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Martin Luther King, Jr. Symbolic Essay

Freedom of speech is the right of every human being. Some people have that right and some people fight for it. Today, the law protects that right, and we owe our gratitude to the legends of the past that fought for that right. These legends, such as Martin Luther King, Jr. also fought for the right of voting and hospitality, and more for rights. Martin Luther King, Jr. proves to us in his autobiography *The Autobiography of Martin Luther King, Jr.* that the whole human race deserves to be written about, no matter what the circumstances are. In George Jackson's report, he speaks "I Have a Dream" and his overall acts of non-violence that Martin Luther King, Jr. defines these rights in *The Autobiography of Martin Luther King, Jr.*

Martin Luther King, Jr. lives in a time of segregation and unequal distribution of rights. He grows up to fight for his rights. He also manages to define to the world the importance of one's opinion and one's words. He defines that in his first action against segregation, the Bus Boycott of 1955. He started the boycott in the honor of Rosa Parks, an African American who stood up to her seat on a bus and refused to stand up for a white American and get arrested. He started this act to show to the whites that the voices of the blacks should be heard and they should be respected and acknowledged with their opinions. This would prove to the reader that each person, whether male or female, black or white, should be acknowledged, respected and recognized.

The Autobiography of Martin Luther King, Jr. includes a speech. This speech shows King's commitment against segregation and racism. In his speech, "I Have a Dream," King explains why the blacks should have a say in the country and why they are no different than a