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FOR OUR  
LIVES**





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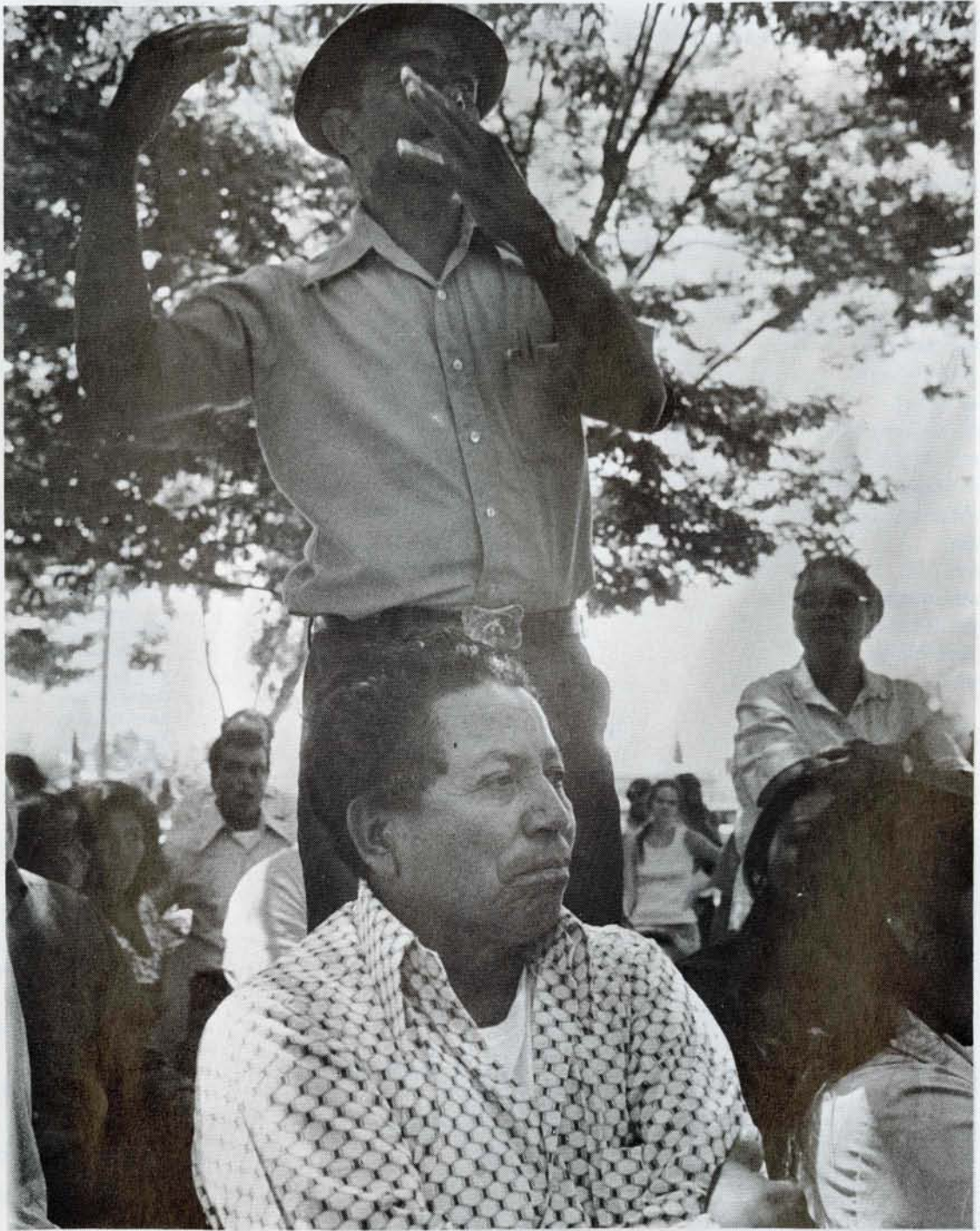


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STATEMENT OF EARNINGS AND DEDUCTIONS FOR  
EMPLOYEE'S RECORD COVERING PAY PERIOD TO  
AND INCLUDING DATE SHOWN BELOW

