

Why?



Martin could read when he was 6

little. Martin said to his mother, "I can 14

read that. We can't get a drink there." 22

Then Martin said to his dad, "I 29

can read that. We can't eat there 36

because we are black. Why?" 41

Then Martin's dad said, "We will 47

not be free until we can eat where we 56

want. We will not be free until we can 65

drink where we want." 69

Please initial with each reading. _____

The Buses



Martin Luther King said, "We 5

cannot be free until we can sit on a bus 15

where we want." 18

Martin Luther King and his friends 24

would not go on the bus. He said, "We 33

are not mad, but we will be treated well. 42

We will not get on the buses until we are 52

free to sit where we want." 58

Then Martin and others sang songs. 64

Martin and his friends were strong. 70

Please initial with each reading. _____

Freedom Rings

When Martin Luther King was 5

shot, it was sad. We lost a great, 13

great man. 15

We can't meet Martin Luther 20

King, but we can still listen to his 28

dreams. If Martin Luther King were 34

still with us, he would tell us to treat 43

others well. 45

He would say: 48

Let us stand together. 52

Let us dream together. 56

Let us work together. 60

Let us be brothers and sisters. 66



Please initial with each reading. _____

Storybook Decoding Review

■ Sounds you know:

f ar b o -y
i e F er W

▲ Words you can sound out:

under soon why thing
get must free going
little start better being



Words you have learned:

legs work word school
go about friend were



Phrases you can read:

my other friend the smallest one
after a rest brother and sister



Sentences you can read:

Mother went with us.
"What's the matter?" asked Bill.
Bell did not understand about school.

Please initial after the student has read the page. _____