How Martin Luther King Would Inspire the Nation Today

Today's America is divided. Today's America is not racially just. It is struggling to become equal with race. However, in the present, many people are still fighting to spark a match that would create beautiful change in this country that we call home. I believe that Martin Luther King could inspire us all and maybe help the citizens of America see that even though we might come from different backgrounds, and have different colors of skin, we aren't all that different.

The world is very different than it was back then when Martin Luther King was a civil rights leader, and although it's funny to think about, maybe Martin Luther King would have been a social media personality, with a large influence over millions of people, and he would bring awareness to the issues about race around the country. Or maybe he would be a famous actor that would donate to civil rights organizations or speak out against racial injustice. These are the kind of things that would inspire Americans and cause change today. I think that Martin Luther King would inspire the nation with the transparency of his views, and belief in equality in a world where things are often covered up.

Not only would Martin Luther King's transparency and support of African American's rights inspire Americans, but his love of peacefulness and non-violence. With the violence in the United States today, his love of peace would be a nice change from what we see now. He would be a role model to all people, young and old, and show citizens of our great country that you can have respect and honor others who might not have the same views as you, even while standing up for what you believe in.

I also believe that Matin Luther King could inspire the nation today, by showing that even if he come from a very different background than someone else, he can still show respect and be friends with that person. One example of this is his friendship with Muhammad Ali. The two men were very different, with Muhammad Ali being Islam and a boxer and Martin Luther King being a Baptist minister and a non-violent leader. However, these two icons became very good friends. This friendship would inspire Americans today because it shows that even if a person is very different from you, you can still relate to this person and maybe even become friends with them.

In today's America, Martin Luther King would be an inspiration to all because of his kindness, honesty, and transparency. He would lead us on the path to a better, more equal America, but since he is not here today, his past has inspired us to try to achieve it on our own.