RICARDO HINOJOSA

DATE July 6, 1974

TO M. Peña

TOTAL WAGES	<u>137.02</u>
SOCIAL SECURITY TAX	<u>9.39</u>
WITHHOLDING U. S. INCOME TAX	
S. D. I.	
STATE INCOME TAX	
<u>borde</u>	<u>77.50</u>
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TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	
AMOUNT THIS CHECK	<u>30.16</u>

Pay stub of an undocumented worker in Fresno County. The worker will never see any Social Security. The labor contractor charges \$77.50 for bad food and unsanitary housing and deducts \$20 for the cost of smuggling the worker into the U.S. The total smuggling fee is usually \$250-\$400.

Thirteen years ago, in April, 1962, Cesar Chavez, Helen his wife, and their eight children moved into a two-bedroom house on Kensington Street, Delano. At approximately the same time, the AFL-CIO decided to strengthen its drive to organize farm workers and dispatched fresh organizers to several locations in the state. The California Migrant Ministry, now known as the National Farm Worker Ministry, took the historic step of placing staff in the fields along side union organizers. And, in the deep South, a campaign to liberate Black Americans was raging.

Between 1962 and September, 1965, the fledgling National Farm Worker Association, formed by Cesar and a handful of determined organizers, grew to several thousand members. A credit union, the first for migrant farm workers, an automotive cooperative, a newspaper, service center, and death benefit insurance plan were established. . . all without foundation or government grants, depending solely upon the will of the farm worker union members for support.

But in that incredible September of 1965, four mighty streams — the NFWA, the religious, civil rights and labor movements converged to support what is now known as the Great Delano Grape Strike.

Members of the predominantly Filipino AFL-CIO and the Chicano NFWA formed a joint strike committee dedicated to bringing the powerful table grape growers of California to the bargaining table. Their strike was met by sheriff's deputies at riot alert, dogs, private police, guns, helicopter patrols, and of course strike-breakers recruited by labor contractors. The American Farm Bureau, the Chamber of Commerce, John Birch Society, and later the Nixon-Reagan Axis, joined hands in an alliance of Right-Might, determined to crush the farm workers' movement. The United Auto Workers, International Longshoremens and Warehousemen's Union, and other independent labor organizations threw their weight behind La Causa. And even then, the battle, as in so many in the agricultural fields before, looked hopeless.

Then a new tactic was tried. In spite of those who said it wouldn't work, a consumer boycott of table grapes was launched. Student volunteers and farm workers literally rode the rails and hitch hiked to distant cities to ask the public not to buy grapes. Through a sacrifice rarely exceeded in the history of the American Labor Movement, workers from the lush vineyards fanned out across the entire world. Like a fist slowly closing, the grip on grower profits tightened, until, in the summer of 1970, table grape growers from Coachella to Chowchilla trooped up to the bargaining table and made their peace with the new farm workers union, now called United Farm Workers, AFL-CIO.



Meanwhile, other skirmishes were fought and won: Gallo, Almaden, Christian Brothers, Novitiate, Franzia, Perelli-Minetti, Schenley, and Italian Swiss Colony felt the sting of the strike and boycott, fought back, and finally signed contracts with the union. Thus, almost 60,000 migrant farm workers covered by union contracts saw their labor respected, their wages raised from 90 cents to \$2.50 per hour, their health protected by a medical plan, and their lives lengthened by protections against deadly organo-phosphate pesticides in the fields. For a while it seemed that the dreadful statistic quoted by the U.S. Department of Labor, that farm workers enjoy a life expectancy of only 49 years, would be erased and forgotten. Victorious and exhausted, farm worker organizers returned to their homes to begin to enjoy the fruits of the long struggle. But barely before the ink was dry on the grape contracts, signed in the summer of 1970, the International Brotherhood of Teamsters announced a campaign to wipe out the momentum of the UFW by signing contracts with all the lettuce growers in the Salinas Valley. Outraged, UFW members in the lettuce fields carried out the largest and most effective agricultural strike in the history of the United States.

In a matter of days, however, the picketing was prohibited by the growers' traditional friends, the medieval-minded, black-robed rural judges. Undaunted, the union pressed forward with a boycott of head lettuce, which continues to this day.

