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Which Black American
civil rights leader quote
are you referencing?

**"The time is
always right to do
what is right."**

Dr. Martin Luther King,
Jr. 1968, Washington,
D.C.

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-Martin Luther King Jr.

The Time for What is Right

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They say I'll do it later, day after day
I'll save my breath
The efforts will just go to waste anyway

And so the same seeds grow
The chapter doesn't close
They'll say what a sad sight
But still won't stand up for what's right

This. Is. Not. A. Game
It's giving what they've been denied
It's worth more than just your look of woe
Instead you should speak or show

"The time is always right to do what is right"
Let this quote be your guide
To join the fight
To stand for those in the present
So that here, there, everywhere in sight
Justice will finally be brought into light

Or you can stay home and lounge
Keep the tape over your mouth
You say it's a vast problem you can't control
But what will happen to all the innocent souls?

Your racism isn't patriotism
Don't go throwing bricks cause of politics
Instead augment the foundation for this nation
Abdicate the madness
Light a match, not to ignite violence
But to not give in too silence

And in this we can start a new page
And in this we did, we started a new age

They didn't go out picking streetfights
But peacefully stood up for their rights
And showed them their view
And in this the caged birds flew
And in this I'd like to say my thank you's
To these valiant fews
Who saw the time and just knew
That it's time for something new

Though history hasn't repeated itself it's rhymed
The outcome of the fight still isn't the most divine
But now they have their rights
And the worlds been changed so many times
We stand together unified in this nation
With these new ideas and innovations
Oh what a world would we be living in
If no one turned on this light
And no one decided that the time was right?