



Quote Quest



Martin Luther King Jr. - When Does One Really Start Living?

Martin Luther King Jr. (1929-1968) was one of the most influential leaders of the American civil rights movement. King advanced civil rights in a time when discrimination against African Americans was not only systemic but legal; he was involved not only in the African American fight for equality, but also in protests against poverty, capitalism, and the Vietnam War. For combating racial inequality, through nonviolent resistance, he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. In 1968 he was assassinated.

“An individual has not started living until he can rise above the narrow confines of his individualistic _____ to the broader _____ of all humanity”

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.

Questions

1. What word is missing from the quote?
2. Do you agree with the statement in the quote?
3. What are the concerns of all humanity? What should all humanity fight for?
4. Can you think of a current event or an event from your own life that corresponds with the quote? Does it relate to a tv show, a movie, a game or a book that you like?
5. Make up your own quote or saying. If you had one message to convey to the world, what would it be?