Meanwhile, labor peace settled over the vineyards. Even the hated labor contractors, with their man-slaughtering buses, were driven from the fields and replaced by hiring halls. In 1972, just ten years after Cesar, Helen and family had moved to Delano, the number of migrant children graduating from high school had risen 700%. Farm workers were settling down, participating in local politics, and enjoying long-sought stability.

Then, on April 16, 1973, these table grape contracts expired in Coachella Valley. The outlook was not good for renewal. In fact, labor leaders, churchmen, and journalists were appalled to hear of the incredible alliance announced by Teamster International President, Frank Fitzsimmons at the annual convention of the American Farm Bureau. But there it was, out in the open, a blatant conspiracy between these two giants to destroy the United Farm Workers. In the face of appeals for reason from the National Conference of Bishops, the wedding took place. The Teamsters and the Growers honeymooned, and gave birth to a scrap of paper they named a contract.

Again, as in the lettuce dispute, the outraged farm workers struck with all their might. Again, the courts came to the defense of the agri-business Giants. And this time, in Kern County, the full force of the Sheriff's Department was thrown into the battle on the side of the Growers and Teamsters.

Over four thousand farm worker strikers were arrested for refusing to obey unconstitutional injunctions. Hundreds were gassed and beaten. Two were killed.

The Gallo Wine Company and the table grape growers have all signed contracts with the Teamster without permitting their workers the simple dignity of casting a vote for the union of their choice. Farm workers have been robbed of their union contracts and today are in slavery. They must pay dues to Frank Fitzsimmon's union against their will, or be fired.

And so, Gallo, grape and lettuce strikers are boycotting again.

They are fighting for their lives.

Fight beside them.





**VIVA LA CAUSA!**

**Victory to the UFW, Cesar, and  
the dedicated workers, in the  
greatest cause of our time.**


**VIVA CHAVEZ!**

**Jerome and Julie Harris  
Parents of Vivian and Jim Drake**

**Joan Palevsky**

**TO VICTORY!!!!**

**Syd Goldfarb and Friends**



**BOYCOTT  
non-UFW**

**GRAPES, HEAD LETTUCE**

**and**


**GALLO WINES**

**Art Torres  
Assemblyman - 56th District**



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**Local 213  
Leather Luggage, Handbag, & Allied  
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**We, who support the struggle of the  
Spanish Workers to build Trade Unions  
of their choice and their right to strike  
to better their living conditions**

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**The FARM WORKERS for their heroic  
contribution to the entire labor  
movement.**

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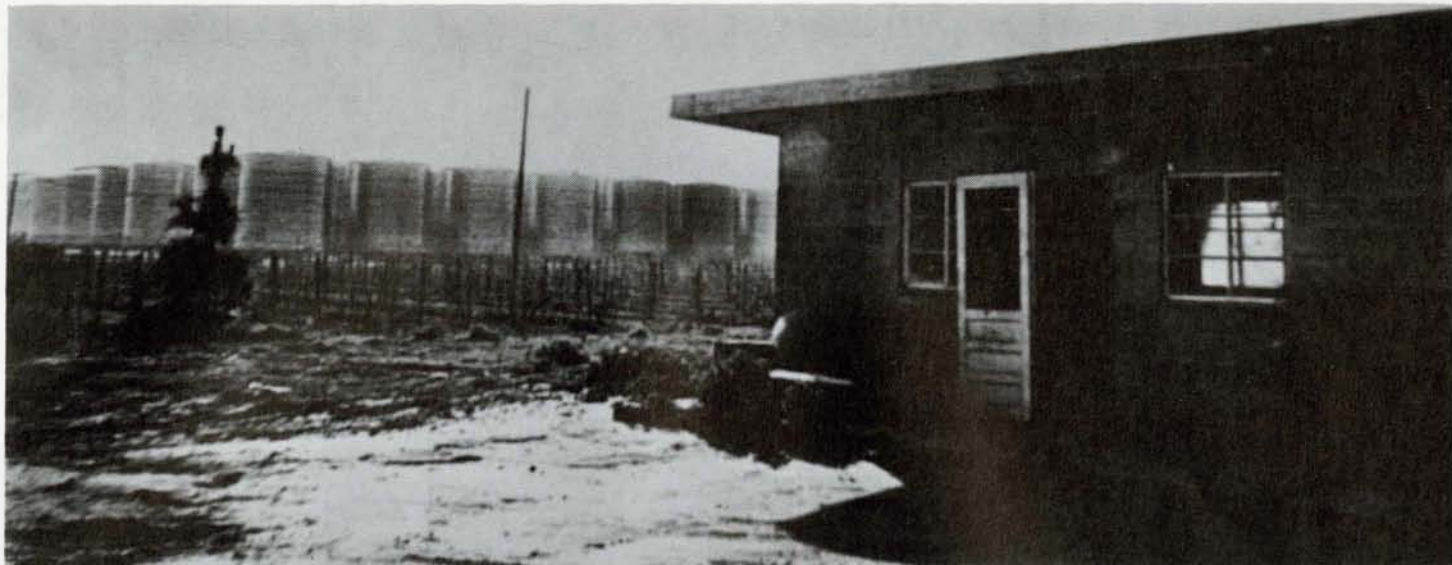


