

## Letter to Martin Luther King, Jr. and Coretta Scott King

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Type of Signature: Signed (Handwritten signature of author)  
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Place Written: [Montgomery, Ala.]  
Genre: Letter  
Document Length: 1 p.  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
King, Coretta Scott  
Smith, Kelly Miller  
Roberts, Russell A.  
Nesbitt, R.D. (Robert D.)  
Harris, Richard  
King, Martin Luther  
Organizations: Diners' Club  
Eastern Air Lines, inc.  
Palmer House  
Places: Nashville, Tenn.  
Chicago, Ill.  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Topics: India trip  
Coretta Scott King - Public speaking  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Family  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Friends and Associates  
Montgomery Improvement Association--Finance  
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# Letter to the Montgomery County Board of Education

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document590828-000>

Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
DuBose, Robert E.  
Palmer, H.J.  
Hubbard, H. H.  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Abernathy, Ralph

Author Affiliation: Montgomery Improvement Association

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Genre: Letter

Document Length: 2 pp.

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Dates: 5/17/1954

Names: Harris, Harold

Organizations: Montgomery County. Board of Education  
United States. Supreme Court

Places: Washington, D.C.  
Atlanta, Ga.

Topics: Communism  
Montgomery Improvement Association--relations with other organizations  
School integration  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas

Code for Location of Original: MLKP-MBU

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## Program, "A Testimonial of Love and Loyalty"

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

Document Type: Document

Status: Cal. 5  
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Place Written: Montgomery, Ala.

Genre: Ephemera

Document Length: 4 pp.

Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
King, Coretta Scott  
King, Yolanda  
King, Martin Luther, III  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Palmer, H. J.  
Hubbard, H. H.  
Lambert, B.D.  
Nesbitt, R.D. (Robert D.)  
Wilson, A. W.  
Powell, William J.  
Steele, C. Kenzie  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Dungee, Erna A.  
Gregory, Hazel R.

Organizations: First Baptist Church (Montgomery, Ala.)

Topics: Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Montgomery Improvement Association--staff

Code for Location of Original: LDRP-NN-Sc

Location of Original: Lawrence Dunbar Reddick Papers, Manuscripts, Archives and Rare Books Division, Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, The New York Public Library, New York, N.Y.

Location of Original - Detail: Box 3, folder 8

Copy Location (1): BWOF-AB, Birmingham World Office Files, Birmingham Public and Jefferson County Free Library, Birmingham, Ala.

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Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Document ID: 600201-009  
Document Date: [2/1/1960]  
Document Type: Audio Tape  
Status: In Vol. 5  
Place Written: Montgomery, Ala.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 26 min.  
Document Note: 3 sound cassettes: analog  
Names: King, Coretta Scott  
Abernathy, Ralph [Southern Christian Leadership Conference]  
Hubbard, H. H. [Montgomery Improvement Association]  
Dungee, Erna A. [Montgomery Improvement Association]  
Dungee, A.C.  
Powell, William J. [Old Ship AME Zion Church]  
Underwood, Jefferson [Montgomery Improvement Association]  
Palmer, H.J. [Montgomery Improvement Association]  
Dubose, Robert E. [Montgomery Improvement Association]  
King, Alfred Daniel  
John, the Baptist, Saint  
Organizations: Southern Christian Leadership Conference  
Montgomery Improvement Association  
First Baptist Church (Montgomery, Ala.)  
Topics: Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Martin Luther King, Jr.--membership in organizations  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Montgomery Improvement Association--staff  
Other Topics: John 3:30  
Stride Toward Freedom  
Code for Location of Original: MLKEC-INP  
Location of Original: Martin Luther King, Jr. Estate Collection, In Private Hands  
Location of Original - Detail: ET-53 & ET-54  
Copy Location (1): MLKPP, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers Project, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.  
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## Minutes, executive board meeting

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document560726-002>

Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Powell, W.(William) J.

Author Affiliation: Montgomery Improvement Association

Document ID: 560726-002

Document Date: 7/26/1956

Type of Writing: Typed

Document Type: Document

Status: Cal. 3

Place Written: [Montgomery, Ala.]

