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Phonographic Record (LP)
"The Great March on Washington"
Motown Records, 1963

Motown Records produced and released this LP of the essential speeches and songs from the March on Washington in August of 1963. Recorded live, this disc jockey copy is mounted beside its original 2-color cover. This release, from the premier African American commercial record label of the time, demonstrates the unity of African American people as regards the civil rights movement in the United States at the time. It was released in August 1963 after the march was completed.

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Brochure

This promotional piece from the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. National Historic Site shows a large dramatic photo of the March on Washington. The text presents an abstract of the life and work of Dr. King.

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Life Magazine
Nobel Peace Prize

Dr. King accepted the Nobel Peace Prize in 1964 on behalf of "a civil rights movement which is moving with a determination and majesty, through risk and danger to establish a reign of freedom and a rule of justice."

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Photograph
Sepia-Toned Portrait
11"x14", 1961

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Urban League of New York in honor of one of 24 greatest Americans.

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Photographic Montage
March on Washington Speech
Life Magazine, September 6, 1963

This collage of photographs is from the LIFE magazine issue of September 6, 1963. This centerpiece is taken of the crowd in front of the Washington Monument as the fiery speaker, the Rev. Martin L. King, Jr., addresses the crowd expressing, "America has given the Negro people a bad check. It came back marked insufficient funds ". The surrounding images depict Dr. King held in a jail in Montgomery, Alabama for "loitering" from which he was later released. The captioned reads "The nonviolent man who drew violence to himself."

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Photograph
10" x 14"
Philadelphia Inquire
April 14, 1968
UPI Special Supplement.

"The day after the assassination."
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