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Above: E. & J. Gallo wine tanks and Gallo Labor Camp No. 2. In the one room shown here lived Filipe Miramontes, his wife and their three daughters. The room lacks the most basic plumbing. In June, 1973, this family, along with dozens of other Gallo strikers were evicted, after refusing to work under a sweetheart Teamster contract. Below: A Gallo Striker working on the boycott in San Francisco.





*We urge all trade unionists . . .  
all working men and women  
. . . to further their support  
of our brothers and sisters in the UFWA*



*Los Angeles County Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO*





Above: Jerry Whipple, Regional Director, United Auto Workers, Region 6.

Below: Sigmund Arywitz, Executive Secretary-Treasurer Los Angeles County Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO and Charles Bratton, President of United Steelworkers, Local 1845.





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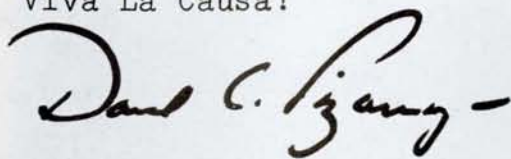
April 16, 1975

To the United Farm Workers of America, AFL-CIO:

Those of us at TELECU wish to express our support for the United Farm Workers and their boycott of grapes, head lettuce, and Gallo wines (all wines made in Modesto, Ca.).

We further applaud their new documentary film, FIGHTING FOR OUR LIVES, depicting the historic and valient strike of 1973.

Viva La Causa!



David C. Lizarraga, Director

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**SEIU Local 660 supports its brothers  
and sisters in the UFW.**

**We believe in your struggle because  
it is ours too.**

# VIVA LA CAUSA!



**Local 660, SEIU (AFL-CIO)  
Los Angeles County Employees Association**





**THE AMERICAN FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE WISHES  
THEIR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN THE UNITED FARM  
WORKERS OF AMERICA CONTINUING STRENGTH AND COURAGE  
IN THEIR GREAT STRUGGLE FOR DIGNITY AND JUSTICE.**

**“but they who wait for the Lord  
shall renew their strength,  
they shall mount up with wings  
like eagles,  
they shall run and not be weary,  
they shall walk and not be faint.”**

**—Isaiah**

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### **JOINS UNITED FARM WORKERS STRUGGLE!!**

**UAW Local 509, with a membership of ten thousand members located in eighty shops throughout Southern California, has been a continuous ally of the United Farm Workers' struggle since 1965.**

**The officers have not only followed the UAW — farm worker policies under the leadership of the late President Walter Reuther and President Leonard Woodcock, but have provided strong support to assure continued farm workers support throughout the membership of our great Union.**

**Many farm workers leave the fields and move into the industries of Southern California.**

**Local 509 appreciate help from those workers in our efforts to organize the unorganized.**

**Local 509 extends best wishes and offers continued support to the UFW efforts.**

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**"Those who profess to favor freedom yet deprecate agitation,  
are men who want crops without plowing up the ground; they  
want rain without thunder and lightening. They want the  
ocean without the awful of its mighty waters."**