Genre: Report

Document Length: 2 pp.

Names: Hilson, Ralph W.  
Hubbard, H.H.  
Cherry, J.H.  
Palmer, H.J.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Murphy, A.W.  
Lewis, G. Franklin  
Bennett, L. Roy  
Hayes, J.W.  
Simms, B.J.  
Glasco, R. J.  
Demos, Raphael  
Robinson, Jo Ann Gibson  
Lowe, Jimmie  
West, A.W. (Mrs.)  
Dungee, Erna A.  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Matthews, Robert  
Pierce, J.E.  
Lee, C.W.  
Conley, P.E.  
Taylor, R.M.

Organizations: United States. Supreme Court

Places: San Francisco, Calif.

Topics: Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Montgomery Improvement Association--Finance  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Montgomery Improvement Association--staff  
Montgomery Improvement Association--relations with other organizations

Code for Location of Original: MLKP-MBU

Location of Original: Martin Luther King, Jr., Papers, 1954-1968, Boston University, Boston, Mass.

Location of Original - Detail: Box 30, folder 16

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# Minutes, Montgomery Improvement Association Executive Board meeting

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document560918-002>

Author: Powell, William J.  
Author Dates: 1916-  
Author Affiliation: Montgomery Improvement Association  
Document ID: 560918-002  
Document Date: 9/18/1956  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Document  
Status: In Vol. 3  
Place Written: Montgomery, Ala.  
Genre: Report  
Document Length: 1 p.  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Sanders, A.  
Johnson, H. H.  
Bonner, J. William  
Palmer, H. J.  
McCain, R. B.  
Lewis, G. Franklin  
Hilson, R. W.  
Glasco, R. J.  
Graetz, Robert S.  
White  
Binion, R. B.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
West, Irene  
Dungee, Erna A.  
Conley, P. E.  
Lowe, Jimmie  
Langford, Charles  
Robinson, Jo Ann Gibson  
Lewis, Rufus A. (Rufus Andrew)  
Folsom, James Elisha  
Organizations: United States. Department of Justice  
United States. Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Places: Washington, D.C.  
Topics: Montgomery Improvement Association--threats  
Montgomery Improvement Association--relations with government officials  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Montgomery Improvement Association--staff  
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Author: Graetz, Robert S.  
Author Dates: 1928-  
Author Affiliation: Montgomery Improvement Association  
Document ID: 580120-005  
Document Date: 1/20/1958  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Document  
Type of Signature: Signed (Handwritten signature of author)  
Status: Cal. 4  
Place Written: [Montgomery, Ala.]  
Genre: Report  
Document Length: 3 pp.  
Dates: 1/19/1958  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Robinson, Jo Ann Gibson  
Jones, Moses W.  
Lewis, Rufus A. (Rufus Andrew)  
Powell, William J.  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Dungee, Erna A.  
Hubbard, H. H.  
Gray, Fred D.  
Palmer, H.J.  
Phelps  
King, Josh  
Parker, Doris Reynolds  
Sippial, David  
Wilson, A. W.  
Pierce, J.E.  
Binion, R. B.  
Gray, Tom  
Lee, C.W.  
Pleasure, Mose  
Simms, B.J.  
Organizations: Dexter Avenue Baptist Church  
Topics: Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Code for Location of Original: MLKP-MBU  
Location of Original: Martin Luther King, Jr., Papers, 1954-1968, Boston University, Boston, Mass.  
Location of Original - Detail: Box 30, folder 16  
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# "Building a Democratic Civilization Admist World Tensions, Frustrations and Fears," Address at the Annual Institute on Nonviolence and Social Change

