

A Film:

REVOLUTION OR DEATH

a program in
solidarity
with the
revolution in
El Salvador

Speaker:
from Casade
El Salvador

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On Sunday evening, April 12th, the Moncada Library is holding a program in solidarity with the people of El Salvador in their struggle for national liberation against the fascist junta and u.s. imperialism.

The liberation struggle is intensifying. The Farabundo Marti Front for National Liberation (F.M.L.N.) is leading the armed struggle, based in the workers, peasants, and the indigenous peoples; and the broad masses of the Salvadorean people are united in the Revolutionary Democratic Front. General strikes, mass resistance, guerilla warfare: all are part of a protracted people's war that is supported by freedom-loving people and nations all over the world. The junta is responsible for mass murders of tens of thousands of people -- activists, freedom fighters, doctors, priests and nuns, lawyers -- all who give support to the struggle. Right-wing paramilitary death-squads methodically carry out assassinations and massacres in the vain attempt to terrorize the masses and crush the liberation struggle.

Illiteracy, starvation, terror: this is genocide against the vast majority of El Salvadorean people, oppressed by the fascist dictatorship for the benefit of a tiny handful of wealthy families and for u.s. imperialism.

The Reagan Administration is using cold-war rhetoric and war-mongering to justify its full support for the fascist regime, and direct military intervention into El Salvador. It is one year since Nicaragua's successful revolution; the struggle in Guatemala and in all of Central America is heightening, and in Puerto Rico, the u.s.' "own" colony, the revolutionary armed clandestine movement for independence and socialism is growing. The u.s. has been unable to destroy Cuba, and Grenada is a free socialist nation. Another revolutionary victory in Latin America is a serious threat to u.s. domination. El Salvador occupies a strategic position in u.s. imperialism's blueprint for suppressing revolution in Central and Latin America. El Salvador is, as Haig says, #1 on the u.s. "hit list" in that region: with 500 military advisors, millions of dollars in Congressional aid, and highly-trained fascist mercenaries while u.s.-controlled institutions like the Inter-American Development Bank are financing over \$530 million to the regime in "economic aid" (N.Y. Times, 4/1/81).

Imperialism is in deep crisis, pushed into its final decline by victorious national liberation struggles in the Third World. Imperialism no longer controls the land, labor, markets and resources of the millions of African, Asian and Latin American peoples that it did 25 years ago. The u.s. response is heightened genocide against oppressed nations inside and outside this country. The "war against terrorism" is the code word for the government's brutal counter-insurgency warfare against freedom fighters and liberation movements such as El Salvador, Palestine, Namibia, Puerto Rico and New Afrika. The destruction of Third World communities in this city, the slashing of social services, such as daycare and foodstamps, mass sterilization of women, the rise of the Klan and police terror: this is genocide. The crisis is having an impact on white working class people as well.

White working class women and youth face the prospect of the draft, no decent employment, no abortion. Imperialism's strategy is to mobilize white people to fight for white supremacy and fascism ... as mercenaries, as the KKK, as the armed forces and police ... against national liberation struggles here and around the world. But white women must make a choice whether we will be part of this strategy, or whether we will fight for our rights and our liberation as part of an overall struggle against genocide and for human rights. The lives of women are being changed in revolutions throughout the world. Women are taking up arms against colonialism and imperialism and are participating in the building of socialism. 40% of the F.M.L.N. guerillas, in all levels of leadership, are women. 30,000 Nicaraguan women comprise a mass women's organization that fights for the just demands of women in revolutionary society.

Particularly among young people, opposition to u.s. military build-up and intervention in El Salvador is growing in the u.s. But the slogan "No More Vietnams" denies that Vietnam meant the decisive defeat of u.s. imperialism by an oppressed and colonized nation! Che Guevara called for "2, 3, many Vietnams". In the 60's and 70's the Black liberation movement led in building a revolutionary movement inside this country to support the Vietnamese national liberation struggle, a movement that built resistance to the draft by saying, "hell no, we won't go -- our war is here in amerikkka" -- a movement that organized thousands of young white people to anti-imperialism, that had an impact on the Vietnamese people's ability to win!

This is the kind of movement we must build in solidarity with El Salvador, with Namibia, with the continuing struggle in Zimbabwe to build socialism, with the liberation of all of southern Africa. It means fighting against pacifism, that denies oppressed peoples the right to fight, by any means necessary, against the genocide of imperialism. It means fighting to defeat the white supremacist position that separates the liberation struggle in El Salvador from those in southern Africa, and both from the liberation of the Black nation here. It means building a movement to fight the growth of white supremacist terror and fascism inside the u.s., and how that is being built in communities like Park Slope; a movement that supports the struggles of Third World peoples for self-determination.

VICTORY TO EL SALVADOR! 2,3, MANY VIETNAMS! DEFEAT U.S. IMPERIALISM!