**...Frederick Douglass**

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**The Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers  
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**The United Farm Workers of America on the  
second anniversary of their strike in the  
Coachella Valley and wish them success in their  
efforts to organize the agricultural workers of  
this nation.**

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**OUR EVERLASTING SUPPORT TO  
THE UNITED FARMWORKERS OF  
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**"Justice, Justice shall you pursue"**

**...Deuteronomy 16:20**

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people listed below who responded  
without question when I asked for  
their support for such a worthy cause."**

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Frances Genevieve (age 6)**

**(Children of Frank and Inez Quevedo)**



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### Gallo

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CARLO ROSSI  
THUNDERBIRD  
ANDRE  
any wine with  
Modesto, Ca. on the  
label is GALLO.

Boycotts have been an  
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**To the United Farm Workers of America:**

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Look for the Union Label.



# SOLIDARITY FOREVER

Throughout the course of the United Farm Workers struggle for Union recognition, the United Auto Workers Union has proved itself a strong long-term ally. When the first strike was barely three months old, in December 1965, Walter P. Reuther, UAW President, went to Delano, California to pledge his Union's support for the fledgling UFW.

Days after assuming the UAW presidency, Leonard Woodcock showed his commitment to carry on the Union's fine tradition of Solidarity with the Farm Workers. President Woodcock joined Cesar Chavez in a downtown Detroit rally which began the journey of the historic "DELANO FREEDOM BELL". From Detroit, the UAW's hometown to Delano, the hometown of the UFW.

Since 1972 as Regional Director, I have followed my own dictates as well as the policy of our Union to support the Farm Worker's struggle wherever it is, and I pledge the continued support of UAW Region 6 in the future.

LONG LIVE THE UFW!

VIVA LA CAUSA!



JERRY WHIPPLE  
Director, UAW Region 6



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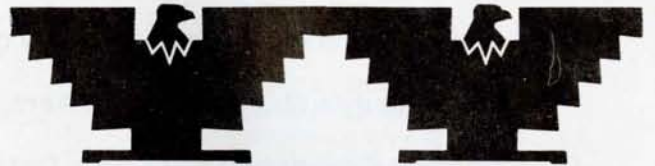
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THE UNITED RUBBER WORKERS TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO RENEW OUR PLEDGE  
TO SUPPORT WHOLEHEARTEDLY OUR SISTERS AND BROTHERS OF THE UNITED  
FARM WORKERS.

MAY THEY SOON HARVEST THE FRUITS OF THEIR TOIL, NOT ONLY IN THE FIELDS,  
BUT IN THE COURTS AND AT THE BARGAINING TABLE.

MAY THE STRUGGLE FOR THE SURVIVAL OF THEIR UNION BE AN EXAMPLE FOR  
ALL AND BE THE FOUNDATION FOR EVEN STRONGER UNIONS OF MEN AND WOMEN  
DEDICATED TO THE PRINCIPLE OF DIGNITY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL WORKING  
PEOPLE.

VIVA LA CAUSA!

