

Dick Meister – Collected Writings on the UFW

Introduction

I've been privileged to cover the United Farm Workers and labor generally for more than a half-century, currently as a freelance commentator, previously as a reporter for The Associated Press, PBS Station KQED/TV in San Francisco and other news outlets, as labor editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, as a broadcaster on KQED/FM, various Pacifica Radio stations and a variety of other public stations nationwide. My articles, columns and commentaries have been used by more than 200 newspapers, magazines and broadcast and online outlets. I co-authored, with Anne Loftis, "A Long Time Coming: The Struggle to Unionize America's Farm Workers" (Macmillan, 1977). Included here is a sampling of my work from various outlets that I hope will add to an understanding of the UFW's extraordinary history and great importance to us all.

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