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in Fierce Determination Since 1996
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**“When the prison doors are opened,
the real dragon will fly out”
Ho Chi Minh**

Revolutionary Greetings,

Welcome to our National Jericho Movement Newsletter. Thank you to all of our members and affiliates who contribute critical information regarding our Political Prisoners/Prisoners of War as well as updates on activities, events, and actions. Moving forward, we stand in fierce determination and solidarity to free our remaining Political Prisoners and Prisoners of War still languishing behind the dungeon walls. Our shared vision is that we will reach a time in this country (and others) wherein there will be no more Political Prisoners/Prisoners of War. We envision the day when they all will walk free and into the arms of their families—who have been waiting for decades. We hope you join us in making this a reality.

**In Solidarity & Determination,
The National Jericho Movement**



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Section 1: The National Jericho Movement



Work & Focus

Jericho actively maintains direct connections with our Political Prisoners/Prisoners of War (PP/POW) by visiting or writing them monthly. We also maintain contact with and assist their families. We monitor health & legal status and provide support and intervention. We hold political education classes, table at events, travel to give presentations, interviews and speak on radio shows. We are actively collaborating with and support other movements, organizations and events which are in alignment with our missions and values to break down walls of injustice, racism, oppression, and to Free our Political Prisoners/ Prisoners of War. Part of our work is raising funds to support our PPs as well as their families. Additionally, we are assisting our comrades who have finally come home. We are also focusing on: **In the Spirit of Mandela: The Peoples' Senate**, and invite you to join us! Lastly, we hope you will connect with some of our powerful allies who are hosting events and Calls to Action (past and future). As you can see, there are many "boots on the ground"!

Free Em All!!

**In Determination & Solidarity,
The National Jericho Movement**

Chairperson's Corner

Please Check Back Next Month



Revolution is based on land. Land is the basis of all independence. Land is the basis of freedom, justice, and equality.

— *Malcolm X* —

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Chapter Reports

Please Check Back Next Month

Jericho Tributes & Highlights

Celebration of Life, In Loving Memory of Masai Ehehosi June 15

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

In Loving Memory of

MASAI EHEHOSI

*Come & join us to celebrate
Masai's vibrant spirit and profound impact.*



*Masai Ehehosi was a devoted father,
respected leader, and caring family member.
He impacted many lives with his warmth,
wisdom, and commitment. His legacy of love
and leadership will always be cherished.*

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

AMBIENT+ STUDIOS
FROM 3PM - 5PM

For Donations & RSVP, Please Contact
MasaisMemorial@gmail.com

Jericho Movement Support for International Political Prisoners May 26, 2025

True to its mission since its beginning in 1998, Jericho stands in full solidarity and support of all U.S. held Political Prisoners. But it's support of Political Prisoners does not stop there. Jericho recognizes the necessity of extending its solidarity to all Political Prisoners around the world who have stood and fought against all forms of fascism, imperialism, and colonialism. At this moment we recognize and acknowledge Political Prisoner Fikret Akar in Turkey, as well as his comrades with him. Many activists in the United States fasted from dawn to dusk on May 20th in solidarity Fikret Akar and all Turkish Political Prisoners. This expression of solidarity and awareness is essential to constructing the international bridges of support that must be built. The support for Political Prisoners is the cornerstone and hall mark of any and all genuine movement for justice and freedom. **Keep up the Fight!!! The Jericho Movement to Free all Political Prisoners**

Address for Fikret Akar in Turkey:

Fikret Akar
Karatepe Y.G Hapishanesi
Çorlu/Tekirdag, Turkiye

FROM ONE REVOLUTIONARY TO ANOTHER: FIKRET AKAR'S LETTER TO GEORGES IBRAHIM ABDALLAH

<https://is4pp.org/2025/05/04/from-one-revolutionary-to-another-fikret-akars-letter-to-georges-ibrahim-abdallah/>

Please review this edit from the Dictator's White House and consider how we must resist.

Bro. Jalil Muntaqim

"Please review this information further indicating this country is no longer a democracy, but a fascist plutocracy where the rich rules, and the police as State agents function to suppress any movements and challenges to the plutocracy capacity to rule with impunity and the overall detriment to BIPOC and poor anti-racist Euro-Americans. Please review this edit from the Dictator's White House and consider how we must resist. Bro. Jalil Muntaqim" <https://www.whitehouse.gov/presidential-actions/2025/04/strengthening-and-unleashing-americas-law-enforcement-to-pursue-criminals-and-protect-innocent-citizens/>

Malcolm X and the fight for liberation—by any means necessary

Today is the 100th anniversary of Malcolm X's birthday. This is Episode 35 of Stories of Resistance. <https://therealnews.com/malcolm-x-and-the-fight-for-liberation-by-any-means-necessary>

Americans Must Prepare To Fight for the Citizenship Rights of U.S. Prisoners

"Trump's Plan to Render U.S. Citizens to Foreign Jails Seeks to Exploit Americans' Disinterest in the Rights of Prisoners."

"If there is something you can do, even one thing, to ensure humanity exists behind bars, do it."
-Albert Woodfox (2019)

ATP Presents Ep. 2: Who's The "Real Threat" To Our Communities

"May 20 2025, Bri, Kev and Sophia host the second episode of a new monthly show from About The People **#ATP**" <https://www.youtube.com/live/fr5PLh85MoQ>

Gaza Freedom Flotilla Sets Sail!

Freedom Flotilla Sets Sail for Gaza Carrying Aid and Demands: 'End the Blockade. End the Genocide'

"As the Madleen sails to break Israel's illegal blockade, join legal & political experts for a critical live panel on what's at risk—& what's protected—under international law. Sunday, June 1. 5:00 PM (GMT+2) (11 AM EST). Live on YouTube." bit.ly/FlotillaLegalUpdate

Freedom Flotilla volunteers kidnapped by israeli army

<https://youtube.com/shorts/xdsFNWO0gEI?si=Mzne6doTaGVtrllV>

"FREEDOM FLOTILLA CHARITY WORKERS KIDNAPPED AND HELD BY ZIONIST OCCUPATION FORCES
THE COWARDICE HAS NO ENDING! Please write to your politicians and demand their release.
KEEP BOYCOTTING KEEP UP THE PRESSURE"

<https://www.change.org/p/united-nations-security-council-impose-financial-and-military-sanctions-on-israel-for-war-crimes/u/33602556>

Israel's Seizure of Gaza Freedom Flotilla Called a 'Blatant Act of International Piracy'

"These volunteers are not subject to Israeli jurisdiction and cannot be criminalized for delivering aid or challenging an illegal blockade—their detention is arbitrary, unlawful, and must end immediately."

<https://www.commondreams.org/news/israel-seizes-madleen>

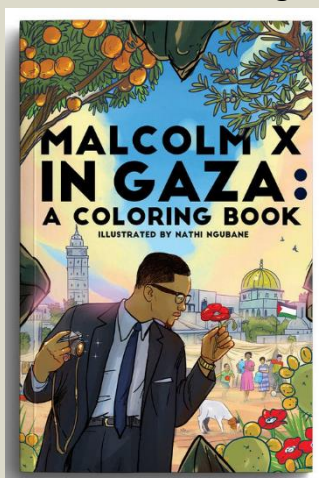
Philadelphia MOVE Bombing

May 13, 1985

<https://www.instagram.com/reel/DJmJNXURKOa/>

NOW AVAILABLE FOR PRE-ORDER-MALCOLM X IN GAZA-

A Coloring Book-ILLUSTRATED BY NATHI NGUBANE-expected to ship June/July.



"[Malcolm X in Gaza: A Coloring Book](#) \$11.95

This month we celebrated 100 years of Malcolm X and African Liberation Day—and so it feels fitting to highlight the (often overlooked) ways the monumental freedom fighter illuminated the connected struggles of Black people in the US and of Africans fighting for true sovereignty on the continent. And so we are proud to announce the launch of [Malcolm X in Gaza: A Coloring Book](#)!

From the same people who brought you [From the River to the Sea: A Coloring Book](#), this latest title is an educational coloring book that provides a gateway into the revolutionary leader's little known visit to Gaza in 1964. In a series of stunning illustrations, Soweto-based Nathi Ngubane traces Malcolm's travels across Africa and the Middle East, as well as his historic two-day visit in Gaza, during which he visited refugee camps, toured the mosques and the markets, and listened to the stories of Palestinians who had been displaced by the Nakba.

[https://1804books.com/products/pre-order-malcolm-x-in-gaza-a-coloring-](https://1804books.com/products/pre-order-malcolm-x-in-gaza-a-coloring-book?se_activity_id=161960984805&syclid=d133udorr9cs73dk3a7g)

[book?se_activity_id=161960984805&syclid=d133udorr9cs73dk3a7g](https://1804books.com/products/pre-order-malcolm-x-in-gaza-a-coloring-book?se_activity_id=161960984805&syclid=d133udorr9cs73dk3a7g)

'Global March to Gaza': Activists from 31 countries plan march to Rafah border



"Thousands of activists expected to join Rafah protest, calling for immediate humanitarian access to Gaza in the midst of severe famine and healthcare crisis."

<https://israelpalestineneews.org/activists-from-31-countries-plan-march-to-rafah-border/>

Are You or a Loved One at Risk? Trump's Travel Ban Expands — Act Now

"Are you or anyone you know from these countries? Afghanistan, Burma, Chad, Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Haiti, Iran, Libya, Somalia, Sudan, Yemen, Burundi, Cuba, Laos, Sierra Leone, Togo, Turkmenistan, and Venezuela. Here's what happened: President Trump issued an order blocking or restricting entry into the United States for nationals of 19 countries—most of which are Muslim-majority, African, or Caribbean. It is scheduled to take effect at 12:01 am Eastern on June 9. What you need to do now? [Join CAIR](#)

[Today at 4 PM ET](#) for an urgent webinar covering who's affected, what the legal exceptions are, and how individuals and families can respond. <https://action.cair.com/a/travelbanupdate> **Missed Our Webinar? Watch the Recording Now-** <https://action.cair.com/a/travelbanupdate>

Poetry: "We Are Still Here"

"Dear readers, Whenever I live through a tragic moment in the midst of this war, I turn to poetry to express what's in my heart. To me, poetry is like screaming into the void."

"Beneath a sky of falling flame,
Where silence screams your stolen name,
We walk through ashes, dust, and blood
A people drowning in a flood.
No shelter left, no safe embrace,
The world looks on, averts its face.
They count the dead, but not the pain,
Each loss a child, a mother's name.
The night is long, the stars don't speak,
Our future's thread grows frail and weak.
We bury dreams in shallow sand,
And hold the sky with trembling hands.
But still we rise through shattered stone,
Our stories carved in flesh and bone."

<https://substack.com/inbox/post/165205215>

Absurdity on steroid

By Nahida Exiled Palestinian on June 5, 2025

"Over the past 77 years, we Palestinians have faced an absurd type of multilayered injustice, unspeakable barbarity, chronic brutality, and compounded oppression with a twist.

* We are the only oppressed group who are vilified,
condemned and labelled as terrorists, for merely existing.

We are the wronged, named as oppressors, the scorned named as haters, the slaughtered named as criminals, the dispossessed named as villains, we are the murdered named as the killers..."

For full text see: <https://nahidaexiledpalestinian.com/2025/06/05/absurdity-on-steroid/>

Mural & Street dedicated to Dylcia Pagán!

Like, Share, and Subscribe to the ProLibertad YouTube channel!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LWC5Mq9Sk5A>

Mahmoud Khalil Submits Extensive New Evidence Detailing Widespread Irreparable Harm from Rubio Determination and Continued Louisiana Detention

"In new filings, Mr. Khalil further disproves government claims, underscores that DHS abandoned so-called "misrepresentation" allegations in closing arguments in immigration court this week..."

<https://ccrjustice.org/home/press-center/press-releases/mahmoud-khalil-submits-extensive-new-evidence-detailing-0>

'A Declaration of War': Trump Sends National Guard to LA Over Anti-ICE Protests

<https://www.commondreams.org/news/trump-national-guard-la>

500 Marines on standby to deploy to Los Angeles amid protests

"Roughly 500 Marines are prepared to deploy if needed to help authorities in Los Angeles amid protests. NBC News' Courtney Kube discusses."

<https://www.msnbc.com/morning-joe/watch/500-marines-on-standby-to-deploy-to-los-angeles-amid-protests-241158213893>

'This Is What Fascism Looks Like': Beloved Labor Leader David Huerta Arrested

"This is about something much bigger," said the president of SEIU California, still in detention. "This is about how we as a community stand together and resist the injustice."

Oppression Breeds Resistance, Organization Sustains It

"Defeating the War on Black/African People Requires Solidarity with Immigrants and Resistance Against Our Common Enemy"

<https://blackallianceforpeace.com/bapstatements/oppression-breeds-resistance-organization-sustains-it>

CMB Newsletter - June 2025- Second Biennial

National Black Radical Organizing Conference

<https://www.youtube.com/live/3DTC07Jl4fE>

<https://popularresistance.org/rising-temperatures-and-the-rising-need-for-a-black-radical-lens/>

Freedom Archives

Millennials Are Killing Capitalism Live!: the Practice and Function of Archiving Struggles for Liberation

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6VXQXSUpYKc>

WPLC: Resistance is Sacred - A Statement from Water Protector Legal Collective

"Dear Relatives, The last many days have been heavy on our hearts. It's been a moment since you've heard from us at Water Protector Legal Collective—not out of silence, but because of the fires burning across many frontlines we're being called to. As attorneys and advocates working in support of movements, we are working around the clock: showing up in courtrooms and meetings, connecting our relatives to resources, devising creative legal strategies, building partnerships, responding to attacks on Indigenous Peoples, environmental justice and human rights organizations, and still, trying to remember to breathe.