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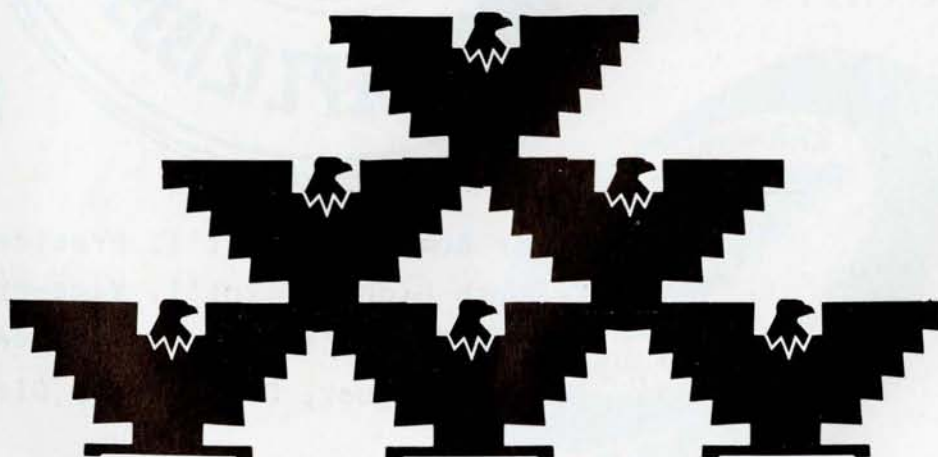
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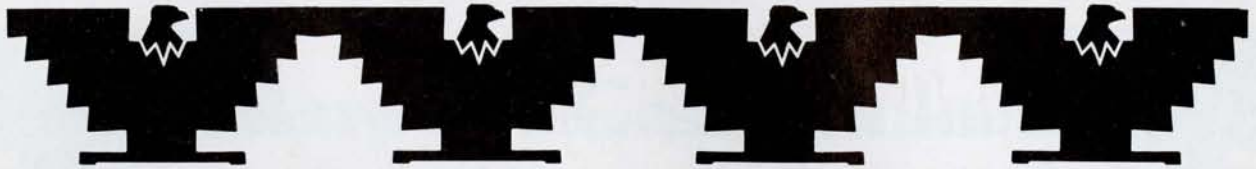
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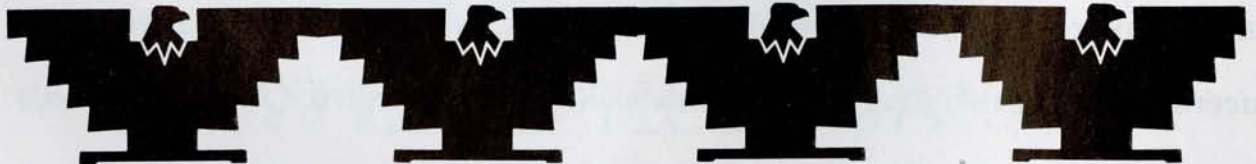
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**Lest we forget!**

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***“Viva La Huelga y el Boicoteo!”***

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**Cesar Chavez has become the voice of thousands whose fight is everyone's concern. The Farmworkers have become visible, vocal and vital, and their needs deserve attention and action”.**

