

What Social Justice Means to Us, by 3M, MFS Class of '31

Martin Luther King Jr was brave and smart,
strong and inspiring,
kind and helpful.
He showed people that there is always light in every single person.
Even in hard times, you can find light.
He fought for change,
not physically, but
with his powerful words:

justice,
race,
equal rights,
courage,
togetherness,
hope,
peace,
love,
family,
change.

Martin's mother told him,
"You are as good as anyone."

Martin Luther King Jr said:
"When I grow up I'm going to get big words too."
"I have a dream."
"Hate cannot drive out hate.
Only love can do that."
"Everyone can be great."

Martin Luther King Jr fought for change in:
Atlanta, Georgia
Montgomery, Alabama
Birmingham, Alabama
Selma, Alabama
Memphis, Tennessee: Martin passed away,
And people continued his legacy
in the North
in the South
in the whole country.
And his words still lived on.

When Martin Luther King Jr was young,
He said, "When I grow up, I'm going to get big words too."
And it actually happened.

So, no matter what age you are,
or who you are,
you can spread social justice,
everywhere
you can change the world.