They say attorneys are never at a loss for words but in the face of escalating violence we are witnessing in the United States and globally, words have felt insufficient. In the quiet of morning, I return to words I've held close before: *"what is stronger than the human heart, which shatters over and over, and still lives."* I wonder how many times our hearts must break before collective memory reminds us, we've seen this all before.

The Water Protector Legal Collective was born at Standing Rock in response to mass criminalization and violence against Water Protectors, so we know deeply that our struggles are historical and interconnected. The slow erosion of human rights is not new to us—we have long seen past the veil of American exceptionalism. We are not a "city on a shining hill" or a model for human rights in the world. And yet, as an Indigenous-led legal organization, we know we carry a responsibility to act—to protect our communities, and to hold accountable the law and human rights frameworks that so regularly fail us. This is a commitment and a struggle we inherited from our ancestors. We carry that mantle and cannot set it down.

Today, I am sharing a statement grounded in that memory and in our sacred obligation to resist. With many of our relatives—including members of our staff in Los Angeles—and in the midst of the emotional toll of witnessing the rapid erosion of human rights across the world, it has taken us time to find the words. We hope they resonate with you. Our statement speaks to the militarized crackdown on protest and dissent here in the U.S., the criminalization of humanitarian solidarity abroad, and the shared systems of settler colonialism and racial capitalism that underpin this moment of repression.

“We’ve seen this all before—and we will resist it again. The federal government has repeatedly used militarized force to suppress Black, Indigenous, and Brown resistance. These are not isolated incidents. These are global patterns of repression targeting our collective power and shared humanity.

We reject the use of active-duty troops in our cities. We reject the criminalization of humanitarian aid. We reject the normalization of military occupation. We reject the targeting of frontline communities. Today is a living reminder of our obligation to our ancestors who fought before us. We cannot be silent. We cannot look away. The crackdown on dissent is an effort to suppress truth, compassion, and solidarity. Our strength lies in community and we are not alone.

We affirm: Resistance is sacred. Solidarity is survival. All our liberation is connected.”

Read the Full Statement: [Resistance is Sacred](#).” Source: Email.

SOLIDARITY WITH IRAN

“Samidoun Palestinian Prisoner Solidarity Network condemns in the strongest terms the Zionist aggression against the Islamic Republic of Iran, launched in the early morning hours of Friday, 13 June 2025, and **affirms Iran’s complete and legitimate right to defend itself and to respond by all means. Read the full statement [on our site!](#)**” Source: Email.

ALL FOR LEBANON

“The Masar Badil, the Palestinian Alternative Revolutionary Path Movement, has launched a new campaign: [All for Lebanon: Popular Campaign Against the Ongoing Zionist Aggression on Lebanon and the Assassination Policy](#), with a global petition in support of Lebanon and its people — and of Palestine — at this time of daily assaults by the Zionist regime that come hand in hand with their genocide in Gaza.” <https://allforlebanon.com/>

From the Other Side of the Fence Embers by Adam Dandach

“I know of your intentions,
To encage me in the Hour glass
I have forgone sorrow in this detention,
And used this Hell for true introspection
I swim in the sand that then transforms,
Into embers that intrude my haven
I am alive in the heated Urn of Time, swallowing,
The embers until my insides erase
Pulled to the bottom and turned over
To repeat time and time lapses again
When God's tome unfolds its punishment,
I reward myself for withstanding fate
Visions of Hell's ashy lake, my body shall embrace
When I am vaporized shall I be engraved in memories
And defy tyranny as a driven wind of positive energy”

From Coalition for Civil Freedoms

[Israel Attacks Iran, Promising Full-Scale Military Operation](#)

“As nuclear talks falter, U.S. officials deny Washington was involved in the strikes.”
<https://www.dropsitenews.com/p/israel-attacks-iran-promising-full-scale-military-operation>

Los Angeles How community faced vicious attack from ICE, LAPD

"This weekend was marked with absolute and total violence, brutal repression and attacks, coordinated attacks against our community. ICE agents have been around all over Southern California, kidnapping people, tearing apart families. And we see this as an attack against our people."

<https://www.workers.org/2025/06/86149/>

The Middle East is On Fire Because Israeli and U.S. Imperialism Lit the Match

"Overnight, the Zionist entity of Israel escalated its war of aggression against Iran by launching unprovoked attacks on the Islamic Republic. The notion that a rogue ethnostate that is currently carrying out a genocide believes that it possesses the right to determine which countries can and cannot develop a nuclear weapon is both bizarre and egregious as well as brazenly hypocritical, and further demonstrates that the State of Israel operates firmly within the structures of white "supremacy" ideology, colonialism, and imperialism. Iran, like all sovereign nations, has the right to defend itself from aggression and uphold its security in the face of repeated threats and acts of war. This stands in stark contrast to Israel, which operates a settler colonial occupation of Palestine, as well as portions of Lebanon and Syria.

The idea of Israel, the Zionist occupation, claiming a moral position is absurd. And the fact that the international community continues to give Israel any credibility is a dereliction of duty and forms a vacuum of morality for all of those who do not stand resolutely against its genocide in Palestine and its attacks on Lebanon, Yemen, Syria, and Iran. Israel's immunity granted by Western colonial nations is a further reflection of the moral gulf between these states and the vast majority of humankind that subscribes to values that uphold [People\(s\)-Centered Human Rights](#), self-determination, and dignity.

Israel's unprovoked attack is another example of the lawlessness that is fully supported by the U.S. The Black Alliance for Peace (BAP) rejects the notion that the U.S. was unaware of this attack. The U.S. had the ability to stop this attack if it was serious about containing Israel's perpetual war crimes and disregard for international law, which is a major threat to any form of true peace. The combination of Israel's continued genocidal assaults and ethnic cleansing against the Palestinian people, and its bombings and occupations of portions of the sovereign nations of Syria and Lebanon prove that Israel and the U.S. are the most dangerous nations in the world. Their power must be dismantled..." For Full Statement see:

<https://blackallianceforpeace.com/bapstatements/israeli-and-us-imperialism-lit-the-match>

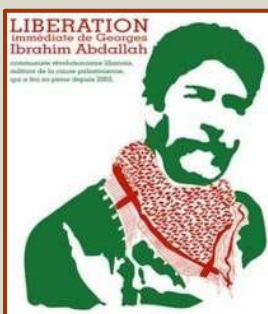
Section 2: Political Prisoners/POWs



Political Prisoners/POWs Birthdays: Please Send a Card

June Birthdays!

Abdullah Georges Ibrahim - Birthday June 2



Affiliation: Lebanese Armed Revolutionary Factions

Contact Information/Prison Address: France

Hundreds march in Paris for freedom for Georges Abdallah, justice for Palestine. Several hundred people marched in Paris, France on Sunday, 19 June, the International Day for the Freedom of Revolutionary Prisoners, for freedom for Georges Ibrahim Abdallah, the Lebanese Arab struggler for Palestine who has been imprisoned for 32 years in French prisons. Abdallah, who received a life sentence in 1987, has been eligible for release from prison since 1999. His parole has been approved twice by the judiciary, once at the highest level – only to be blocked by the personal intervention of

then-Interior Minister (today Prime Minister, and anti-Palestinian advocate) Manuel Valls, alongside that of then-US Secretary of State (and today presidential candidate) Hillary Clinton."

<https://www.facebook.com/GeorgesIbrahimABDALLAH/>

<https://www.thejerichomovement.com/profile/abdullah-georges-ibrahim>

May Birthdays!

Alvaro Luna Hernandez (Xinachtli)-Birthday: May 12th



Contact Information/Prison Address

#255735 James V. Allred Unit

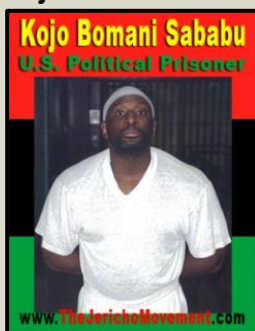
2101 FM 369 North, Iowa Park, TX 76367, United States

Captured: July 18, 1996: 50 year sentence.

Alvaro Luna Hernandez (Xinachtli) is a political prisoner of the State of Texas and the U.S. government. He is nearly 24 years into a 50 year prison sentence for an "aggravated assault" conviction stemming from a July 1996 incident in which he disarmed a Brewster County Sheriff attempting to shoot him. Alvaro vehemently denies the charge that he assaulted the Sheriff. To Mexican-Americans in the cities, slums, plains, deserts, and prison cages of the Southwest, he is a civil rights hero, a Chicano freedom fighter true to his barrio roots and eternally fearless in the face of injustice.

For years, he has been internationally recognized by amnesty movements and human rights lawyers and experts as a U.S. political prisoner, yet inside the United States, the name Alvaro Luna Hernandez remains largely elusive on the lips of progressives and social justice advocates. <http://FreeAlvaro.net> LET FREEDOM RING-WWW.KERSPLEBED.COM/letfreedomring.html

Kojo Sababu Bomani (BROWN, GRAILING KOJO) -Birthday: May 27th



Contact Information/Prison Address #39384-066 USP Canaan, P. O. Box 300, Waymart, PA 18472, United States

Affiliation: Black Liberation Army

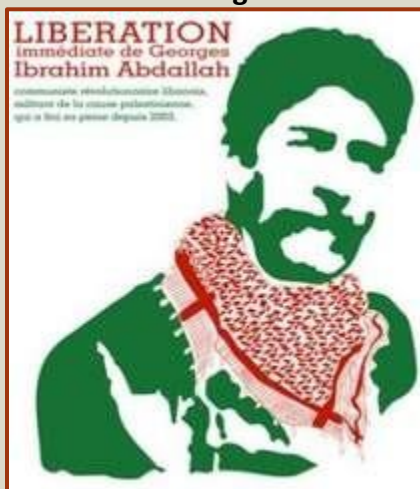
Captured: 1975: Life "... we must make great strides, reorganizing ourselves to embrace the difficulties we face. I have no solutions but I will say this: There are some great political minds contained in America's prisons, which are growing old as their era of life departs, this resource needs to be tapped before it expires. Do not abandon the political prisoners and POW s, they are still insightful with their knowledge and experience.



*The National Jericho Movement
sends our Beloved PPs/POW
Love, Respect, and Honor
as we Celebrate your Birthday
with Continued hope and Determination
for Freedom...Now!*

Political Prisoner of the Month Highlight

Abdallah Georges Ibrahim



Lebanese Armed Revolutionary Factions

[Contact Information](#)/Prison Address

France

Several hundred people marched in Paris, France on Sunday, 19 June, the International Day for the Freedom of Revolutionary Prisoners, for freedom for [Georges Ibrahim Abdallah](#), the Lebanese Arab struggler for Palestine who has been imprisoned for 32 years in French prisons.

Abdallah, who received a life sentence in 1987, has been eligible for release from prison since 1999. His parole has been approved twice by the judiciary, once at the highest level – only to be blocked by the personal intervention of then-Interior Minister (today Prime Minister, and anti-Palestinian advocate) Manuel Valls, alongside that of then-US Secretary of State (and today presidential candidate) [Hillary Clinton](#). Marching from the Place des Fêtes to the Place de la République, marchers carried banners demanding freedom for Abdallah, and justice and liberation for Palestine. They highlighted the struggles of all Palestinian prisoners, in particular the cases of [Bilal Kayed](#), now on hunger strike for six days after being ordered to administrative detention immediately following the expiration of his 14.5-year sentence in Israeli prison, and [Ahmad Sa'adat](#), the imprisoned General Secretary of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine.

Chants denounced the French state's complicity in the ongoing Israeli attacks and crimes against the Palestinian people, and the role of French president Francois Hollande in supporting the imprisonment and oppression of Palestinians, urging the full boycott of the Israeli state and complicit corporations, and calling for freedom for Bilal Kayed, Ahmad Sa'adat and all Palestinian prisoners in Israeli occupation prisons. Marchers placed Abdallah in the context of prisoners for Palestine in Israeli jails and other jails around the world, highlighting that Abdallah's activity was against the Israeli occupation of Lebanon and U.S. support, and that he had always prioritized the liberation of Palestine. Olivia Zemor, president of [EuroPalestine](#), said to AFP that "For us, he is a resistor, like those who struggled against the German occupiers [in France]..."

For Full article see: <https://www.thejerichomovement.com/profile/abdallah-georges-ibrahim>

Video: https://youtu.be/xMfYPZnod_s

Current & Former Political Prisoner (and Politicized) Voices

Kevin Rashid Johnson: "VIRGINIA BREAKS A LEG TO TRANSFER ME OUT OF STATE"

"On the early morning on May 1, 2025 I was awakened by guards opening my general population cell door at Virginia's Keen Mountain Correctional (sic!) Center and telling me to report to the prison's personal property department. Upon reporting to property I was dressed out for a transportation run, loaded onto a steel-lined transport van, driven to an airfield and loaded onto a prison airplane. I was promptly flown to South Carolina,

where we were met by a convoy of transport officials including local cops and prison officials.

From this point things went sideways.

On the airfield I was switched to SC restraints, where I was almost hogtied. I was cuffed by the wrists bent at the waist and squatting with my wrists connected by a chain to shackles on my ankles.

In this cramped position I was hoisted into another steel-lined van that had the factory-installed seatbelts removed. I had no way of maintaining leverage as the convoy raced through traffic with lights flashing and sirens blaring like we were in a high-speed chase. Inside, I was bounced violently off the van's steel surfaces. At one point my body slammed into the van's front wall against my left leg. Something along the length of the lower extremity popped. It felt like a bone broke. I was taken to SC's Kirkland prison, put through an intake process, and upon persistent complaints my leg was x-rayed.

No report was given on the x-ray results. I asked repeatedly to call an attorney.

