# White House Sidewalk

## Women's Suffrage



1914. Women's Suffrage March on White House Sidewalk

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:WOMAN\_SUFFRAGE.\_AT\_WHITE\_HOUSE\_WITH\_BANNERS\_LCCN2016865183.tif



between 1917 and 1918. Women's suffrage demonstration on White House sidewalk.

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Suffragettes\_at\_Washington,\_District\_of\_Columbia\_bonfire\_at\_White\_House.\_-\_NARA\_-\_533785.tif



1917. Women's suffrage picketing at White House sidewalk

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:WOMAN\_SUFFRAGE\_PICKETS\_AT\_WHITE\_HOU SE\_07351v.jpg

# Anti-Lynching



1946. Protestors demand that President Truman take action against lynching, 1946. (© Bettmann/Getty Images.)

Source: https://lynchinginamerica.eji.org/report/



An anti-lynching demonstration by the National Association of Colored Women (NACW).

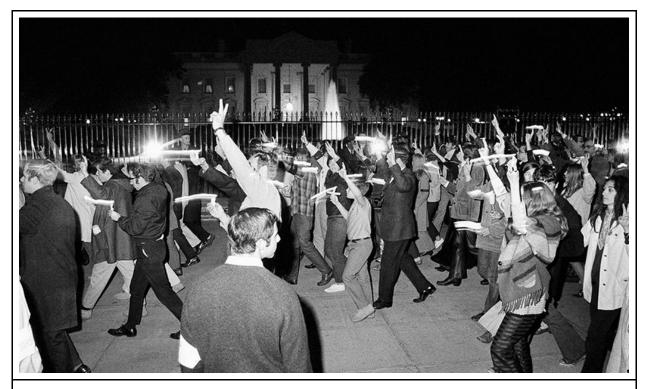
Source: https://farm6.static.flickr.com/5573/15014476997\_1382825b2b\_b.jpg



African Americans had long endured a physical and social landscape of white supremacy, embedded in policy, social codes, and both intimate and spectacular forms of racial restriction and violence. By the 1950s the black freedom movement raised a collective call of "No More"!

Source: http://exhibitions.nypl.org/africanaage/essay-civil-rights.html

### Protests Against the Vietnam War



October 15, 1969. Peace marchers, carrying candles, pass the White House during the hourlong procession which ended the Vietnam Moratorium Day activities in Washington at night on Oct. 15, 1969

Source: https://www.smithsonianmag.com/history/suffrage-civil-rights-war-and-puppets-when-and-why-americans-have-marched-washington-180961809/#EVGJQd8ZDS5HXCUi.99



1968. Anti-war demonstrators picketing in front of the White House on Jan. 19, 1968

Source: http://time.com/5106608/protest-1968/



July 7, 1969, Washington, DC, USA — Members and supporters of the American Friends Service Committee (Quakers) hold a "meeting of worship" sit-in outside the White House as a delegation continues a discussion of Vietnam policy with presidential advisor Henry Kissinger inside. — Image by © Bettmann/CORBIS

Source: https://uwpressblog.com/2015/05/27/behind-the-covers-radical-theatrics-2/



April 17, 1965, Washington, DC, USA — This is part of the estimated 5,000 students who picketed in front of the White House today to protest the U.S. policy in Southeast Asia and demand an end to the war in Vietnam. Hundreds of extra police were on duty to help keep order. — Image by © Bettmann/CORBIS

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### 1987 National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights



1987. The 1987 National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights (Washington Blade archive photo by Doug Hinckle).

Source: https://www.nglcc.org/blog/lgbt-history-national-march-washington-lesbian-and-gay-rights

## Protests Against the Gulf War



1991. Gulf War and Punk Percussion protest featuring local punk band Fugazi.

#### Source:

https://www.dischord.com/fugazi\_live\_series/washington-dc-usa-11291

### Longest Walk 2 - American Indian Movement



2008. To commemorate the 30th anniversary of the 1978 historic march, 1,000 Indians and their supporters arrived with drums, and chants and prayers concluding a five-month, combined 8,000 mile march.

