

Martin Luther King Jr. Trivia



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1. Where Martin Luther King Jr. was born?

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- B. Atlanta, Georgia
- C. Chicago, Illinois
- D. Jacksonville, Florida

2. When was Martin Luther King Day first observed as a federal holiday?

- A. 1982
- B. 1984
- C. 1986
- D. 1988

3. Where did MLK deliver his famous "I Have a Dream" speech?

- A. Ebenezer Baptist Church in Atlanta, Georgia
- B. Thomas Jefferson Memorial Washington, D.C.
- C. Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C.
- D. Mount Rushmore, South Dakota

4. Which famous boycott did Martin Luther King Jr. lead?

- A. March for Life
- B. Montgomery Bus Boycott
- C. March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom
- D. Stonewall Riots

5. Year that Martin Luther King Jr. won Nobel Peace Prize.

- A. 1974
- B. 1964
- C. 1968
- D. 1970

6. Martin Luther King Jr. was imprisoned how many times?

- A. 21
- B. 12
- C. 29
- D. 16

7. At what church did MLK serve as pastor?

- A. Dexter Avenue Baptist Church
- B. Saddleback Church
- C. Westboro Baptist Church
- D. South Side Baptist Church

8. Why was the "I Have A Dream Speech" not clearly heard?

- A. MLK sickness
- B. People too far
- C. Assassination attempt on MLK
- D. Sound System Sabotage

9. Which Martin Luther King Book is a memoir of the Montgomery bus boycott?

- A. Stride Toward Freedom
- B. All Labor Has Dignity
- C. Why We Can't Wait
- D. Trumpet of Conscience

10. Finish the Quote: "True peace is not merely the absence of tension; it is the presence of _____."

- A. Freedom
- B. Justice
- C. Love
- D. Equality

11. How did Izola Curry try to kill MLK on September 20, 1958?

- A. Arsenic
- B. Knife
- C. Gun
- D. Letter Opener

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