EO COMPLAINT PROCESS

Garrison EO Office: 314-541-2210/ 314-531-2754

If you have concerns, you may file either an Informal or Formal Complaint.

Informal Complaint

- Not filed in writing
- No timeline or suspense nor is it reportable
- You can see your EOL, EOA or chain of command to resolve your concern

Formal Complaint

- Filed with EOA within 60 days from the incident
- File in writing and complainant swears to accuracy of information
- Mandatory timeline and is reportable (commanders may authorize investigations of complaints over 60 days)

ETHNIC OBSERVANCES <u>TIMELINE</u>

JANUARY: 3D Monday in January "Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday"

FEBRUARY: 1-28 February <u>"National African American/Black History</u> <u>Month"</u>

MARCH: 1-30 March "Women's History Month"

APRIL/MAY: April/May Sunday to Sunday for week encompassing Yom Hoshoah "Days of Remembrance" for Victims of the Holocaust

MAY: 1-31 May <u>"Asian American and Pacific Islander Herit-age Month"</u>

JULY: 1-31 July "LGBT Pride Month"

AUGUST: 26 August "Women's Equality Day"

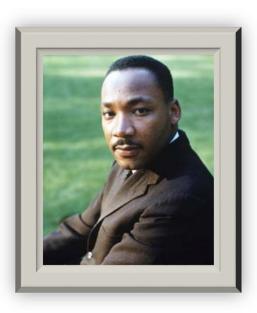
SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER: 15 Sep-15 Oct "National Hispanic Heritage Month"

NOVEMBER: 1-30 November "National American Indian Heritage Month"

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<u>Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.</u> <u>Birthday Observance</u>



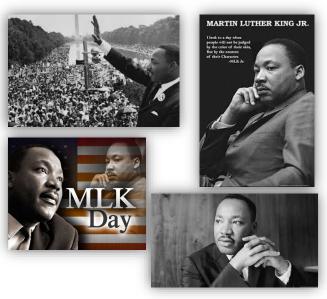


MARTIN LUTHER KING JR'S LIFE

- **1929** Born on January 15 to the Reverend Martin Luther King Sr.and Alberta Williams King
- **1944** Began his studies at Morehouse College at the age of 15
- **1948** Entered Crozer Theological Seminary for three years
- **1951** Began his graduate studies at Boston University
- **1953** Martin Luther King marries Coretta Scott at her parent's home in Alabama
- **1955** Received his PhD in Systematic Theology from Boston College
- **1955** Led the Montgomery bus boycott based on the experience of Rosa Parks
- **1956** Bus segregation has been ruled illegal by the Supreme Court
- **1959** Went to India and met with the family of Mahatma Gandhi
- **1960** Became co-pastor with his father at the Ebenezer Baptist Church in Atlanta
- **1960** Was arrested for a sit-in at a restaurant in Greensboro, NC
- **1961** Based on MLK's work, the Interstate Commerce Commission banned segregation in interstate travel.

MLK JR'S LIFE CONT'D

- **1963** King writes his famous Letter from Birmingham jail after being arrested.
- **1963** On June 23, he led a group of 125,000 people in a Freedom Walk in Detroit
- **1963** On August 28 he joins more than 250,000 people in the March on Washington and delivers the famous "I Have a Dream" speech
- **1964** MLK Jr. is the youngest person to receive the Nobel Peach Prize
- **1966** King begins to focus on other social issues starting with the March Against Fear
- **1968** Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. is assassinated on the balcony of a hotel in Memphis, Tennessee.
- **1986** President Reagan signs a law declaring the third Monday in January Martin Luther King Jr. Day, a federal holiday.



A FEW FAMOUS MLK JR. QUOTES

As we prepare to celebrate Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday, we remember his trailblazing activism and soaring vision for a just America. We are left with the eloquence of his words that continue to guide us forward as we strive to become a more perfect union.

Here are a few quotes from MLK's famous speeches and writings about education, justice, hope, perseverance and freedom.

"Intelligence plus character—that is the goal of true education."

—"The Purpose of Education" from Morehouse College student newspaper, The Maroon Tiger, 1947

"If we are not careful, our colleges will produce a group of close-minded, unscientific, illogical propagandists, consumed with immoral acts. Be careful, 'brethren!' Be careful, teachers!"

—"The Purpose of Education" from Morehouse College student newspaper, The Maroon Tiger, 1947

"True peace is not merely the absence of tension; it is the presence of justice."

-from Stride Toward Freedom, 1958

"Science investigates; religion interprets. Science gives man knowledge, which is power; religion gives man wisdom, which is control. Science deals mainly with facts; religion deals