I was then made to hobble, under supervision of two deputy wardens and a major, through the prison and taken to solitary confinement, where I was thrown naked into an empty cold cell with nothing but a filthy mattress. I refused to accept any meals.

I was confronted early the next morning, May 2nd, and told I was leaving Kirkland.

This time I was chained up where I could stand, put into a car with normal seat belts and seats, and was driven by two guards to SC's Perry Correctional (sic!) Institution. Where, I was taken through an intake process, and again thrown into solitary. The conditions of this solitary were downright medieval.

There was no bed, just a raised concrete platform about six inches off the floor. I was given no mattress. I was allowed two sheets, a thin piece of knitted cloth they called a blanket, boxers and a jumpsuit. The cell was ice cold. I continued to refuse meals and to request an attorney call. When I was much later offered a mattress I declined. At nights the cells were left pitch black and spiders, bugs and mice crawled around and on me. (1) I barely slept. Others were in the unit who'd been kept and tortured in its cold dank cells for years, like Warren Chastain (2 years) and Jimmy Causey (8 years).

Jimmy has faced repeated retaliations for attempting to challenge and expose those conditions, including having his tablet use suspended for 2 years for doing an interview with ABC in 2018. NBC wants to interview Warren but he fears to speak under threat of similar retaliation. (2)

In Perry's solitary, prisoners almost never receive out of cell exercise. Warren, Jimmy and others report, as of May they had received outside exercise only 5 times (for one hour periods) during 2025. They are allowed no books nor other personal property. They sit idle day after day.

I was never allowed to speak with attorneys who persisted with trying to arrange legal calls with me. They and I were and continue to be given the runaround.

On May 5 and 7 I spoke with Perry's warden, Curtis Earley, and regional head Willie Davis. No one could nor even tried to explain my treatment in SC. They claimed to be "feeling me out" in their solitary unit, but I was going to be placed in GP if I came off my hunger strike. It was clear, however, that I was facing retaliation in response to my challenging and exposing abuses in Va's prisons in the media and courts, and was being given a taste of what lay in store should I continue such efforts in and against SC.

On May 13, after ending a 2-week hunger strike, I was released to Perry's GP, where I can only call one person per day, have been blocked from being able to make legal calls to willing attorneys, and have none of my personal property.

This despite that I have numerous pending court cases and deadlines. The prevailing fiction is that I asked to be sent here to SC. I did not.

On Dec 4, 2024 I was summoned from Red Onion with no prior notice to federal court in Va in a lawsuit against conditions at the prison. Lawyers with Rights Behind Bars had brought the suit earlier that year.

At court they told me a settlement conference was underway and the judge, Henry Hudson, was pressing them to settle. I was told the judge was hostile to prisoners and pro-officials. That I'd not likely get a fair shake with him if we went to trial. I told the lawyers over and again I would only settle on removal from Va's Western region, not merely out of Red Onion, and I wanted to remain in Va where my family is.

They kept returning with offers to be sent to Keen Mountain in the Western region and to be sent out of state. If I didn't agree, they prompted, I'd be sent back to Red Onion, where all manner of abuse continued and I was being held incommunicado and indefinitely in solitary. Under duress I signed the agreement. But immediately

(that same day and repeatedly afterward) told the lawyers to withdraw it; that I wanted to fight the case. They didn't and wouldn't. I told them over and over again I did not want the settlement, but kept getting put off in my demands to withdraw it. I did not of my free will agree to any out-of-state transfer.

As always, my choice was to...Dare to struggle Dare to Win!" <https://sfbayview.com/2025/05/serious-kevin-rashid-johnson-injured-in-transit-to-south-carolina-prison-now-on-hunger-strike/>

**Veronza Bowers - 'Never Forget You're Dealing With the Lives of Human Beings':
A Professor's Final Class Urges Personal Approach**
law.berkeley.edu

Marius Mason's 2025 Statement for June 11th



"Statement from Marius Mason to mark June 11th, International Day of Solidarity with Marius Mason & All Long-Term Anarchist Prisoners. See the [original June 11th call here](#)."

"Greetings and Gratitude to my community,

I want to begin with thanking everyone who wrote a support letter or went to a support event this past year – thank you so much! I know that your solidarity connects incarcerated resisters with so much strength and love. I wish I could have replied to every letter I received – and I will be adding several new contacts to my correspondence list and writing back as much as I can.....This year has been a tough one for me. My twelve-years-long gender-affirming surgery quest was abruptly torpedoed by an administration whose sole mission has been hate and division. On the verge of surgery, successfully integrated into a predominantly-male identified prison population (for years) – I was unceremoniously kidnapped and thrown into the SHU due to an Executive Order making my gender illegal and erasing my rights as a citizen.

Since then, I have been transferred to a predominantly female-identified prison population at the Federal Satellite Low in Danbury, Connecticut. It's been an adjustment socially, but my community here has been very welcoming and affirming. I work as a peer support for an integrated program treating trauma and addiction. That feels meaningful, as so many people lose control over their lives, and often even their very lives, because of untreated addiction problems. I really feel that the international epidemic has at its heart the sense of despair and alienation that so many feel right now.

It's been an intense year for all communities of resistance – whether we were focusing on the war on Gaza or the war on immigrants. We have been hard-pressed to provide support to those among us who have been damaged by the increasing attacks on women, immigrants, as well as transgender and queer people. The past six months have been a military march backward in human evolution as even the most basic social agreements on the rights of individuals in a society have been violated time and again. Rights guaranteed at the signing of the Magna Carta – rights that were at the heart of the conflict between England and the former colonies, are being systematically disemboweled.

It has been said that if we do not learn from history, then we are doomed to repeat it. We have seen the onset of fascism before, and should recognize it now. So...these times are a challenge to any who desire real freedom, who passionately espouse justice and who honor and respect human dignity – and who persist in the belief that we are responsible for each other and to each other and our shared home, this Earth. The strength to face this challenge will come from solidarity...this is always our secret weapon against the venal brutalities of fascism.

Persist and Resist! Love and Solidarity, Marius Mason” itsgoingdown.org

Write to: Marie Mason #04672-061, FCI Danbury, Route 37, Danbury, CT 06811

Political Prisoners Art, Books, Contributions, Works

Please Check Back Next Month

Political Prisoners/POWs News, Updates & Resource List

1. Surviving State Violence: The Case of Dr. Aafia Siddiqui and Incarceration in Women’s Prisons

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZOGW633rRh0&t=209s>

2. Aafia Siddiqui case has become a movement, says Islamabad high court

https://dailytimes.com.pk/1302021/aafia-siddiqui-case-has-become-a-movement-says-islamabad-high-court/#google_vignette

3. [Samidoun mourns the passing of Ka Louie Jalandoni, Philippines liberation struggler and former political prisoner](#)

4. Trump Has Commuted Larry Hoover's Sentence <https://www.notus.org/trump-white-house/trump-larry-hoover-commutation>

Calls for Action: Political Prisoners

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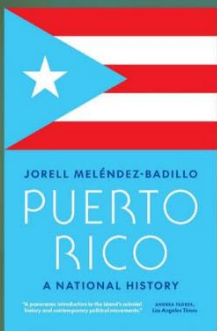
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TAKE ACTION TO FREE GEORGES ABDALLAH: Europe-Wide March in Paris June 14

| International Week of Action June 11-19



"40 years in prison, a lifetime of struggle: FREE GEORGES ABDALLAH!

On June 19, [Georges Abdallah](#) will face a new hearing in French courts after 40 years of imprisonment. The Lebanese Arab Communist and struggler for Palestine Georges Abdallah has been jailed in France since 1984 and remained imprisoned, despite being eligible for release since 1999. Successive French governments have blocked his release even when he has achieved victories in the courts; the United States and the Zionist regime have joined hands to demand he remains imprisoned.

Most recently, in November 2024, a French court ordered Georges released and returned to his homeland, Lebanon. However, the state appealed the case, with a ruling expected on February 20 -- which was then postponed again until June 19, with the Public Prosecutor's Office continuing to appeal the order for his release. The postponement was justified on the basis of an "effort to compensate the civil parties" -- that is, compensate the United States government as a "victim," for the

CIA agent and Mossad agent killed in the Lebanese Armed Revolutionary Faction's operation. Abdallah's lawyer called this action "unprecedented political pettiness" -- and it is a clear effort to keep Georges behind bars.

As June 19 approaches, it is more important than ever to emphasize the broadest possible call to free Georges Abdallah, part and parcel of the demand to free Palestine from the river to the sea and free all Palestinian prisoners, including those held in Zionist, imperialist and reactionary regime prisons. Come together to say: Free Georges Abdallah! Free Palestine! EUROPE-WIDE DEMONSTRATION IN PARIS, JUNE 14"

<https://samidoun.net/2025/02/another-delay-of-injustice-in-french-courts-ruling-on-georges-abdallahs-liberation-delayed-until-19-june/> <https://samidoun.net/2023/10/all-out-to-lannemezan-all-out-to-toulouse-free-georges-abdallah-and-all-palestinian-prisoners/> <https://tariqeltahrir.org/free-georges-abdallah/> <https://redherald.org/2025/05/26/cuplgia-call-for-a-new-mobilization-on-june-14/>

TAKE ACTION: URGENT update on Kevin Rashid Johnson from his lawyer

SUMMARY: Rashid has been thrown in solitary confinement in South Carolina again in retaliation for our phone/email campaign supporting him, and he is restricted to 2 handwritten letters per month (no phone/email access). He has restarted his hunger strike and is asking all of us to increase our phone calls and emails to the prison officials (not to back down). Details below.

DETAILS (5/19-5/21)

- On Monday 5/19 at around 9pm, Rashid was using the toilet with the lights out when a woman sergeant put her face in the window of his cell and asked him to turn the lights on. He replied that he was using the toilet, but she continued to stand there with her face in the window for about 30-45 seconds. The toilet is right next to the cell window, with the toilet bowl adjacent to the cell door. After he pulled his pants on, he turned the light back on. There is a security camera that points directly to his cell and should show that the sergeant was peering into his window, in direct violation of the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA), which generally prohibits non-medical prison staff from cross-gender viewing of prisoners' private body parts, including when they are using the toilet.
- On Tuesday 5/20 morning, the prison told Rashid that Captain Lasley wanted to see him. Rashid was walked toward the administration building, and Lasley and an intelligence officer with the investigation office met him outdoors as he was on his way to the administration building. They told Rashid to turn around, put cuffs on him, and sent him to the Restrictive Housing Unit (RHU, i.e., solitary). Rashid asked why this was happening, but they did not answer.
- About 10 minutes later, a special agent named Freole (unsure of spelling) from the SC DOC Inspector General's office visited Rashid in RHU. The agent said he had driven over 1 hour to Perry just to tell Rashid (this is a summary, not a direct quote): "Tell your fucking people to stop calling and stop complaining about what's going on here, or I will criminally charge you for harassment, you'll stay in the

hole, and you'll get yourself hurt." When Rashid replied that the prison should talk to the media and courts about it, the agent said Rashid won't be talking to anyone because the prison had cut off his tablet access, including his phone and messages. (Relatedly, there is another prisoner at Perry named Jimmy Causey who lost his tablet access for an entire 2 years in retaliation for talking to an NBC reporter back in 2018.)

- Later that day on Tuesday 5/20, Rashid asked the RHU captain, a man named Blakeley, why he was back in the hole. Blakeley replied that a woman sergeant reported that Rashid had exposed himself to her last night. Rashid said the only remotely related incident was when he was using the toilet last night. Blakeley replied that Rashid needed to wait to see the incident report, which could take a few days because the major had to sign it. Rashid submitted a PREA grievance on Tuesday 5/20.
- Since arriving at Perry, Rashid has also been talking to another prisoner Christopher Woody. Christopher found out that someone tampered with his jury during deliberation in his murder trial, so he hired a private investigator to interview the jurors, and 2 of them admitted that some men who were not involved in case entered the deliberation room and made derogatory comments about him that swayed the jury to convict him. Some prison officials have seen Rashid talking to Christopher over the past few days and have tried to stand between them to block them from talking. Rashid suspects that he is in the hole not only as retaliation for the phone/call zap but also to prevent him from publicizing the jury tampering in Christopher's case.

RASHID'S CURRENT CONDITIONS

- He is again sleeping on a concrete slab about 6 inches from the ground (but thankfully this time, he has clothes: a jumpsuit, boxer shorts, socks, and crocs)
- He cannot make phone calls or send messages to anyone; he can only hand-write 2 personal letters per month.
- There are no materials in his cell, so he is forced to sit in his cell all day with absolutely nothing to do.
- He restarted his hunger strike on Tuesday 5/20.
- His leg is still stiff and still hurts when he bounces on it, and he can't run, but it feels like it's mending; he is no longer limping when he walks.
- The prison has given him the property he accumulated since he arrived at Perry but has withheld all of his property from Keen Mountain (about 30 boxes of documents). They also stole most of his legal mail, including 2 packages I recently sent him, grievances he had prepared, some Westlaw (legal) notes, and his stationery from the law library.

Sent from Victor Wallis. Rashid appeals for **maximum publicity and pressure**. The phone numbers listed for the prison are: **864-243-4700** and **803-737-1752**. Make calls and spread the word. Kevin "Rashid" Johnson, ID number 397279, must be treated humanely, given good medical care and a decent place to sleep and allowed full access to communicate with his lawyers and supporters. Tell the authorities to meet his demands so he can end his hunger strike. *Victor Wallis is a longtime supporter of political prisoners who can be reached at zendive@aol.com.* Source: Email.

Sign the call to Free Georges Abdallah!

