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When my mom asked me to write an essay about Dr. Martin Luther King, the only thing I could remember is that he was a boy like me and had the same skin color as me. My mom told me that there was much more to learn about Dr. King and what he has done for our freedom, so I started reading stories about him. My favorite story was called, Martin Luther King's Dream. I learned that Dr. King had a dream to end segregation and to allow black kids to go to the same school as white kids. He also had a dream to free black people from years of sadness and pain that was caused from slavery. Dr. King worked hard to give black people a voice and the chance to live free. My grandparents and father were able to come to America from Africa because of him. One day I want to be a part of Dr. King's dream. I want to give speeches around the world on how to respect and treat each other regardless of your skin color. Thank you, Dr. King for all you have done for me and my family.