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document601208-000>

Author: Abernathy, Ralph  
Author Dates: 1926-1990  
Author Affiliation: Montgomery Improvement Association  
Document ID: 601208-000  
Document Date: 12/8/1960  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Document  
Status: Cal. 5  
Place Written: Montgomery, Ala.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 21 pp.  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Marshall, Thurgood  
Wilkins, Roy  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Gregory, Hazel R.  
Dungee, Erna A.  
Hubbard, H. H.  
Nesbitt, R.D. (Robert D.)  
Robinson, Jackie  
DuBois, Robert E.  
Palmer, H. J.  
Mays, Willie  
Lewis, Rufus A.  
Bunche, Ralph J. (Ralph Johnson)  
Julian, Percy  
Washington, George  
Taylor, Gardner C.  
Jackson, J.H. (Joseph Harrison)  
Washington, Booker T.  
Drew, Charles  
Johnson, Mordecai W. (Mordecai Wyatt)  
Gomillion, Charles G. (Charles Goode)  
Lowery, Joseph (Joseph E.)  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L.  
Mays, Benjamin Elijah  
Organizations: Alabama State College  
Tuskegee Institute  
Morehouse College  
Boston University  
Topics: Montgomery Improvement Association--staff  
Montgomery Improvement Association--strategic planning  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Montgomery Improvement Association--relations with other organizations  
Other Topics: Declaration of Independence  
Code for Location of HG-GAMK

Original:  
Location of Original: Hazel Gregory Papers, 1955-1965, Martin Luther King, Jr., Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.  
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Document Type: Document

Status: Cal. 5

Place Written: Montgomery, Ala.

Genre: Ephemera

Document Length: 16 pp.

Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Lawson, James M.  
Smiley, Glenn E.  
Lee, Bernard Scott  
Hubbard, H. H.  
Parks, Rosa  
Powell, William J.  
DuBose, Robert E.  
Nesbitt, R.D. (Robert D.)  
James, Felix  
Fields, Uriah J.  
Abernathy, Juanita Odessa Jones  
Walker, Wyatt Tee  
Palmer, H. J.  
Hayes, J. W.  
Wood, James R.  
Blake, Harry  
Gomillion, Charles G. (Charles Goode)  
Lowery, Joseph (Joseph E.)  
Lewis, Rufus A.  
Cotton, Dorothy  
Gaston, A.G. (Arthur George)  
Gray, Fred D.  
Jackson, Emory O.

Topics: Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Meetings  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Montgomery Improvement Association--relations with other organizations

Other Topics: Romans 1:15-17  
II Timothy 2:15  
Psalm 100  
Proverbs 31:10-30  
Exodus 3:7-10  
I Timothy 4:12  
Isaiah 40:28-31

Code for Location of Original: Isaiah 52:1-3  
HG-GAMK

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Copy Location (2): AMCL-A-Ar, Albertone Moore Campbell Collection, Alabama Department of Archives and History, Montgomery, Ala.

Copy Location (3): FORR-PSC-P, Fellowship of Reconciliation Records, 1943-1973, Swarthmore College Peace Collection, Swarthmore, Pa.

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.

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Place Written: Montgomery, Ala.  
Genre: Report  
Document Length: 2 pp.  
Dates: 8/1956 - 12/1956  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Jones, Moses W.  
Powell, William J.  
Dungee, Erna A.  
Lee, C.W.  
Wilson, A. W.  
Simms, B.J.  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Lewis, Rufus A. (Rufus Andrew)  
Bonner, J. William  
Young, Ronald  
Lowe, Jimmie  
Lambert, B.D.  
Johnson, H.H.  
Cherry, J.H.  
Palmer, H.J.  
Binion, R.B.  
Conely, P.E.  
Hubbard, H. H.  
Blair, P.M.  
Glasco, R. J.  
Robinson, Jo Ann Gibson  
West, Irene  
Hayes, J.W.  
Adair, Eurette  
Hilson, R.W.  
Gray, Thomas  
Murphy, A.W.  
Pierce, J.E.  
Parks, Rosa  
Caldwell, Ida  
Mathews, R.L.  
Ferguson, Isaiah  
Graetz, Robert S.  
Ligon, E.H.



Caple, James E.  
Clement, Harold A. L.  
King, John  
Lewis, G. Franklin  
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