"In North America we have a role to play in waging the campaign for the liberation of Georges Abdallah and all prisoners of the Palestinian cause. As our comrades in Europe mobilize in the French capital of Paris for a big demonstration on June 14, **just five days before the new hearing of the Paris Court of Appeal**, and a week of action on **June 11–19** in coordination with the Unified Campaign to Free Georges Ibrahim Abdallah, we too commit to taking up actions in North America demanding the release of our comrade Georges Abdallah. While the Palestinian resistance courageously fights the

occupation forces—led by the proud and unshakeable people of Gaza, the youth of the refugee camps, and the Palestinian prisoners—the French state proves its active collaboration in this genocide, particularly by repressing the solidarity movement with Palestine and keeping our comrade in prison. The French state has recently banned the Collectif Palestine Vaincra, and is trying to ban the Urgence Palestine coalition and more organizations fighting for liberation. Many of these groups are central to the United Campaign for the Liberation



of Georges Ibrahim Abdallah ***and so our comrades in France are counting on us to intensify our efforts.*** In this spirit, and in accordance with the new battle plan launched by the United Campaign for the Liberation of Georges Abdallah, let us seize all local initiatives to make the liberation of Georges Abdallah an imperative at every moment, and in all our struggles until victory, and let us organize ourselves for the next major national and international mobilization on June 14th—the day of the next large demonstration in Paris, **because on June 19th, Georges Abdallah must be freed!** Toolkit: <https://tariqeltahrir.org/free-georges-abdallah/> Sign the petition <https://tariqeltahrir.org/>

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We have demanded medical care for Leonard, met with senators, and lobbied for prison reform.

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Freedom is not free. Leonard was not granted a magical income or benefactor when he left prison. Any amount donated to help Leonard get by from month to month is deeply appreciated.

If you can afford a recurring donation of \$10 a month, that represents \$10 worth of worry that Leonard is free from. Recurring donors will receive a THANK YOU note signed by Leonard Peltier.

All recurring donations will be transferred to Leonard's bank account monthly.

Plans for a German Shepherd service dog or an individual to assist Leonard in training a young dog are still underway, pending Leonard's ability to see.

Government-funded healthcare progresses slowly. Leonard remains legally blind, and we are preparing for his eye surgery early in June.

We are all excited about Leonard regaining his vision, and we have a lot of planning to do with him. This has never been about notoriety or photo opportunities. This is about seeing justice done for Leonard Peltier and ensuring he can enjoy his days as a revered elder.

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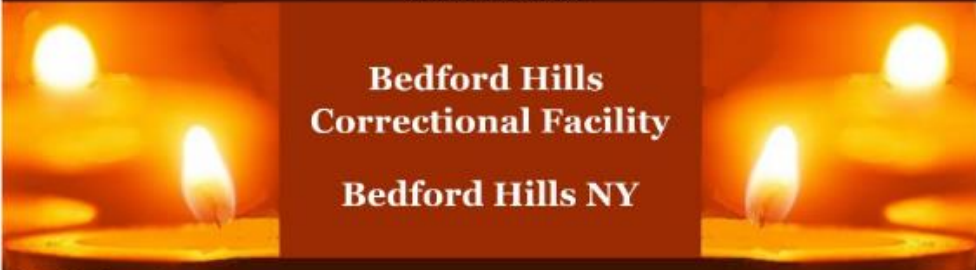
Vigil for Political Prisoners June 14
Call for a Movement Convergence on the Bedford Hills Correctional Facility

Candlelight Vigil

Showing love and solidarity for our people behind the wall

Saturday, June 14

On behalf of the survived and punished women and trans in Bedford Hills Correctional Facility, who are still being physically and emotionally abused by the DOC's male employees without accountability



Bedford Hills Correctional Facility

Bedford Hills NY

Schedule of events:

1:30 to 2:30 pm—Gather at the plaza outside the Metro North train station in Bedford Hills. (information on train schedules and parking at tinyurl.com/June14-info.)

2:30 pm—Walk to the prison (approximately 1.3 miles. Rides will be available for those who need one.)

3:00 to 4:00 pm—Vigil.

4:00 pm—Return to the train station plaza for a rally **between 4:30 and 5:00.**

(If you arrive in Bedford Hills after 2:30 someone will be at the train station to give you directions.)

More information here:



[<tinyurl.com/June14-info>](http://tinyurl.com/June14-info)

Endorsement form for organizations:
[<tinyurl.com/June14-endorse>](http://tinyurl.com/June14-endorse)

Individual RSVP:
[<tinyurl.com/June14-RSVP>](http://tinyurl.com/June14-RSVP)

Or send an email to PSNortheast@proton.me



A Peoples' Senate Convergence Event

Initiated by How Our Lives Link All-together (H.O.L.L.A.), the Reverend Joy Powell Defense Committee, and the Peoples' Senate. For an up-to-date list of endorsing organizations visit [<tinyurl.com/June14-info>](http://tinyurl.com/June14-info)

“The Peoples Senate in collaboration with the Reverend Joy Powell Defense Committee and How Our Lives Link All-together (HOLLA) is calling on movement activists in and around New York City to converge for a vigil at the Bedford Hills Correctional Facility, in Bedford Hills, NY on Saturday, June 14, from 3 to 5 pm. Please do not schedule conflicting events for this date and time if you can possibly avoid it. Please help by mobilizing your members and supporters to join our vigil. (Details on how to participate will follow, but a "save the date" message would be a step we hope many will take now.). Please help us by circulating this call to all of your contact lists and collaborators. Below find information on the case of the Reverend Joy Powell and on systematic abuses against the women incarcerated at Bedford Hills by guards and administrative staff. Since October 2024 the Reverend Joy Powell Defense Committee, HOLLA and Survived & Punished have held periodic vigils outside the prison, each one attended by dozens of committed activists. In order to focus attention on what is going on at Bedford Hills we are hoping to generate a participation that will number in the hundreds

this time. We believe that such an action could make a tangible difference in the lives of the women and trans community incarcerated in the prison. Please join us in this effort. If your organization would like to be listed as a formal sponsor of this event please fill out the information form here:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeVQcZCMix7RyqVS5j0BMRqdXsw2vUDRaPGmxE_mrqtBtBH8jw/vi-ewform?usp=dialog.”

Momentum Building for June 14 Bedford Hills Convergence Vigil-Since October 2024 the Reverend Joy Powell Defense Committee and H.O.L.L.A. (How Our Lives Link All-together) have held periodic vigils outside the Bedford Hills Correctional Facility (Bedford Hills, NY) to protest conditions in the prison, in particular sexual and other abuse against the women and trans people incarcerated there. Each of these actions has been attended by dozens of committed activists. In order to focus attention on what is going on at Bedford Hills the Peoples Senate is joining with the Defense Committee and H.O.L.L.A. to call for a convergence action on June 14 which, we hope, will generate a participation that can number in the hundreds this time. We believe that such a turnout could make a tangible difference in the lives of inmates at Bedford Hills.

A fuller description of the action and additional information about how people can participate in/support it can be found by following the QR code on the flier below, or by going to

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Hakx320fct8wFNQI87WXnrWCVwkd2tyFACtkdbFbuo/edit?usp=drivesd>

k. Information on the case of the Reverend Joy Powell and abuses by the staff at the prison can also be found there. The action is gaining momentum. There are now seven endorsing organizations in addition to PS, the Defense Committee and H.O.L.L.A.: North East Political Prisoners Coalition, Release Aging People in Prison, Harlem Palestine Peace Walk for Justice and Liberation, NYC Jericho Movement, Resistance in Brooklyn, Green Party of Monroe County, Extinction Rebellion New York City. It's important for everyone to continue to reach out to groups you know and ask them to endorse by filling out the form at:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeVQcZCMix7RyqVS5j0BMRqdXsw2vUDRaPGmxE_mrqtBtBH8jw/vi-ewform?usp=dialog.” Source: Email.

Ongoing Calls for Action: Political Prisoners

1. (Please Donate!) Veronza Bowers Jr <https://www.gofundme.com/f/welcome-home-veronza-bowers>.
2. Please Sign: D.A. Larry Krasner Drop The Case Against Mumia Abu-Jamal <https://www.change.org/p/d-a-larry-krasner-drop-the-case-against-mumia-abu-jamal>
3. Free Kamau Sadiki! <https://freekamau.com/>
4. Imam Jamil Al-Amin: Bring the Imam back to Atlanta
https://www.imamjamilactionnetwork.org/take_action <https://www.imamjamilactionnetwork.org/>

LINKTREE: TAKE ACTION TO FREE POLITICAL PRISONERS/POW



“Please go to this [Linktr.ee](https://linktr.ee) to take **ACTION** for U.S. held Political Prisoners and Prisoners of War. There are links to a lot of information, **but first are action items**. Sign the petitions, write emails, make calls, and spread this Linktr.ee around! Use and share the below link or QR code. Thank You.” ~Created by sister Verbena from Detroit Jericho
<https://linktr.ee/PoliticalPrisoners>. Also

see: <https://www.thejerichomovement.com/prisoners> <https://abolitionnotes.org/political-prisoners>

Community Events: Political Prisoners

FREE KAMAU SADIKI: ONLY (5) WEEKS UNTIL JULY PAROLE DECISION May 24



WHY WE NEED KAMAU HOME

Kamau Sadiki is a loving father of two, grandfather of five and a devout Muslim.

Kamau joined the Black Panther Party at the age of 16 in 1969 and made the decision to dedicate his life to the service of his people

Before being unjustly incarcerated in 2001 at the notorious Augusta State Medical Prison he was diagnosed with Hepatitis C and Sarcoidosis of the liver. While incarcerated, he's also developed multiple open wounds and sores on his legs. These compounded medical conditions aren't being treated seriously and, therefore, are a danger to his long term survival.

Both of Kamau's adult daughters are college educated and have children of their own, which demonstrates their strength, character, lineage, and ability to overcome the near impossible. Kakuya and Ksaisay, desperately want to see their Dad come home, where he can get proper medical care for his various life threatening medical conditions.

NYC's Last Black Panther Prisoner!
Join Queens, Brooklyn, Bronx,
Manhattan & Staten Island Organizers To:

**FREE
KAMAU
SADIKI**



COME TO OUR 4TH NYC WIDE ORGANIZING MEETING
SATURDAY, MAY 24, 2025 <> 4:00PM - 7:00PM
@ The Mildred T. Rhodebeck Community Garden
927 Faile Street Bronx, New York 10459
Take #6 Train To Hunts Point Avenue Station Stop
Walk north (2) blocks up Bruckner Blvd. to the Park

"ALL N.Y.C. FREE KAMAU ORGANIZERS On This Saturday May 24th In Da South Bronx "We Working To Welcome Baba Kamau Home In 2025" 4th N.Y. City Wide Meeting: 4pm-7pm. Come & Join Us On Saturday, May 24, 2025 For Our 4th "In Person Only" N.Y.C.-Wide Organizing Meeting To Be Held In The Boogie Down Bronx!" Source: Email.

Trans Political Prisoner Marius Mason Forced Back to Women's Prison June 3



Marius Mason – Trans Anarchist and Environmental Political Prisoner
Tune to Out-FM on Tu., June 3, 2025
from 8:00-9:00pm, on 99.5FM WBAI/NY
or listen at <https://www.wbai.org/listen-live/>

"Bob Lederer brings us a segment about Marius Mason, a trans political prisoner serving a 22-year sentence for destroying a genetic engineering laboratory and opposing logging as part of the Earth Liberation Front and the Animal Liberation Front. Under the Trump administration's anti-trans policies, Marius was recently transferred back to a women's prison and lost access to gender-affirming surgery. The show will feature an interview with Marius's lawyer, Moira Meltzer-Cohen, who will read a statement from Mason and give further

background on his case and the overall situation for trans people in federal prisons.

Listeners are urged to write to Marius to help him stay in touch with the progressive community around the country. **Out-FM** airs on **Tues., June 3, 2025 at 99.5 FM**, streaming live at wbai.org/listen-live. The mp3 file will be available to stream or download at outfm.org by Wed. evening or before.

Resources: For more about Marius, his beautiful paintings, and his address to write to him in prison, visit supportmariusmason.org. For more about the **June 11th International Day of Solidarity with Marius Mason & All Long-Term Anarchist Prisoners**, visit june11.noblogs.org. Attorney Moira Meltzer-Cohen can be reached at <https://moatlaw.com/>" Source: email.

Section 3: Local & International Movement Actions, Resources, Events



Current & Historical Perspectives of Movements

BLACK ALLIANCE FOR PEACE



<https://blackallianceforpeace.com/>

"The Black Alliance for Peace (BAP) seeks to recapture and redevelop the historic anti-war, anti-imperialist, and pro-peace positions of the radical Black movement.

The Black radical perspective sees the relationship of Black people in the United States through a much different lens than the fictional accounts of U.S. origin myths. The stark reality of the barbaric Atlantic slave trade, Indigenous land theft and brutal genocidal policies occupy the center of that perspective. The strategy of colonialist war, as well as systematic state and private violence, is what we see as the heart of the methodology for establishing and then maintaining the first White supremacist republic in the history of human societies. Indeed, the establishment of the United States with the ratification of the constitution in 1789 in the midst of the turmoil in France and the beginnings of the French revolution is not seen from the radical Black perspective as the dawn of a new day for human liberation in either country, but the continuation and re-consolidation of what Rodrick Bush called the "Pan European Colonial Project," that vicious, hegemonic campaign that was fueled by the European invasion of the Americas in 1492.

Despite the high-sounding proclamations of liberalism and enlightenment thought that asserted the universal equality and inherit rights, systematic, extreme, unspeakable violence constituted the relationships between Europeans and the racialized "others." For the Africans who ended up in the United States, not one decade of peace has existed between African descendants and white authorities.