**Congressman James C. Corman**

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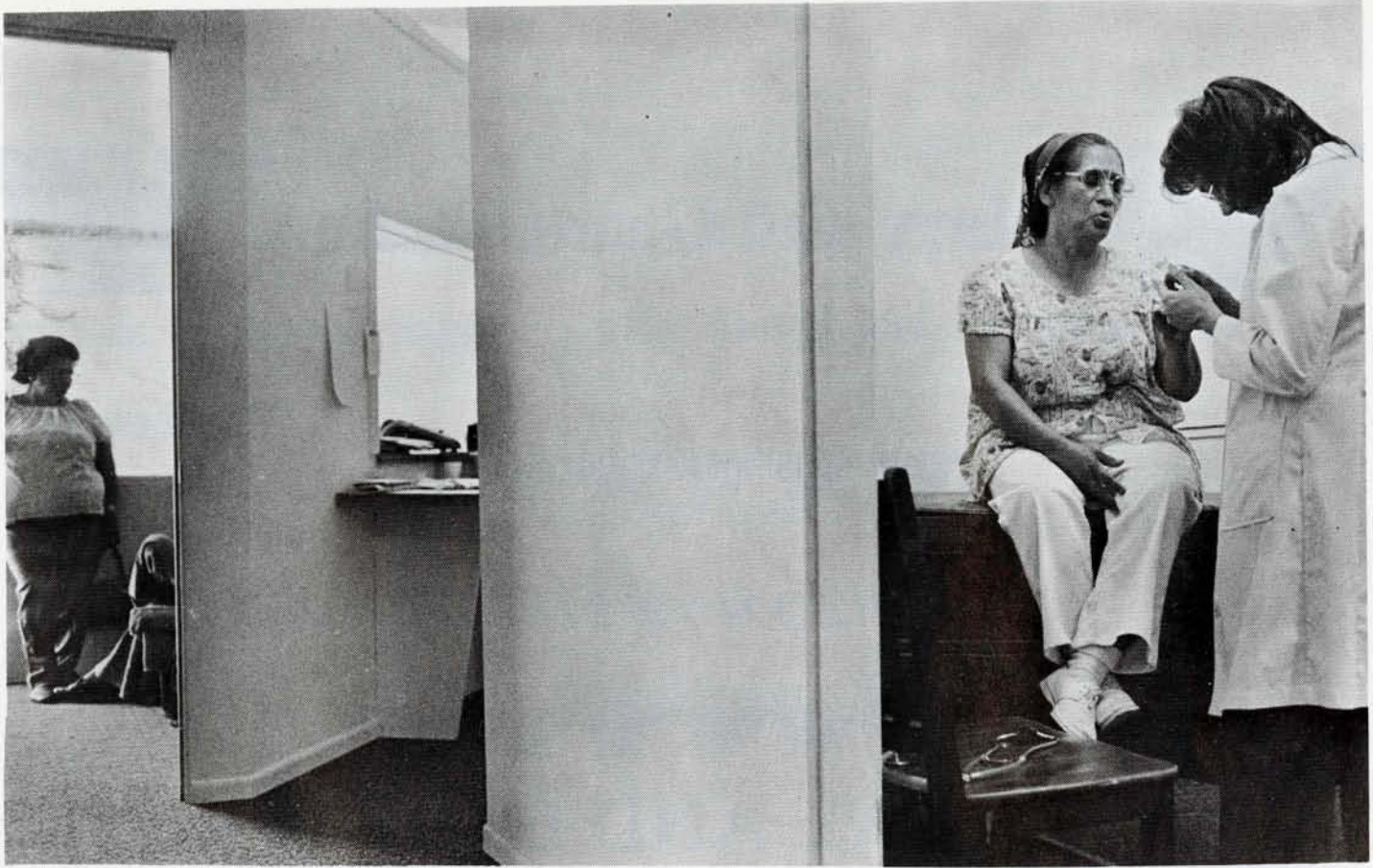
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Farm Workers receiving treatment in one of the four clinics built and administered by their own union under the RFK Medical Plan. Photo: Bob Fitch.

"Show me a country in which there  
are no strikes and I'll show  
you a country where there is no  
liberty."

...Samuel Gompers

**LIBERTAD PARA TODOS!**



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My prayers and my best wishes  
for a peaceful solution of this  
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To United Farm Worker Members. . .

*Our pledge of support until  
justice comes to California's  
corporate acres.*

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To a magnificent struggle. . .

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The Doctors and Staff of  
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Your committment to non-violence shows those who  
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Many have made the extreme sacrifice.

They believe in the dignity of man.

