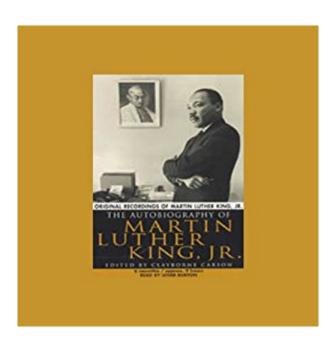
# The book was found

# The Autobiography Of Martin Luther King, Jr.





## **Synopsis**

First-person account of the extraordinary life of America's greatest civil rights leader. It begins with his boyhood as the son of a preacher, his education as a minister, his ascendancy as a leader of civil rights, & his complex relationships with leading political & social figures of the day. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

#### **Book Information**

**Audible Audio Edition** 

Listening Length: 9 hours and 55 minutes

Program Type: Audiobook

Version: Unabridged

Publisher: Hachette Audio

Audible.com Release Date: December 16, 1999

Language: English

ASIN: B0000547LK

Best Sellers Rank: #46 in Books > Audible Audiobooks > Politics & Current Events > Freedom & Security #73 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Politics & Government > Specific Topics > Civil Rights & Liberties #103 in Books > Audible Audiobooks > Biographies & Memoirs > Historical & Political Figures

### **Customer Reviews**

February is Black History Month, something which--to be totally honest--l'm usually completely unaware of. I'm not just unaware of when Black History Month occurs, but pretty ignorant about Black History in general. Last week I began reading The Autobiography of Martin Luther King, Jr. I had purchased it a while back at the same time that I bought Gandhi's autobiography. I've been following the trail of non-violent thought from the Anabaptists to the Quakers to Leo Tolstoy to Gandhi to Martin Luther King (and points in-between). So MLK was the next stop on my journey. I only discovered last week after getting half-way into the book that February is Black History Month. I learned this by seeing a placard on the side of a bus.Dr. King's autobiography was not intentionally written by it's subject, in the same way that Gandhi's autobiography was. King was assassinated before he could write this work himself. Instead, his autobiography was assembled by King scholar Clayborne Carson (at the request of Coretta Scott King) by carefully gathering and collating King's public and private writings into a cohesive narrative. Carson did a masterful job, as King's voice and personality consistently shines through. One really has the sense that this is the autobiography King

would have written had his life not been cut short. I had not expected to become so quickly engrossed in this book. Obviously I knew who Martin Luther King was, but this was my first opportunity to really see what an amazing man he was. King was an intellectual giant, yet also an extremely humble and honest man. He was a brilliant theologian and scholar, but consistently chose to identify himself with the lowest of the low in society. He was incredibly, well ... Christian ... in the true sense of the word.

#### Download to continue reading...

Martin Luther King: The Essential Box Set: The Landmark Speeches and Sermons of Martin Luther King, Jr. Martin's Big Words: The Life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. My Brother Martin: A Sister Remembers Growing Up with the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. The Autobiography of Martin Luther King, Jr. The Plot to Kill King: The Truth Behind the Assassination of Martin Luther King Jr. Death of a King: The Real Story of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s Final Year I am Martin Luther King, Jr. (Ordinary People Change the World) Who Was Martin Luther King, Jr.? DK Biography: Martin Luther King, Jr. Young Martin Luther King Jr. - Pbk (Troll First-Start Biography) I've Seen the Promised Land: The Life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. A Picture Book of Martin Luther King, Jr. (Picture Book Biography) (Picture Book Biographies) ¿Quién fue Martin Luther King, Jr.? (Who Was...?) (Spanish Edition) Martin Luther King and the Montgomery Story I See the Promised Land: A Life of Martin Luther King, Jr. My First Biography: Martin Luther King, Jr. National Geographic Readers: Martin Luther King, Jr. (Readers Bios) Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (Celebrations in My World (Library)) A Knock at Midnight: Inspiration from the Great Sermons of Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., Martin Luther King, Jr., Malcolm X, and the Civil Rights Struggle of the 1950s and 1960s: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series)

<u>Dmca</u>