglas  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Lewis, Scott [Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (U.S.)]  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Lingo, Al  
Thorn, Anita [Birmingham (Ala.). Police Dept.]  
Moore, Jamie [Birmingham (Ala.). Police Dept.]

Organizations: Alabama. Office of the Governor  
United States. White House  
Birmingham (Ala.). Office of the Mayor  
Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (U.S.)  
Sixth Avenue Baptist Church (Birmingham, Ala.)  
Sixteenth Street Baptist Church (Birmingham, Ala.)  
United States. Federal Bureau of Investigation  
University of Alabama (Tuscaloosa, Ala.)  
Birmingham (Ala.). Fire Dept.  
United States. Army



	Alabama. Dept. of Public Safety
	Alabama. National Guard
	Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)
	Republican Party
Places:	St. Luke's Baptist Church (Birmingham, Ala.) Montgomery, Ala.
Topics:	Churches-vandalism Freedom rides Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking Governmental investigations Martin Luther King, Jr. - Political and Social views Nonviolence Bombings Meetings Sixteenth Street Baptist Church Bombing, Birmingham, Ala., 1963 Police - Complaints against
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