



“**TITANS**” Acrostic from Mr. Carey Casey’s *Focus on the Family* Message for Martin Luther King Jr. Day:

- Be **Teachable**—Learn from one another and from our differences, no matter your age or skin color.
- **Integrity**—We need to be trustworthy and honest. We must do what’s right to overcome wickedness.
- **Tested**—Someone will tell you that you don’t measure up, or will challenge your friendship with someone of another ethnicity. **James 1:2-4** - ²Count it all joy, my brothers,^[a] when you meet trials of various kinds, ³for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. ⁴And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.
- **Attitude**—Don’t see the glass as half-empty. Keep a positive attitude, like that of Christ. **Philippians 2:5** - Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus.
- **Name above all names**—Put Christ first in our lives, modeling Christianity for others around us. **1 Peter 2:9** - But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.
- **Special**—Remember that each one of us is special, wonderfully and uniquely created by God. **Psalms 139:13-14** - ¹³For you formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother’s womb. ¹⁴I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.^[a] Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well.