With the growing maturation of the radical Black movement in the late 19th and early 20th centuries, the formal institutionalization of racial apartheid in 1896 with *Plessy v. Ferguson*, the beginnings of the Pan African movement, the Russian revolution, and agitation and organizing in Black urban colonies like Harlem (that offered a precarious refuge for the first wave of escapees from the fascist totalitarian South), saw the creation of a solidarity movement among Black people in opposition to U.S. and European colonial violence. From the opposition to fascism in Spain and the invasion and occupation of Ethiopia by Italy in the 1930s through the 1960s when leading black organizations like the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) sparked the anti-Vietnam War movement with their opposition to the war and their expression of solidarity with the Palestinian national struggle, Black anti-war and anti-imperialist positions reflected the Black internationalist stance at the center of the Black radical tradition.

In general, suspiciousness and skepticism—if not outright opposition—to U.S. militarism characterized much of the Black community's views regarding U.S. foreign war policy until the ascendancy of the first Black president, Barack Obama.

During the Obama administration, a significant shift took place in the consciousness of large segments of the African American population. They became more supportive and uncritical on U.S. militarism and interventions. Many seem to be unaware or had forgotten Dr. King's sharp denunciation of U.S. militarism and violence, and

the historical opposition to U.S. imperialism that characterized much of the positions of the Congressional Black Caucus—pre-Obama.

Militarized policing, over \$4 billion worth of military hardware turned over to local police departments, extrajudicial murders (police executions), the school-to-prison pipeline, aggressive military recruitment of black and Latino youth, the normalization of militarism, and general popular support for the militarized strategy of U.S. global “Full Spectrum Dominance” provides the context for and impels the establishment of a Black Alliance for Peace.

The establishment of Black Alliance for Peace will be a first step in revitalizing the critical, moral stance on issues of war and state repression the Black population in the United States had historically embraced. BAP is part of the effort to rebuild the broader anti-war, anti-imperialist and peace movement.

By comprehensively linking the issue of state violence and militarism, BAP will concentrate its efforts on not only opposing the U.S. war agenda globally but the war and repression being waged on Black and Brown communities domestically.” <https://www.thejerichomovement.com/partners/black-alliance-peace>

Calls For Action

FREE PALESTINE-STOP THE GENOCIDE & ETHNIC CLEANSING



(Photo credit: Unknown)

Gaza: Before & After

URGENT: Sign-On Letter to Help End Mass Incarceration in NY

"I'm writing at a critical moment: More than six months have passed since prison guards brutally murdered Robert Brooks on video at Marcy prison and the New York State Legislature has done nothing to prevent further atrocities or deliver justice to Mr. Brooks' legacy. There is still time, but not much. NY's legislative session ends in a couple weeks. We understand the Senate and Assembly are considering possibly passing prison oversight bills, which are necessary but insufficient. Advocates are adamant that providing meaningful opportunities for consideration of release has to be part of the solution in this moment.

Please sign on as an organization and/or an individual to [this letter](#) TODAY to demand NY Legislative Leaders call a vote on broadly popular bills -- parole reforms, CNC sentencing reform, and the Challenging Wrongful Convictions Act -- that will create and expand pathways to release, making prisons and communities safer and reuniting families across the state. Your voice is critical! The politicians must hear from us!

Also, please use [this quick-and-easy online tool](#) to join the People's Campaign for Parole Justice in urging your State Senator and the Senate Leader to **not** confirm two regressive parole board nominees and instead to recommend for the parole board our slate of highly qualified candidates who value personal transformation and redemption over vengeance. Thank you, Jared Chausow, RAPP Campaign." Source: Email.

RAPP Campaign: URGENT: Tell Gov. Hochul to Say No To Cops on the Parole Board!

"The Governor is continuing to push forward two deeply concerning Parole Board commissioner nominees who have helped drive mass incarceration. EMAIL RIGHT NOW TO URGE YOUR SENATOR TO VOTE NO ON JOSE GOMEREZ, A FORMER POLICE COMMISSIONER, AND VICTOR ANTONIO PEREZ, A FORMER PAROLE OFFICER.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1hj5VIT6mMS0Alggqz4MPHZaK98IHHL8jQJSi0m0H5M/edit>

They're forcing a pregnant brain-dead woman's body to bring a fetus to term

"Adriana Smith, a **mother and nurse** in the U.S. state of Georgia, was 9 weeks pregnant with her second child when she started experiencing **unusually intense, painful headaches**. She went to the hospital, but they simply gave her medication. The next morning, her partner noticed her "gasping for air in her sleep." He rushed her to another hospital, where doctors discovered blood clots in her brain. **Doctors declared her brain-dead and medically dead.** But then medical staff said they [had to put the dead woman on life support to keep her body alive, and carry her fetus to term](#). Under Georgia's **abortion-banning "heartbeat bill,"** they were terrified of being charged with terminating the woman's pregnancy." Read more & sign petition here:

<https://www.thepetitionsite.com/817/985/641/>

End Mass Incarceration Legislative Advocacy Day May 28

**ALBANY: END MASS INCARCERATION
LEGISLATIVE ADVOCACY DAY**
May 28, 2025

RSVP: 

**HELP US PASS CRUCIAL
LEGISLATION TO BRING OUR
PEOPLE HOME AND SUPPORT
THEM IN THE COMMUNITY**

- Wrongful Convictions
- Parole Reform
- And More

**END WRONGFUL
CONVICTIONS!**

RAPP new hour **HALTsolitary** **Parole Preparation Project** **VOCAL**

"In case you missed it, Brooklyn DA Eric Gonzalez [wrote an op-ed](#) in support of the parole justice bills. Today, the executive director of the National Institute for Criminal Justice Reform also [came out in support of the bills](#). **NOW, join our partners VOCAL-NY for an End Mass Incarceration Legislative Advocacy Day! Bus transportation will be available in NYC and Western NY."**

RSVP: <https://vocal.ourpowerbase.net/civcrm/event/info>

<https://vocal.ourpowerbase.net/civcrm/event/info>

June 6th and Every Friday: Banner Drop at Berkeley Pedestrian Bridge I-80

BANNER DROP AT THE BERKELEY PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE OVER I-80



FRIDAY, 6/6/25, 4:30PM - 6PM

BRING FLAGS AND/OR KEFFIYEHS

PARK ON THE SEABREEZE PARKING
LOT AT 598 UNIVERSITY AVE

"Date: Every Friday-Time: 4:30 - 6:00 pm PDT

Location: University Pedestrian Bridge over I-80, Berkeley, CA
Join the weekly demonstration for Palestine on the University pedestrian bridge over I-80.

Park at the Sea Breeze parking lot at 598 University Ave, Berkeley." Source: Email.

PSL: ICE OUT OF NYC! STOP THE DEPORTATIONS! June 10

ICE OUT OF NEW YORK!

STOP THE DEPORTATIONS

TUES. JUNE 10 5PM • FOLEY SQ

"The people of Los Angeles have courageously stood up against Trump's reign of terror against immigrant families. In response, the administration has deployed the National Guard and heavily militarized federal troops in an attempt to spread terror and intimidate people out of exercising their right to protest.

But we refuse to be silenced! The people of New York City demand ICE get out of our communities, stop the deportations, and stop the raids.

For those who believe in immigrant rights, for those who believe in democracy, for the entire working class - now is the time to take to the streets in protest!

Tuesday June 10, 5 PM, Foley Square"

What's happening to this Indigenous leader should concern us all



“As a Palestinian, I recognize the familiar patterns of state violence, surveillance, and systematic criminalization of those who dare to rise against injustice. **What’s happening to my friend and comrade Nick Tilsen — an Oglala Lakota leader, father, mentor, and president of NDN Collective — is not an isolated event.** It is a direct continuation of America’s legacy of targeting Indigenous leaders who challenge colonized, white supremacist systems.

This is bigger than just Nick.

Nick is being targeted with charges rooted in political suppression — including the dangerous application of SLAPP (Strategic Lawsuit Against Public Participation) lawsuits and the RICO Act, both of which are increasingly used to silence and dismantle grassroots movements. These are not just legal tools; they are weapons used to criminalize dissent and bankrupt those courageous enough to lead the charge for justice.

NDN Collective, a powerful Indigenous-led organization dedicated to building global Indigenous power, now finds itself under attack. Their work threatens the status quo — and so, the system responds in the only way it knows how: with repression, surveillance, and persecution.” **Sign the petition here:**

<https://actionnetwork.org/petitions/drop-the-charges-against-nick-tilsen>

Pack the Courthouse to Support Nick Tilsen June 12/13



“We need your help to secure Nick Tilsen's freedom and ensure the upcoming evidentiary hearing doesn't go to trial. Nick has an evidentiary hearing on June 12-13, 2025, at the Pennington County Courthouse, where we aim to prove not only his innocence but the pattern of targeted attacks against Indigenous Peoples' by the Rapid City Police Department (RCPD). We will begin each day at 8 AM with smudge and prayer and proceed to the courthouse together. **LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CASE:** In 2023, Nick Tilsen pulled over to conduct a routine cop watch where a Native unhoused relative was being stopped by Rapid City Police (RCPD) in Rapid City, South Dakota. A year after that cop watch, Nick received notice that he was being charged with aggravated assault and obstruction of a police officer from the incident. The

officer wasn't touched at all, no physical harm was caused to any officer in this incident, and there is video evidence that proves Nick is innocent. Nick is being systematically targeted as an Indigenous movement leader, [local prosecutors intentionally sought out](#) the police officer named in this case and encouraged him to press charges. The charges brought against Nick are false and inflated to criminalize, silence, and ultimately isolate him from his community through imprisonment. Nick is being targeted by RCPD because he has unapologetically stood on his values and has called for accountability and justice for people harmed by police in Rapid City. This is a continuation of the American legacy of vilifying Indigenous people and the legal system targeting and over-criminalizing Indigenous movement leaders.

NDN Collective has been pushing for a [federal investigation into the Rapid City Police Department](#) for over 3 years for this exact issue. This fight is bigger than just Nick Tilsen. It's about protecting movement leaders, movement organizations, our right to free speech, and to demand justice for those harmed by colonized white supremacist systems and structures.

Here are a few ways you can support Nick Tilsen and NDN Collective:

1. Sign this [Petition](#) (& encourage others to sign)
2. Donate to the [NDN Legal Fund](#)
3. Call or email the Pennington County States Attorney's office asking them to drop the charges: Phone: (605) 394-2191 OR Email: sao_all@pennco.org and larar@pennco.org
4. Share this [information](#) with a friend or on social media to bring attention to the injustices happening in South Dakota

Nick is a devoted father, son, uncle, spiritual helper, mentor, and leader respected by his elders, the broader movement, and Indigenous Peoples'. This is his legacy - they won't define or diminish it. In Solidarity, NDN Collective." Source: Email.

Community Events: May 15-Onward

What's Happening-WBAI 99.5 FM- 8-8:55 pm/et- WEDNESDAY MAY 21

WHAT'S HAPPENING
Wednesday, 21 MAY 2025 / 8pm/ET

RAPP = Release Aging People in Prison

IT'S DANGEROUS TO NOT SEE PATTERNS.

RAPP RELEASE AGING PEOPLE IN PRISON

99.5 FM WBAI.ORG

RADICAL ELDERS

JOIN the conversation - Call 212-209-2877-Donate 833-WBAI NYC/Co-hosts SAYERO & NEMO

W.E.B. Du Bois School-Thursdays on Zoom: Joy James May 22

ABOLITION AND RECONSTRUCTION

BOOK LAUNCH
THURSDAY 5/22
6-8P ET | ONLINE

MELISSA FERRER CIVIL, JOY JAMES, DYLAN RODRIGUEZ

ABOLITION AND RECONSTRUCTION
An Emergent Guide for Collective Study

THE W.E.B. DU BOIS RECONSTRUCTION SCHOOL
for Abolition & Reconstruction

"We're so incredibly excited to have our full, 12-week curriculum out in the world, and the book includes full facilitation notes to guide your own study group. Common Notions press has also graciously offered deep bulk

discounts for collective & organizational study, so please reach out directly for that! To celebrate the publication of our study guide, we want to invite YOU to tune in this Thursday, from 6-8pm EST, when we'll be joined by three incredible comrades: the great Joy James, Dylan Rodriguez, and Melissa Ferrer-Civil. Together, we'll discuss what abolition means today, and what kind of social reconstruction is necessary to make it a reality. We'll see you there! **Details:** Thursday, 5/22, 6-8pm EST. 📺 [Registration Link here](#). [Direct YouTube link here](#). Link to [purchase the Study Guide from Common Notions press](#). Again, your support is essential to making all of this possible, so please [make a contribution](#) small recurring contributions help ensure that we reach as many aspiring organizers as possible!" Source: Email.

