

*Dr. Martin Luther
King Jr,*



and

the

7 Habits

Habit 1: Be Proactive®

- *You're in Charge*

*Every person is the creator of his/her own destiny.
Choose how to live.*



“Every man must decide whether he will walk in the light of creative altruism (humanity) or in the darkness of destructive selfishness.”

Habit 2: Begin With the End in Mind®

- *Have a Plan*

Don't give up, even when things get tough.

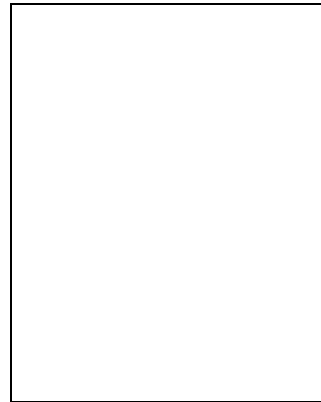


“The path to freedom is filled with obstacles. Stay steadfast in your beliefs.”

Habit 3: Put First Things First®

- *Work First, Then Play*

Even though we want to quit, we can't until the job is done, then we can take time out to relax and have fun.

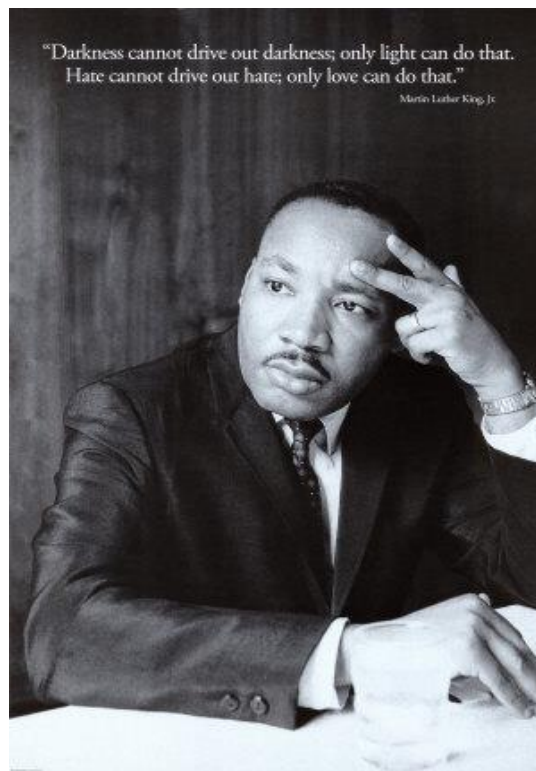


Whatever your life's work is, do it well. A man should do his job so well that the living, the dead, and the unborn could do it no better.

Habit 4: Think Win-Win®

- *Everyone Can Win*

Together we can find a solution that can work for everyone



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*"I look to a day
will not be judged
their skin, but by
their character."*

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Habit 5: Seek First to Understand, Then to Be Understood®

• *Listen Before You Talk*

It's important to really listen to what the other person has to say. Once you understand their point of view, solutions are easier to find.



“We must develop and maintain the capacity to forgive. He who is devoid of the power to forgive is devoid of the power to love. There is some good in the worst of us and some evil in the best of us. When we discover this, we are less prone to hate our enemies.”

Habit 6: Synergize®

• *Together Is Better*

We all work together towards a common goal. With all of us, we will achieve our goal faster and better.



"The first question asked was: "If I stop to help this man, what will happen to me?" But... the good Samaritan reversed the question: "If I do not stop to help this man, what will happen to him?"

Habit 7: Sharpen the Saw®

- *Balance Feels Best*

We have to take time out to do things with family that we enjoy.



“The art of acceptance is the art of making someone who has just done you a small favor wish that he might have done you a greater one.”

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As a black man, I can look back to the days when my ancestors had to pick the cotton. I thank God for who he has picked to lead us into a new day. Martin Luther King Jr. was a great man who's life will be remembered, taught, and loved forever. I thank him, Rosa Parks, Coretta Scott King, Malcolm X, and many others for their great leadership, wonderful dreams, and different outlooks on life. Without them, who knows where we would be. Change is a great thing and with our new president Obama, the African-American race will lead and shine like the stars God made us to be.

-Ashon M.
x Michigan

