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September



ATTICA

50th Anniversary

On Sept 9, 1971, the Attica Prison Uprising began. Prisoners unified across racial lines and took control of the Attica state prison in upstate New York, issuing a slate of 28 demands on Sept. 11. On the 13th, state police murderously retook the prison; 39 prisoners and hostages were killed by in the massacre--all by police. Survivors faced torture and repression.

In recent years, prison strikes and outside solidarity actions have occurred on Sept. 9 in commemoration and in furtherance of the abolitionist struggle the Attica rebels lived and inspired. Mass actions inside prisons are already being organized for 2022.

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RICARDO LEVINS MORALES ART STUDIO			1 NFL player Colin Kaepernick kneels during national anthem to protest police violence, inspiring many others to do the same. 2016.	2	3	4 Paul Robeson performs after earlier appearance postponed due to anti-black and anti-Semitic riots. Peekskill, NY. 1949.
5	6	7	8	9 On 45th anniversary of the Attica Rebellion, 20,000 prisoners across 11 states begin the largest prison strike in U.S history demanding an end to prison slavery. 2016.	10	11 CIA coup topples Chilean democracy and imposes a dictatorship. 1973 Hijacked airliners are flown into the World Trade Center and Pentagon. US declares permanent war. 2001.
12	13	14	15	16	17 Occupy Wall Street begins its NYC encampment, sparking widespread protests against corporate power over democracy. 2011.	18 Jane Addams and Ellen Gates Starr, who linked art and labor causes, open Hull House to help immigrants in Chicago. 1889.
19 Hundreds of thousands march in DC protesting Reagan's mass firing of air traffic controllers, part of an all out offensive against organized labor. 1981.	20	21 St. Patrick's Battalion, including many Irish U.S. Army defectors, sees its first recognized battle for Mexico in the Mexican-American War. 1846.	22 Emancipation Proclamation announces the end of legal slavery (except for prisoners) in US. 1862.	23	24	25
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