**ROSA PARKS` BIOGRAPHY**

Rosa Parks was a civil rights activist who refused to surrender her seat to a white passenger on a segregated bus in Montgomery, Alabama. Her defiance sparked the Montgomery Bus Boycott in…...

Rosa Parks was born Rosa Louise McCauley on February 4, 1913, in Tuskegee, Alabama. After her parents, James and Leona McCauley, separated when Rosa was two, Rosa’s mother moved the family to Pine Level, Alabama, to live with her parents, Rose and Sylvester Edwards, and she rarely visited her father.

McCauley attended rural schools until the age of eleven. She also studied at the [Industrial School for Girls](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Industrial_School_for_Girls) in Montgomery and at a laboratory school set up by the [Alabama State Teachers College for Negroes](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alabama_State_University) for secondary education, but dropped out in order to care for her grandmother and later her mother, after they became ill.

Adapted from **<https://www.google.com/amp/s/www.biography.com/.amp/activist/rosa-parks>** Accessed on July 18th,2019.

MARTIN LUTHER KING JUNIOR´S BIOGRAPHY

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., was born in Atlanta, [Georgia](https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/states/georgia/), in 1929. At the time in that part of the country, segregation—or the separation of races in places like schools, buses, and restaurants—was the law. He experienced racial predjudice from the time he was very young, which inspired him to dedicate his life to achieving equality and justice for Americans of all colors. King believed that peaceful refusal to obey unjust law was the best way to bring about social change.

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/history/martin-luther-king-jr/> Accessed on July 10th,2019.