#### Source:

https://www.indianz.com/News/2008/07/23/final\_call\_longest\_walk\_2\_arri.asp

### No U.S. Intervention in Libya



2011. Protestors at the July 9 demonstration at the White House to demand "Stop Bombing Libya!"

#### Source:

http://www.answercoalition.org/thousands\_protest\_us\_bombing\_of\_libya\_final\_call\_07\_09\_20 11



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# No War on Syria



2013. Anti-war demonstrations protesting U.S. intervention in Syria.

Source: http://www.answercoalition.org/protests\_no\_war\_on\_syria

### **Immigrant Rights**



2014. Immigration reform activists in front of the White House march and chant following President Barack Obama's speech on his executive action on immigration policies on Thursday, Nov. 20, 2014.

Source: https://www.pbs.org/newshour/nation/heres-why-it-took-6-years-for-obama-to-act-on-immigration

## Forward on Climate Rally



2013. Students at Forward on Climate rally for environmental justice on White House sidewalk.

#### Source:

https://www.thea-blast.org/news/2013/02/20/students-attend-forward-on-climate-rally/

### **Black Lives Matter**



November 24, 2014. Peaceful protesters took to the streets in D.C. as news spread that the Ferguson grand jury would not indict police Officer Darren Wilson.

Source: https://www.nbcwashington.com/news/local/Ferguson-protests-DC-darren-wilson-michael-brown-283053101.html



July 8, 2016. Protestors march in front of the White House for Police Reform in Washington, USA on July 8, 2016.

Source: https://www.gettyimages.at/detail/nachrichtenfoto/protestors-march-in-front-of-the-white-house-for-nachrichtenfoto/545606642



July 7, 2016. People rally near the White House during over protest about police brutality, Thursday, July 7, 2016, in Washington

Source: https://www.afro.com/d-c-protestors-affirm-black-lives-matter-in-march-to-the-capitol/

## LGBTQ Rights



2015. Gay rights demonstration on White House sidewalk

Source: https://www.independent.co.uk/news/world/americas/gay-marriage-despite-supreme-court-decision-americans-still-split-on-same-sex-marriage-10405127.html

# National Mall & Lincoln Memorial

### 1963 March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom



1963. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. speaks before crowd at March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom

Source: <a href="https://www.mprnews.org/story/2015/08/26/photos-mlk-dream-speech">https://www.mprnews.org/story/2015/08/26/photos-mlk-dream-speech</a>. AFP Getty Images 1963.



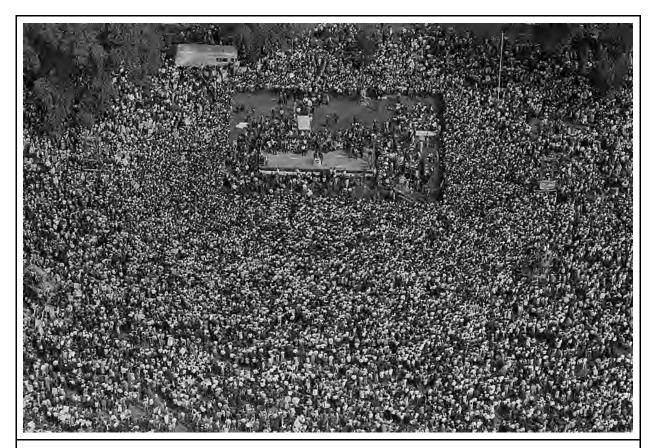
1963. View of the crowd at 1963 Civil Rights March on Washington, D.C. A wide-angle view of marchers along the mall, showing the Reflecting Pool and the Washington Monument.

