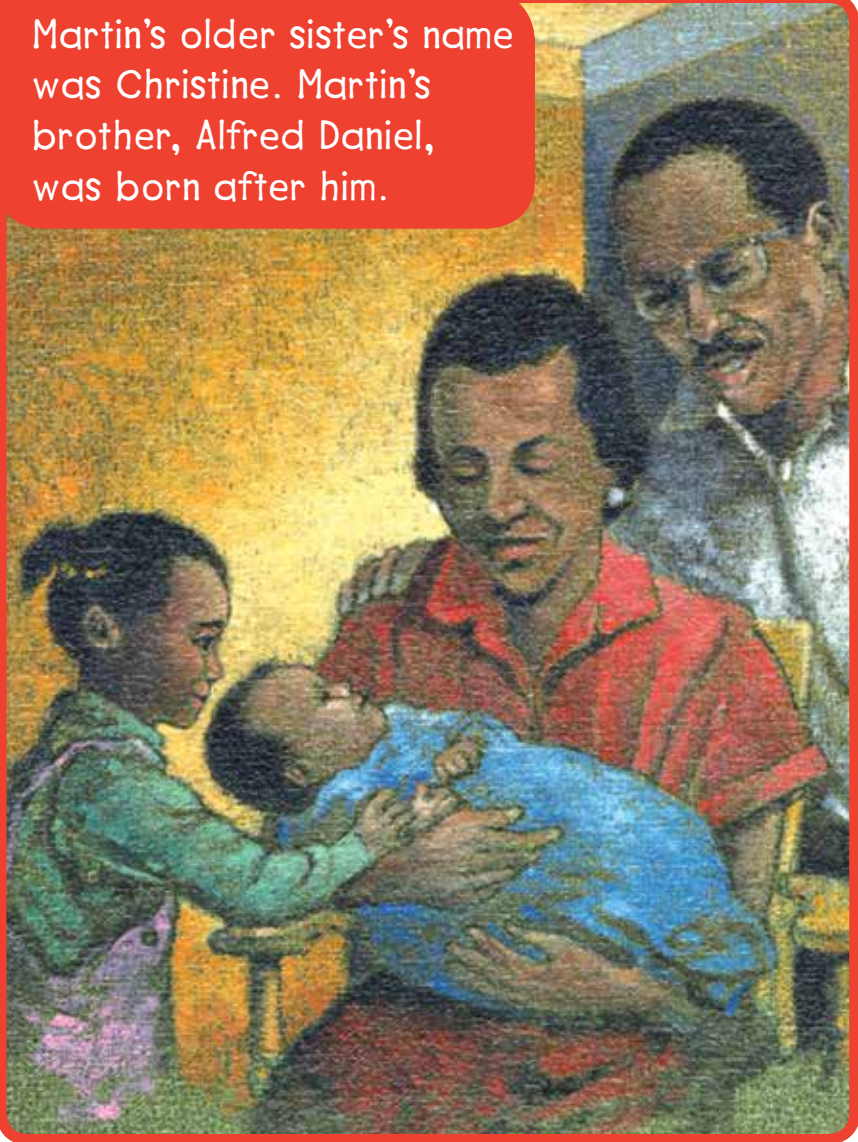


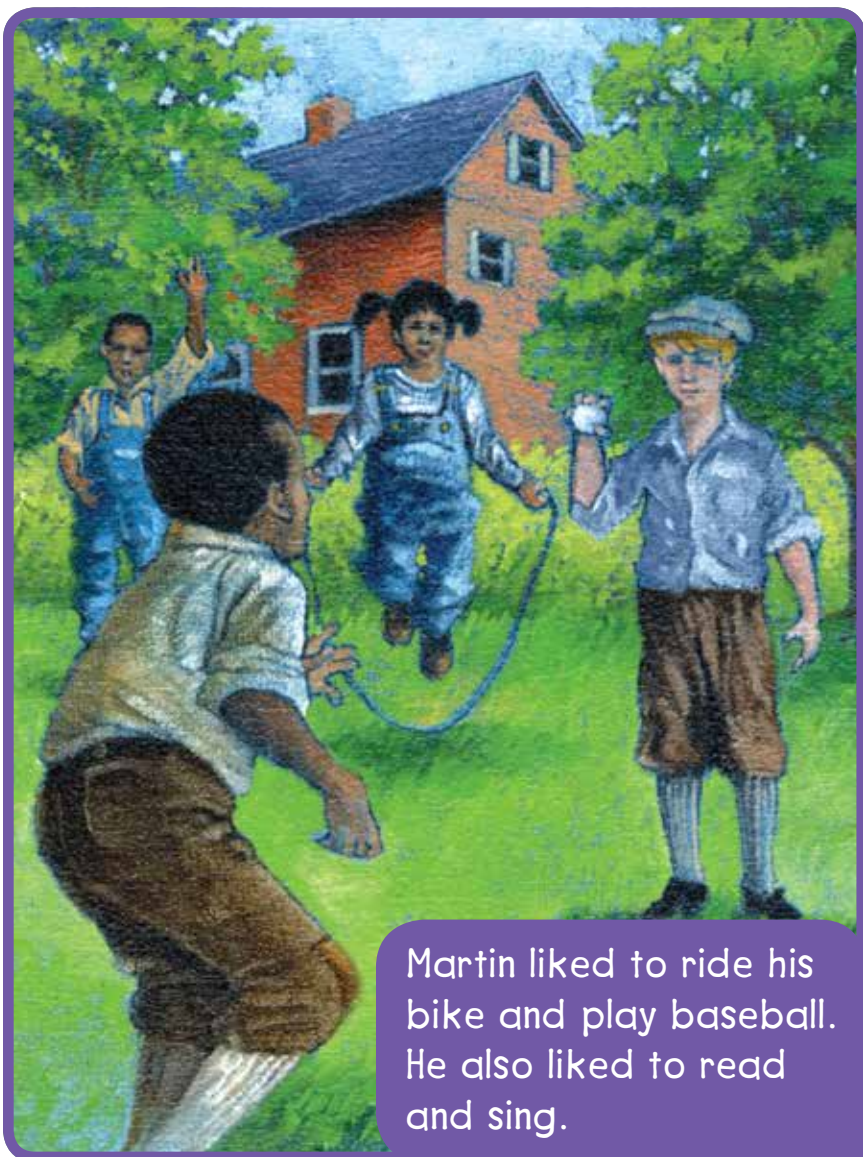
Martin Luther King, Jr.,  
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**equal rights**. He lived  
from 1929 to 1968.

Martin Luther King, Jr., lived when there were unfair laws in our country. These laws gave **African Americans** fewer rights than white people. **Dr.** King worked to change these laws.

Martin's older sister's name was Christine. Martin's brother, Alfred Daniel, was born after him.



Martin Luther King, Jr., was born on January 15, 1929, in Atlanta, Georgia. His family called him M.L.



Martin liked to ride his bike and play baseball. He also liked to read and sing.

The Kings' house was full of games, stories, and fun. The neighborhood children liked to play there.

# Glossaire

**African-American (adj et n)** : Afro-Américain

**Dr.** : abréviation de docteur ; signifie que la personne a eu un doctorat à l'université, mais pas forcément de médecine. Martin Luther King a un doctorat de théologie, on ne l'appelle pas docteur en français.

**equal rights** : égalité des droits

**give up (v)** : abandonner, céder

**holiday (n)** : jour férié

**jail (n)** : prison

**to mourn (vt)** : pleurer (la perte de quelqu'un)

**peaceful (adj)** : pacifique

**protest (n)** : protestation, manifestation

**to ride the bus** : prendre le bus

**to stand up for (v)** : défendre

**to turn this world upside down** : bouleverser ce monde

**unfair law** : loi injuste