What's Happening-WBAI 99.5 FM- 8-8:55 pm/et- WEDNESDAY MAY 28



WHAT'S HAPPENING

Hosted by Ralph Poynter & Betty Davis

 @RalphPoynter

Call in & join the conversation: 212-209- 2877



Wednesday, May 28, 2025
8:00 - 9:00 PM



WBAI 99.5 FM New York
Live stream at wbai.org

GOVERNMENT CUTBACKS ON MEDICAID & PUBLIC EDUCATION = MENTAL + PHYSICAL GENOCIDE

With guests

Lynda Balsama-UNPCH
Anthony Smith - Black Philly Radical Collective





How the Trump Budget Bill Would Impact Kids

- * **Drastically cut healthcare** * **Increase food insecurity**
- * **Make families poorer** * **Leave AL dangers unchecked**

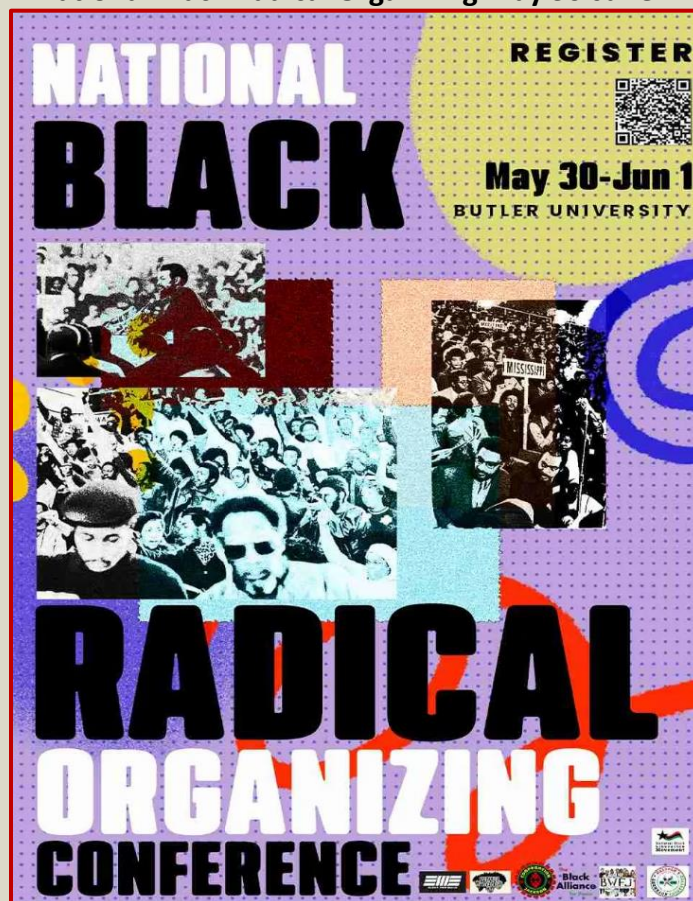


**LET GAZA LIVE!
STOP THE U.S.-BACKED ISRAELI
OCCUPATION OF PALESTINE!**

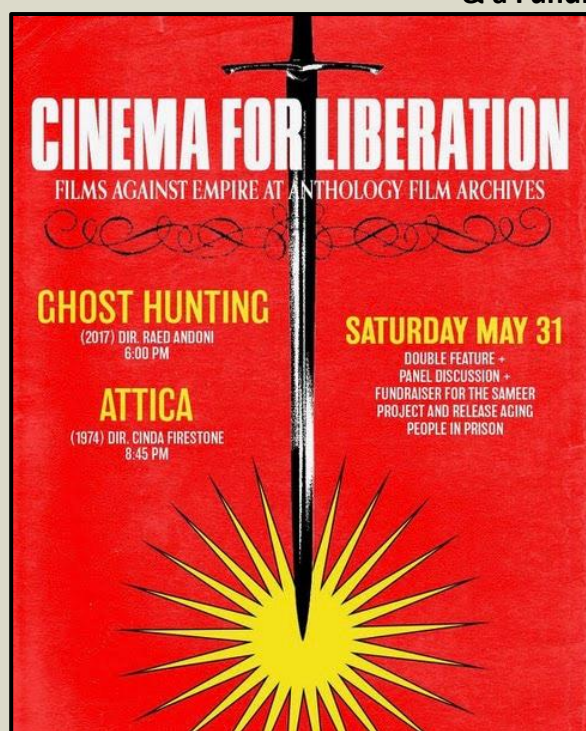


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National Black Radical Organizing May 30-June 1



Cinema 4 Liberation: Join Us This Saturday for Two Film Screenings
& a Fundraiser for RAPP May 31



"Join us at Anthology Film Archives THIS SATURDAY for a double feature screening of GHOST HUNTING and ATTICA. Together, these films interrogate the prison as the ultimate site of extraction and exile in Palestine and the United States alike.

Between the screenings, a panel discussion featuring Orisanmi Burton, Laura Whitehorn (RAPP), Jose Saldaña (RAPP), & Al-Ahrar (Palestinian Prisoner Solidarity) will focus on the political meanings of prisoner struggles, and their centrality in movements for liberation.

100% of proceeds will benefit RAPP & The Sameer Project.

Tickets are available for both movies (separately)."

<https://ticketing.uswest.veezi.com/purchase/4230>

<https://ticketing.uswest.veezi.com/purchase/4232>

Source: Email.

[Freedom archives news] Bay Area Tour w/ Cuban Diplomats - June 1

LET CUBA LIVE

Bay Area/California speaking tour
featuring First & Second Secretary of the
Cuban Embassy (in D.C.)

INSTITUTO DE NEUROLOGIA Y NEUROCIRUGIA

POR CUBA JUNTOS CREAMOS

PUBLIC EVENT
SUNDAY, JUNE 1 @ 4:00-6:00PM
FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH OF OAKLAND • 685 14TH ST

Hear about Trump's escalating aggression against Cuba and build solidarity with Cuba's resistance. Learn from Cuba's revolutionary advances in healthcare, education, LGBTQ+ rights and environmental protections through a unique educational exchange!

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<https://www.instagram.com/bayareacubasolidarity/>

"We can learn vital and urgent lessons from Cuba's advances in public health, education, LGBTQ+ rights, economic justice, and environmental sustainability—all of which are under intensifying attack here in the United States. Join us for a uniquely direct and educational exchange with highly informed Cuban Embassy officials visiting us from Washington D.C. We are facing a critical moment in US/Cuba relations with the Trump administration ramping up its attacks on Cuba—a serious escalation in a long history of hostile policies designed to harm the Cuban economy and damage Cuba's reputation as a leader in global healthcare.

The Trump administration has put Cuba back on the fraudulent State Sponsors of Terrorism (SSOT) list as it tramples on Cuban sovereignty by designating the Guantánamo Bay military base as a detention center for deported migrants. Secretary of State Marco Rubio has even threatened to revoke US visas for government leaders whose nations hire life saving Cuban physicians and nurses from Cuba's famed medical brigades. Solidarity is needed more than ever."

What's Happening-WBAI 99.5 FM-RADIO NYC 8-8:55 pm/et- WEDNESDAY JUNE 4

WBAI
99.5 FM
in New York City - Pacifica Radio

WHAT'S HAPPENING-WED. 8P/ET / JUNE 4, 2025

JOIN the CONVERSATION with **KAMM HOWARD & PROF. ANDREW KAHRL** CALL IN **212-209-2877**

THE BLACK TAX
150 YEARS OF THEFT, EXPLOITATION AND DISPOSSESSION IN AMERICA
ANDREW W. KAHRL

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Wednesdays 8PM EST 99.5FM & WBAI.org
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REPARATIONS UNITED
Kamrin Howard
UHURU
To DONATE PLEASE call
833-WBAI - NYC

POLITICS + CONCENTRATED ECONOMICS = THE BLACK TAX + COLONIALISM

Conversations on LGBTQ2S+ Struggles and Resistance June 5

WE RESIST

**JOIN US FOR COFFEE, TEA & CONVERSATIONS ON:
LGBTQ2S+ STRUGGLES & RIGHTS**

JUNE 5, 2025 - 8PM (EST)

- INDIGENOUS 2 SPIRIT EXPERIENCES
- CUNY LGBTQ2S+ ORGANIZING
- RESISTANCE OF LGBTQ2S+ COMMUNITY IN PUERTO RICO
- UPDATES ON PALESTINE & IMMIGRANT RIGHTS

Register for Zoom in advance!

All Genders Welcome

Women United Against Genocide
We Love Black, Brown, Indigenous and All Women
United in the Struggle Against Genocide

All Genders Welcome! Register in Advance: bit.ly/6WUAG5

Muslim Ban has *just* been issued: What you need to know June 5

URGENT MEETING

TRUMP'S NEW MUSLIM AND TRAVEL BAN ANNOUNCED.

RSVP AT: [NOMUSLIMBANEVER.COM/TRAVELBAN](https://nomuslimbanever.com/travelban)

"It's happening. Trump just issued a new travel ban. Muslim-majority countries are once again being targeted in this extensive list of countries, and it will impact many of our communities, families, and friends. We have fought Trump's racist Muslim travel ban before, and we will fight it now.

[Being armed with clear information on what the new travel ban means is our first step, and that's why we are asking you to join an urgent call tomorrow, June 5th at 4 pm ET.](#) The new travel ban would fully restrict and limit the entry of nationals from the following 12 countries: Afghanistan, Burma, Chad, the Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Haiti, Iran, Libya, Somalia, Sudan, and Yemen. The entry of people from seven other countries — Burundi, Cuba, Laos, Sierra Leone, Togo, Turkmenistan, and Venezuela — will be partially restricted, according to the White House proclamation.¹

Hear from leaders from impacted communities on what the new ban means and how we will work together to fight it. [RSVP to our emergency call on Thursday, June 5, 2025: 4pm ET.](#) At a time when this administration is already trampling on our rights, our communities need us more than ever to be empowered and to respond with resilience. Join Linda Sarsour, Yasmine Taeb, and Ishraq Ali from MPower Change, along with our colleagues at Muslim Advocates, CAIR-SFA, NILC, and Asian Law Caucus. We'll provide up-to-the-minute information and analysis on what this new ban means, how it will impact us, and how to organize together moving forward". [RSVP HERE: We look forward to seeing you on Thursday, June 5 at 4pm ET.](#)

Join the BAP NYC/NJ Town Hall! Saturday, June 7

"Join BAP NYC/NJ on Saturday, June 7 at 2:00 pm for a town hall around the subject of [State Violence, Migration, and Global Displacement](#) at the People's Church in East Harlem! We are seeing an increased focus on the "immigration crisis" in the US and a publicly vicious attack on migrant communities across the country and in NYC. The core of this issue has been hidden to convince us that our problems are a result of immigration and not from the violence this country spreads around the world and right here in our communities. Together we will discuss these root causes of migration and displacement. We'll explore the impact on our lives in NYC and how local organizations are responding.

This town hall event comes after the [BAP Haiti/Americas Team's webinar](#), titled "Migration, State Violence, and Global Displacement". We will continue that conversation and bring it to our local communities. We will learn about the complexities of migration, state violence, and global systems of power and what it all means for us. You will connect with local organizers and leave with a better understanding of what work organizations are doing around anti-imperialism, community self-determination, immigration, policing, and more right here in our city. **Date:** Saturday, June 7, 2025, Time: Doors open 2:00 pm | Begins 2:30 pm, Location: The People's Church - 163 East 111 St. NYC, [Easily accessible by the 4 and 6 trains. The 2 and 3 trains are a few blocks away.]. Register: <https://blackallianceforpeace.ourpowerbase.net/civicrm/event/info?reset=1&id=147>

Chris Hedges In-Person: Resistance in Occupied Palestine June 7

TEACH TRUTH

Bay Area educators and our allies will not be bullied by Trump or anyone else. Our students have a right to learn a full and inclusive history and a right to read diverse voices. We will gather, on rematriated sacred land, to support each other and stand up for our students and communities.

National Day of Action
11am June 7, 2025
West Berkeley Shellmound
Learn About The Land! Shellmound.org

11am Education Resources & Book Fair
11:30 Sharing & Speakers
Noon: Protest Scholasticide in Palestine
Music* Food* Art* Solidarity
More info: bit.ly/bayareateachtruth

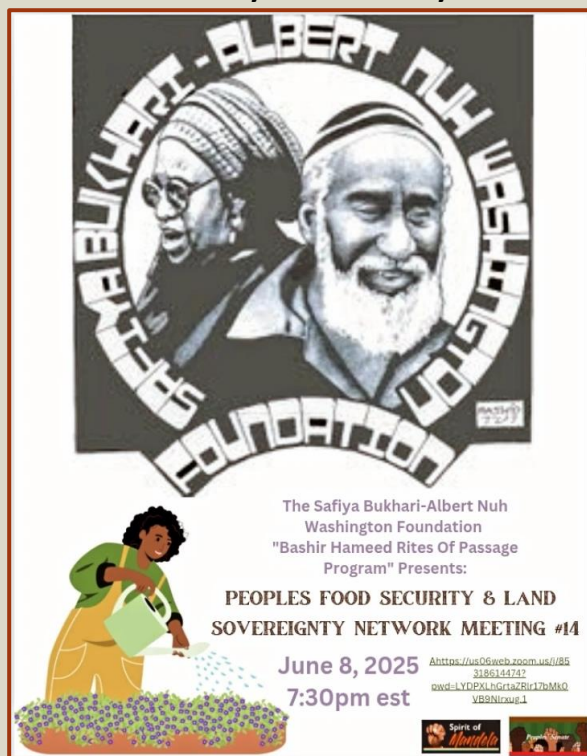
Logos: ZINN EDUCATION PROJECT, HSEI, Jews On Ohlone Land, PM PRESS, SOGOREA TE LAND TRUST

Date: Saturday, 7 June-Time: 11:00 am PDT **Location:** West Berkeley Shell Mound
(Between University and Hearst at 4th St) Berkeley, CA 94710

"The #TeachTruth National Day of Action is June 7 and we are gathering in the Bay Area at the West Berkeley Shellmound at 11am. We will recommit to teaching truth in the face of fascism, and it will be fun! Our celebrity MC is the educator and drag queen Per Sia. Speakers will include folks from the Sogorea Te' Land Trust, AAPI Youth Rising, the High School Ethnic Studies Initiative, Jews on Ohlone Land, and the Middle East Children's

Alliance. There will be books (banned and otherwise), THREE art projects, live music, and FREE vegetable tamales for all. Transport/logistics: <https://sites.google.com/view/bay-area-teach-truth-2025/transportation-logistics>." Source: Email.

Monthly Food Security & Land Sovereignty Network Zoom Meeting: #14 June 8



"Political Education: Free The Land Video Link
Watch This Short Video & Join Discussion At The Above
Sunday Meeting

[Fight for the Pacific – Episode 2: Fallout Zone | Documentary](#)
| AI ... May 27, 2025 ... Video Duration 24 minutes 51
seconds 24:51.

