

The Moral Leader of Our Nation

On August 28, 1963, at the historic March on Washington, labor and civil rights titan A. Philip Randolph famously introduced Dr. King as “the moral leader of our nation”.

MLK, Jr. remains our moral leader today, more than ever in the face of divisive, dangerous, and destructive ideology of systemic racism in America that is propagated by those who seek to replace Dr. King as our moral voice.

Randolph declared that the gathering was not a mob, but the advanced guard of a massive moral revolution. Today, we must preserve that profound moral revolution against the race-baiters and hate-mongers who seek to dismantle it for political and financial profit.

Modern identity politics and progressive left ideologies falsely claim that Americans are inherently guilty, racist, or incapable of empathy based on their skin color. Figures like Nikole Hannah-Jones, Ibram X. Kendi, Ta-Nehisi Coates, Cory Booker, Max Tax Mamdani, and Al Sharpton all profit by perpetuating the myth that America is fundamentally broken, evil, racist, and oppressive to minorities.

Dr. King’s moral leadership stands diametrically opposed to these figures, whose path of racial division is entirely out of step with America’s true founding principles.

Fortunately, prominent national intellectuals and leaders continue to fiercely defend Dr. King’s Dream today. Thought leaders associated with the Woodson Center and the Hoover Institution, including figures like Thomas Sowell, the late Robert Woodson, Shelby Steele, and NY-16th’s own, Ian Rowe, champion principles of family, faith, education, and entrepreneurship over group-based identity.

They stand as powerful, contemporary proof that the solution to historical injustice is equal opportunity not the Orwellian fabricated mandate of “equity”, which is nothing more than the government ordering its own preferred outcomes.

The organically diverse communities of Westchester and the Bronx are constantly bombarded by malignant political forces that seek to keep us divided for their own gain.

If we are to overcome the toxic ideologies of the left, then we must follow Dr. King’s words as our moral leader and demand that we judge each other not by the color of our skin but by the content of our character.

Amen.