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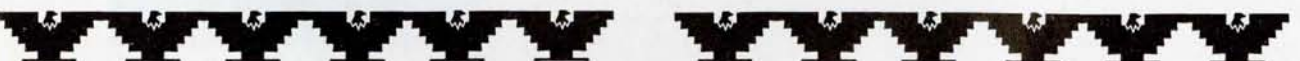
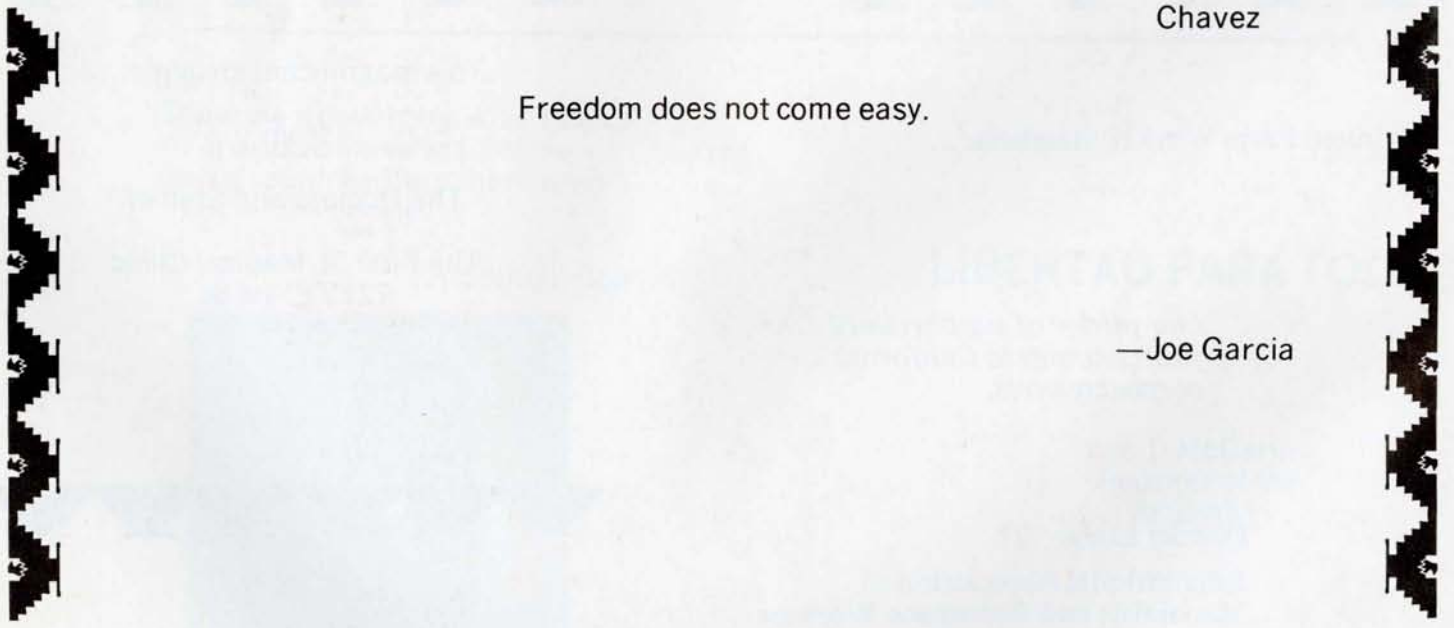
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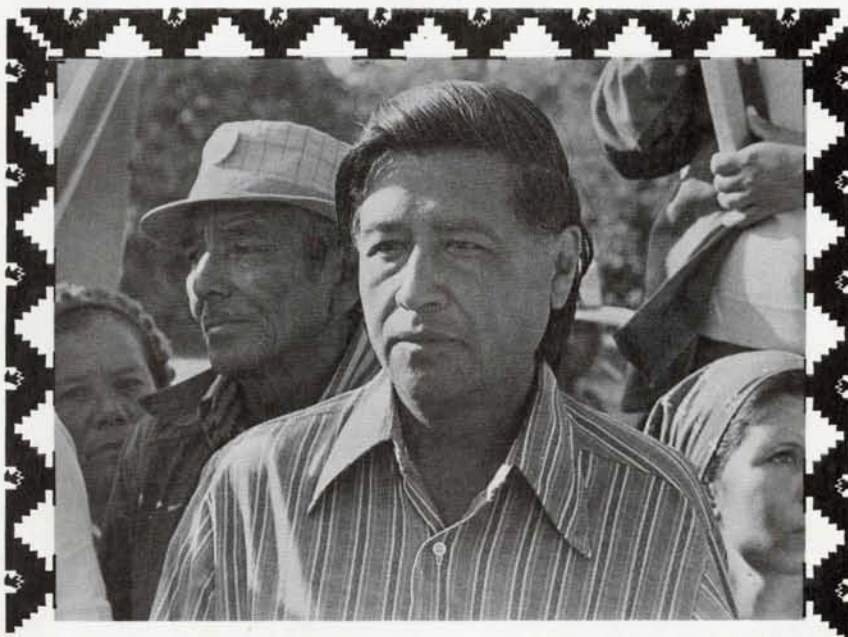


FREEDOM DOESN'T COME LIKE A BIRD ON A WING,  
DOESN'T COME LIKE THE SUMMER RAIN,  
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YOU'VE GOT TO WORK FOR IT  
FIGHT FOR IT, DAY AND NIGHT FOR IT.....  
AND EVERY GENERATIONS GOT TO WIN IT AGAIN.



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