Featured: Indigenous Resistance To The U.S. Military
Genocide By Poisoning The Food & Land
Of Black & Brown People In The South Pacific."

Source: Email.

A Child's View from Gaza June 10-July 6



"Date: Tuesday, 10 June - Sunday, 6 July-Time: Open Daily
12:00 pm - 7:00 pm PDT

Location: 3130 24th St, San Francisco, CA

This exhibition amplifies Palestinian children's art in dialogue with works by Bay Area artists and youth, reclaiming a narrative that Israel and its allies have tried—and failed—to silence.

In 2011, the Middle East Children's Alliance (MECA) and other organizations gathered these artworks for an exhibition at Oakland's Museum of Children's Art. But two weeks before the opening, pressure from Zionist organizations forced its cancellation. The people fought back through protests, MECA staged a pop-up exhibition, and a book of the censored art was published.

Fifteen years later, Israel's genocide in Gaza continues, enabled by a corporate media that censors Palestinian voices and criminalizes solidarity here inside the United States. Yet

as artists and cultural workers, we refuse to be silenced. Art is our weapon of resistance—not only to expose the brutality of apartheid but to forge a culture of liberation that connects Palestine's struggle to global movements against imperialism, war, and oppression.

These drawings—made under siege, with limited supplies, and often in darkness—capture the realities of life under occupation: the presence of drones and tanks, burning homes, occupation soldiers, and the weight of

loss. But alongside the pain, there is resilience: joy, humor, and an unbroken will to resist. Their art is an act of defiance. It demands that we, as artists, organize and strengthen our own.” Source: Email.

What's Happening-WBAI 99.5 FM-RADIO NYC 8-8:55 pm/et- WEDNESDAY JUNE 11

**SPECIAL
FATHER'S DAY
PROGRAM**

**INTRODUCING
MADISON TIRADO**
the reality of
environmental Racism
and how it affects our
daily lives.



- **AIYANA PORTER,**
- **STANLEY BELLAMY**
- **BYRON RUSS,**
- **FANTA FOFANA,**
- **LINDA LIU,**
- **JOSE DILENOLA**



**WHAT'S
HAPPENING – WED.
JUNE 11, 2024-sp/ET**

JOIN the Conversation- CALL in 833-922-4692

TO LISTEN TO LAST WEEKS PROGRAM, PLEASE CLICK THE LINK BELOW

<https://s3.us-east-2.amazonaws.com/wbai.org.archive.audio/whats-happening- 2025-06-04 20-00 01-00.mp3>

Detroit In-Person & Virtual Event with Palestinian Writer June 14





PALESTINE NOW:

REALITIES ON THE GROUND & OUR COLLECTIVE RESPONSIBILITY

GUEST SPEAKER

Abduljawad Omar
Palestinian writer,
analyst, and lecturer
at Birzeit University.



JUNE 14

3:30 PM

Grace in Action
1725 Lawndale St.
Detroit





PALESTINE NOW:

REALITIES ON THE GROUND & OUR COLLECTIVE RESPONSIBILITY

IN PERSON AND VIRTUAL OPTION AVAILABLE

REGISTER HERE:

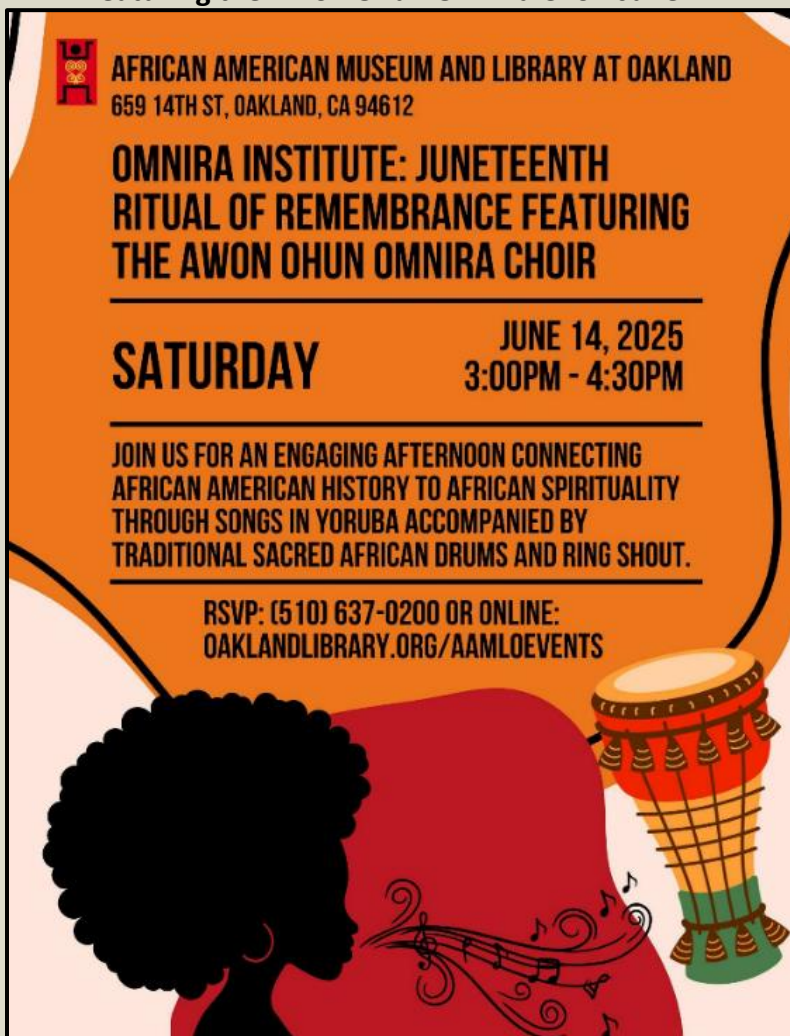


“When: Saturday, June 14th at 3:30 PM EST, In Person Location: Grace in Action, 1725 Lawndale St, Detroit.

In-person and virtual options available Guest Speaker: Abduljawad Omar — Palestinian writer, analyst, and lecturer at Birzeit University, offering deep insights into the current moment and the broader struggle for

liberation. Hosted by USPCN, PYM, and Engineers Against Apartheid. Register now — scan the QR code or go to <https://tinyurl.com/PalNow25>”

**Omnira Institute: Juneteenth Ritual of Remembrance
featuring the Awon Ohun Omnira Choir June 14**



“Join us for an engaging afternoon connecting African American history to African spirituality through songs in Yoruba accompanied by traditional sacred African drums and ring shout. Saturday, June 14, 2025 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM. African American Museum and Library at Oakland” Source: Email.

MECA's 4th Annual Ride for Palestine July 20

“Date: Sunday, 20 July 2025 Time: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm PDT Location: MECA - 1101 8th St, Berkeley, CA 94710 Register Now for MECA's 4th Annual Ride for Palestine!

Join us for a scenic ride along the San Francisco Bay, open to cyclists of all skill levels. After the Ride, we'll Gather for Gaza, celebrating Palestinian culture with delicious food, music, and dancing.

Since our first Ride, our community has raised over \$425,000. This year our goal is \$300,000 to support MECA's emergency aid in Gaza. After 20 months of relentless assault, your support is more critical than ever. Ride for Palestinian children. Ride for solidarity. Ride for Gaza. Get involved at [RideforPalestine.com](https://rideforpalestine.com) or contact us at info@rideforpalestine.com. P.S. We are looking for sponsors! The event will have about 1,000 people in attendance and is being promoted to tens of thousands online - great exposure opportunity for your business.”

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8vtXE95One4>

REGISTER FOR THE PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE FOR PALESTINE Aug 29-31



"Join us in Detroit, MI from August 29-31st for the second People's Conference for Palestine: Gaza is the Compass. Gaza keeps our path true: it reminds us of our direction in the struggle and the sacrifices that have been made by the Palestinian people; it exposes the forces that we have to contend with on the path to liberation. For this reason, Zionism and imperialism are waging a continuous genocide on Gaza, and we, the people of the world, will fight at every turn to reject it. With Gaza as our guide, we aim to convene at this critical juncture to continue building and strengthening a mass movement in North America. Join us as organizations, collectives, movement leaders, community members, students and intellectuals, artists and cultural workers, and activists for a three-day convening to reflect, exchange, and strengthen ourselves and our fight for a free Palestine. The People's Conference for Palestine will feature plenaries, workshops, art and cultural exhibits, and performances." Register here:

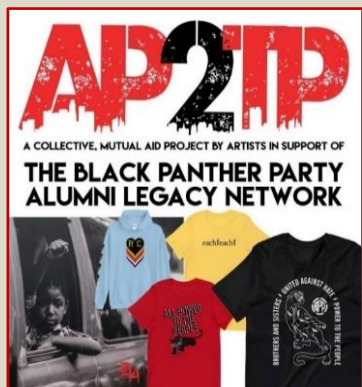
<https://peoplesconferenceforpalestine.regfox.com/2025-peoples-conference-for-palestine> Source: Email.

Ongoing Community Resources

Support the Black Panther Black Panther Party Alumni Legacy Network!



"The Black Panther Party Alumni Legacy Network is composed of original Black Panther Party members and other passionate individuals, elected official's community organizations, educational institutions, and community-oriented businesses that not only have their own well-being at heart but also have a passion for every



member of the community to live long prosper and grow educationally, socially, and economically from generation to generation. Together we embrace the legacy of the 65 documented social service programs created and implemented by original Black Panther Party members that grew out of the 10-point platform and program of the Party. Now is the time to come together to use our knowledge and collective resources to lay the foundation for self-determination and generational prosperity that will only be established thru our efforts. JOIN US! See bppaln.org." "In a historic rare collaboration, Destroy Art Inc. is granted access to sell Black Panther merchandise by artist John Yates aka Stealworks. 50% of all sales is donated back to the Black Panther Alumni Legacy Network." To purchase the All Power to the People collection and support the Black

Panther Alumni Legacy Network go to: <https://ap2tp.bigcartel.com/>." BPPALN has also partnered with Oaklandish! See: <https://www.oaklandish.com/collections/bppaln>" (Photo's retrieved from <https://bppaln.org>

Self Help Hunger Program: First Tuesdays!



SELF HELP HUNGER PROGRAM

FIRST TUESDAYS

1ST Tuesday of Every Month, (3pm-7pm)
& every Tuesday, (2pm-5pm)

**Genoa Street @ 61st St.
and Stanford Ave, Oakland, CA 94608**

Free Fresh Produce @11am
Free Clothes @12pm,
Free Hair cuts @1pm
All Yoga to the people (chair yoga) 2pm
Free Food, @2pm,
Tranquility Rx Free massages @3pm
Kwic Time Presents Instrument Petting Zoo & Open mic sign up @3pm
The Lumpia Ladies & The Village Oakland @4pm

<https://www.selfhelphunger.org>

10. WE WANT
LAND, BREAD,
HOUSING,
EDUCATION,
CLOTHING, JUSTICE,
PEACE AND
PEOPLES
COMMUNITY
CONTROL OF
MODERN
TECHNOLOGY.

BLACK PANTHER PARTY
PANTHER POWER

Clothing Giveaway

DRUM
CIRCLE
JAM

OPEN
MIC

SELF
HELP
HUNGER
PROGRAM

NOW BOOKING! BLACK PANTHER ALUMNI LEGACY CITY WALKING TOUR



**BLACK PANTHER PARTY
LEGACY CITY TOUR**

OAKLAND

TICKETS AVAILABLE!

Walk with an original Panther Elder in downtown Oakland. Listen to the truth, learn the history, & hear the stories.

BOOK YOUR SPOT!
BPPALN.ORG
eventbrite

SUNDAYS, 11am - 1.30pm

"BLACK PANTHER ALUMNI LEGACY CITY WALKING TOUR. Meet original members of the Black Panther Party & walk with them through the historical sites in the birthplace of the Party, Oakland CA.



BLACK PANTHER LEGACY CITY TOUR

EVERY SUNDAY
DOWNTOWN OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA
eventbrite **BPPALN.ORG**

Listen to their stories and learn the truths behind the world's most famous revolutionary organization for the liberation of

Black and oppressed communities."

Book a Tour Now: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/black-panther-party-legacy-city-tour-tickets-160249200673>

1970s Survival Pending Revolution, Vintage Art by Asali (Support! Purchase! Share!)

"The *Survival Pending Revolution Collection* honors M. Gayle Dickson, also known as Asali, the only woman artist in the Black Panther Party's Intercommunal News Service from 1972 to 1974. Asali's work powerfully illustrated the experiences of women, elders, and children, reflecting the Party's mission of resistance and community activism. This collection features her original artwork, which accompanied key initiatives like the *Survival Pending Revolution* campaign and the "Oakland: A Base of Operation" efforts. Each piece speaks to the

ongoing struggles for social justice, drawing connections between the past and today's challenges."

<https://philadelphiaprintworks.com/collections/survival-pending-revolution>

Oakland Jericho Info Sessions & Political Prisoner Writing Events



Each month we will discuss Oakland Jericho as an organization, its missions, as well as information if you would like to join. We will also discuss the National Jericho Movement in a historical context as well as its missions, current status and projects. After our info presentation, we will have a question & answer period. It is our hope that after learning about our missions and community projects you will join us in this most important work of advocating for, and Freeing our Political Prisoners as well as serving the Community! We will then present and discuss two Political Prisoners (PP). Basic information and links for will be provided about each PP so we can write them letters of support. If you would like to attend, please email

oakland.jericho@gmail.com with your name and email address. We will send you the Zoom link for the session and a reminder the day before. Please check pinned posts for specific information each month. Thank you for your interest

and participation! Please note: If a session needs to be cancelled (holiday, tech issues, etc.,) it will be announced on FB, you will receive an email if you signed up. See

<https://www.facebook.com/oaklandjerichowritingsessions>

Oakland Jericho presents the release of the long-awaited CD "Redemption"



Jalil Muntaqim's book "Redemption Escaping the Prism Fade to Black" is a compilation of poetry written by Jalil, recited by Jalil's brother Dave Brown, Bay Area artists Opium Sabbah (Oakland Jericho) and audiomatic thafiyahstarter as well as others. The cover artwork was done by the phenomenal artist and comrade Kara Fleshman. **Get your copy now!** We currently take PayPal and we

will have streaming options in the future. \$16 including S & H. Purchase here: <https://linktr.ee/Oaklandjericho>

NEW! OAKLAND JERICHO MERCH SHOP!!! Get your T Shirts, hoodies, and other products today! See

<https://oakland-jericho.myspreadshop.com/>

Book: "Organizing and Rebuilding African Working Class through Pan-Africanism and Socialism, a Collection of Essays" by Abdul Jabbar Caliph; Edited by Tomiko Shine. Order your Book Now! Cost: \$20 book, \$5 shipping, Email: abdujabbaessays@gmail.com FB: <https://www.facebook.com/booksforthemovement>

Resource & News List

Resources

1. [Imagine If Gaza Was Jewish And The People Bombing It Were Muslims](#)
2. NYC ABC: PP/POW Updates and Announcements - 13 May 2025 <https://nycabc.wordpress.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/13-may-2025.pdf>

3. Video: Trump Says Goodbye to "Greater Israel" <https://www.globalresearch.ca/why-does-donald-trump-want-to-transform-gaza-into-a-u-s-territory/5879488>
4. Film: *The Encampments*—Student Resilience for Palestine <https://www.arabamerica.com/the-encampments-student-resilience-for-palestine/>
5. The Encampments! Now Streaming! https://watch.watermelonpictures.com/?mc_cid=1d212af324&mc_eid=ba6a158526
6. A new generation bears witness Essay by [Ramzy Baroud](#) <https://qantara.de/en/article/journalists-gaza-new-generation-bears-witness>
7. [The New Dark Age](#) "The genocide in Gaza is not an anomaly. It illustrates something fundamental about human nature and is a terrifying harbinger of where the world is headed."
8. [‘We won’t leave’: Palestinians respond to Trump plans to clear Gaza](#)
9. [‘Prisons are akin to chattel slavery’: Inside the big business of prison farms and ‘agricarceral’ slave labor](#)
10. Heritage Foundation Plan To Crush the Pro-Palestinian Movement <https://portside.org/2025-05-19/heritage-foundation-plan-crush-pro-palestinian-movement>
11. Erasing History: How Fascists Rewrite the Past to Control the Future-Recording and Resources <https://www.zinnedproject.org/news/erasing-history/>
12. Cheer up, people of Gaza! You’ll get killed on a full stomach <https://www.aljazeera.com/opinions/2025/5/19/cheer-up-people-of-gaza-youll-get-killed-on-a-full-stomach>
13. 1989- A Palestinian girl has a conversation <https://www.instagram.com/reel/DJ0IMdCxgUf/?igsh=MzRIODBiNWFIZA==>
14. Hamas: The making of a revolutionary movement By Jane Stillwater <https://jpstillwater.blogspot.com/2025/05/hamas-making-of-revolutionary-movement.html>
15. They Tried to Bury Us. We Built a Platform. <https://www.instagram.com/p/DJuN8G3pbli/>
16. [Migrants Face Inhumane Conditions, Abuse, and Solitary at El Paso ICE Facility](#)
17. To be a mother or journalist? My struggle amid Israel’s unrelenting violence in Gaza
"I say goodbye to my children as I head out to cover a new story. I tell them, ‘See you later.’ But my heart whispers, ‘Maybe I won’t come back., Author and journalist from Gaza ” [Rasha Abou Jalal](#)
<https://www.thenewhumanitarian.org/opinion/2025/05/21/mother-or-journalist-my-struggle-amid-israel-unrelenting-violence-gaza>
18. [The Radical Courage of Noor Abdalla](#)
19. People's History of Memorial Day, 5th Anniversary of 2020 Uprising <https://www.zinnedproject.org/news/tdih/decoration-day/>
20. Black Alliance for Peace Condemns the U.S. and Israeli Final Solution for Gaza and the West Bank <https://blackallianceforpeace.com/bapstatements/iisraeli-final-solution-for-gaza-and-west-bank>
21. "I dreamt it was raining bananas" & more words from Gaza <https://www.mecaforpeace.org/gaza-diaries-only-in-gaza-i-dreamt-it-was-raining-bananas/>
22. [Voices from Solitary: Crawling Out of the Darkness, Part 1](#)
23. [FloodGate Hosts Dr. Mimi Syed: ‘What I Saw in Gaza was Apocalyptic’](#)
24. [Ireland Accuses Israel of ‘Genocidal Activity, War Crimes’ in Gaza](#)
25. [Thoughts On The Israeli Embassy Staff Killings Caitlin Johnstone](#)
26. Israel's "final solution" for Palestinians. <https://www.jewishvoiceforpeace.org/2025/05/21/israels-final-solution-for-palestinians/>
27. [Today's Hitler Says "Free Palestine" Is Today's "Heil Hitler"](#)
28. [Podcast: Unsilenced: Poems for Palestine](#)
29. [Voices from Solitary: Crawling Out of the Darkness, Part 2](#)
30. [Palestine Post: A Genocide Foretold w/ Chris Hedges – Spring Fund Drive Special](#)
31. [Why South Africa Is Torn Over the Trump-Ramaphosa Showdown](#)
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38. [Since George Floyd's Murder, Police Killings Keep Rising, Not Falling](#)
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41. [Trump's Useful Idiots](#) Chris Hedges
42. [Gaza Aid Center Overrun by Starving Crowds, US Personnel Flee](#)
43. [My Son Was Killed in My Arms, My Husband beside Me – A Gaza Mother's Testimony](#)
44. [If You Don't Oppose The Gaza Holocaust, You've Been Wasting Your Life On This Planet](#)
45. ['Court of Conscience' – First Public Session of Gaza Tribunal Begins in Sarajevo](#)
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51. Gaza Ceasefire – Full Translation of Hamas' Response to Witkoff Proposal <https://www.palestinechronicle.com/gaza-ceasefire-full-translation-of-hamas-response-to-witkoff-proposal/>
52. [Gaza Genocide: Fragmented Reflections on the 'Time of Monsters'](#)
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54. ['Why I Self-Deported': Cornell Scholar Momodou Taal Speaks to The Palestine Chronicle](#)
55. June 2025 Books Through Bars's Pride Month book drive "Please help Books Through Bars stock up on LGBTQ+ titles for the coming months. \$30 purchases an assortment of three titles (43% off retail)*" Order at <https://www.freebirdbooks.com/shop.html>
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58. [UCSF Fired Me for My Protected Speech](#) I am fighting back for our Collective Voice.
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75. ['I Wished for Death: A Palestinian Man's Torture at a Checkpoint](#)
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12. [Palestinians describe being treated like animals as chaos breaks out again at U.S.-run aid site in Gaza](#)
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The Spirit of Mandela Coalition & the Peoples' Senate Organizing Committee

**DID YOU KNOW that in 2021, the U.S was found GUILTY
of five accounts of genocide against Black, Brown, and Indigenous people??**

Dear Friend and Fellow Freedom Fighter,

The Spirit of Mandela Coalition, following up on the October 2021 International Tribunal verdict finding the US Guilty of Genocide against Black, Brown, and Indigenous people (see full verdict [HERE](#)), is calling for the building of a new mass grassroots formation: The Peoples' Senate. The people need to govern and represent themselves in combating genocide and addressing their right to a just and humane existence. Our vision is for the Peoples' Senate, organized directly by our oppressed communities, to grow into a body which will serve that purpose.

Today our communities face the most egregious violations of our human rights since the civil rights and Black power movements of the 1960s and '70s. Conditions we are living under include random mass shootings, right-wing vigilante attacks, police violence and murder, environmental racism, the reassertion of "states rights" (the "right" of states to ignore basic human rights), and healthcare racism. The US government dangerously scapegoats immigrants; causes destabilization, extreme violence, bombing, and killing of Black, Brown, Indigenous, and poor people all over the globe – and spends billions of dollars to do it; and keeps hundreds of thousands of people living in homelessness and poverty in the US. Our communities are facing targeted attacks against voting rights, workers' rights, women's rights, and Indigenous Peoples' rights as right-wing elected officials and appointed judges roll back decades of hard-won battles for justice. While out-voting right-wing candidates during elections is important, voting alone will not be enough. We must organize to put more pressure on the system for major change.

The US Congress and Senate are representatives of the rich and powerful. They refuse to address the necessity for universal healthcare or a sound nationwide infrastructure providing access to clean water and other necessities. Corporations ignore and violate the needs of the planet while evading their fair share of taxes. US prisons are filled with Black, Brown, Indigenous, and poor people, many incarcerated for crimes they did not commit and/or serving sentences that far outweigh whatever criminal acts they may have committed. The oppressed national communities of Black, Brown, and Indigenous peoples all have political prisoners and prisoners of war incarcerated since the 1960s until today, who have fought for our liberation and are being held in prison unjustly or only released when near death. We want them all freed now!

Building our own Peoples' Senate will enable us to organize locally from a position of strength and connect local activists with others, in other parts of the country, who may be pursuing similar goals while electing

“Senators” who are mandated to represent our interests and demands. A Peoples’ Senate can fight for changes that protect and ensure our right to vote, our right to control our own bodies, our right to live free from discrimination as LGBTQ+ people, our rights to living wages and safe working conditions, our rights to sovereignty and dignity, and our rights to live free from state violence and abuse.

We invite you to take a look at the attached introduction titled [The Peoples’ Senate At A Glance](#). We will present a series of webinar discussions about the Peoples' Senate followed by local and regional meetings to get input and guidance from a wide range of experiences for this organizing project. If you are interested in joining with us in launching these initial steps to build a Peoples’ Senate, please fill out the on-line form [HERE](#) as soon as you can. Thank you.

**Peoples’ Senate Organizing Committee,
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Full Verdict: <https://www.tribunal2021.com/full-final-verdict>

At-A-Glance: <https://spiritofmandela.org/peoples-senate/>

Online form: <https://form.jotform.com/223385849177066>

Section 4: Closing



Moving Forward

As we move towards accomplishing our goals, we seek to continue to form new alliances to help build a more unified front both nationally and internationally. We look forward to expanding our scope of services as well as increasing our dedicated members, especially reaching out to the youth to carry on the torch of justice for not only our beloved freedom fighters who are now elders **still** in these dungeons, but also for those Political Prisoners who are to come in the future-and surely, they will, given the escalating oppression and fascism that is swiftly seeping through every “right” in this country. Unless a sudden change permeates the power structures, the number of political prisoners will grow. COINTELPRO is still alive and running many missives in which to entrap those who oppose the tyrannical, oppressive & racism regime. Our hope is to unify the people who truly want to move forward towards a better future for all, **not just some**—and to use the power of unified numbers to stand as strong as a spider web against those who have chosen a destructive path to abolish human rights. As our Political Prisoners/Prisoners of War are aging and too many have already died behind these dungeon walls, it is imperative that we as a collective, continue to go even harder in the quest for their freedom. They have been waiting patiently... for 30, 40, 50 years. As Jericho has withstood many obstacles in the past 20+ years, we are still here, and we will not fall back. We are relentless in bringing our beloved freedom fighters’ home. *“For to be free is not merely to cast off one’s chains, but to live in a way that respects and enhances the freedom of others.”* —Nelson Mandela

Gratitude and Appreciation

It is with great gratitude that we express our sincere appreciation to you-our supporters. Without your help, we could not accomplish all that we do for our Political Prisoner’s/Prisoners of War. From helping their families visit them, to assisting with legal and medical needs, to putting monies in their commissary as well as providing forums wherein we can hold events to educate others about our Political Prisoners/Prisoners of War, your

support helps make this possible. We know it, and our Political Prisoner's/Prisoners of War know it as well. There is power in the people, and this is where freedom lies. It is because of people such as yourselves, who so graciously give of your time, your donations as well as your thoughts towards this cause, that brings us closer to the day when we can finally say-They are Home at Last....Can you imagine? **After sacrificing for the community**-the community is the one who brings them home. After languishing in a steel dungeon waiting for freedom for decades, when that door finally swings open and they finally step into their family's arms for good, it will be a powerful day indeed.

We are all links that join together as one. No act, no deed is too small. Together we are strong, powerful. We just have to keep going-as they did back in the days when they were fighting the same old oppressive, racist regime.

***"Freedom can never be taken for granted. Each generation must safeguard it and extend it. Your parents and elders sacrificed much so that you should have freedom without suffering what they did. Use this precious right to ensure that the darkness of the past never return."* —Nelson Mandela.**

Thank you-for safeguarding and extending the fight for justice, freedom, and human rights. There is a light down the way, it is called our children's eyes. May they know a better world.

As you know, the obstacles to helping free our political prisoners are immense. It is to challenge the superpower and its many facets. It is to fight repression through education, organizing, mobilizing, and creating a movement that embraces freedom and dignity for all people and freedom for all Political Prisoners.

Your financial support at this time is needed for Jericho's continued work and effectiveness.

If you cannot support financially, please do continue to read our newsletters, share them widely, tell others about our Political Prisoners/Prisoners of War-volunteer to help us if you can, for everything matters and no sincere deed is left unnoticed. We are the ones, for a prisoner's options are limited, we have the key, we just have to figure out together, how to unlock those doors.

Free all Political Prisoners!

In Struggle and Gratitude, The National Jericho Movement

Steering Committee

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