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:View\_of\_Crowd\_at\_1963\_March\_on\_Washington.jpg



1963. Crowds at March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom at Lincoln Memorial.

https://www.nytimes.com/2017/01/21/us/marches-in-washington-american-history.html



1963. Aerial view of crowd and stage at the March on Washington, 1963

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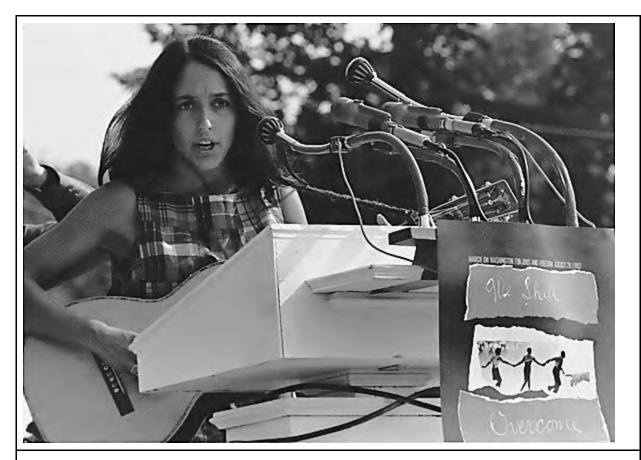
1963. Crowds surrounding the Reflecting Pool, during the 1963 March on Washington.

 $Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:March\_on\_Washington\_edit.jpg$ 



1963. Marchers, signs, and tent at the March on Washington, 1963

 $https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Marchers,\_signs,\_and\_tent\_at\_the\_March\_on\_Washington,\_1963.jpg$ 



1963. Civil Rights March on Washington, D.C. Entertainment: Vocalist <u>Joan Baez</u>. A sign hanging near the microphones reads "We Shall Overcome."

Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Joan\_Baez\_1963.jpg



1963. Civil Rights March on Washington, D.C. [Entertainment: Vocalist Odetta.]

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Civil\_Rights\_March\_on\_Washington,\_D.C.\_(Entertainment,\_Vocalist\_Odetta.)\_-\_NARA\_-\_542020.tif

# Poor People's Campaign 1968



1968. Rev. Ralph Abernathy and Other Demonstrators at the Poor People's Campaign Source: https://blackpast.org/aah/poor-peoples-campaign-december-4-1967-june-19-1968



1968. Poor People's March on Washington, D.C., 1968. Photo by Hulton Archive/Getty Images

https://sojo.net/articles/echoes-poor-peoples-campaign

### 1957 Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom



The 1957 Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom drew thousands to Washington to observe the third anniversary of the Supreme Court decision outlawing school segregation.

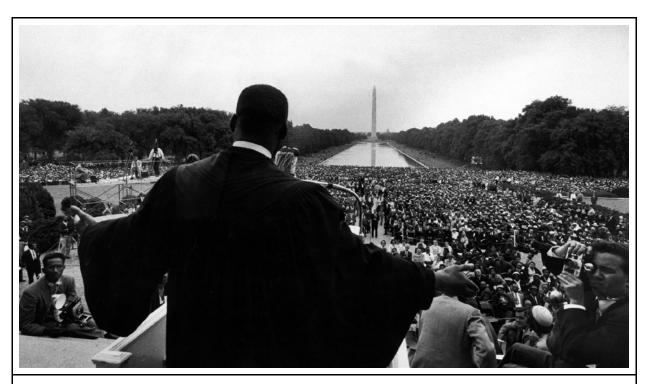
#### Source:

https://www.nytimes.com/2017/01/21/us/marches-in-washington-american-history.html



1957. Rallying point for Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom, 1957.

Source: http://time.com/4661317/prayer-pilgrimage-1957/



1957. Reverend Martin Luther King Jr. delivers the 'Give Us the Ballot' address at the Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom event on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial, Washington DC, 1957.

https://www.ozy.com/flashback/the-first-time-mlk-spoke-at-the-lincoln-memorial/83149



1957. Mahalia Jackson, the "Queen of Gospel," sings at the Prayer Pilgrimage of Freedom on May 17, 1957, in Washington.

http://blog.aarp.org/2015/01/23/civil-rights-songs-in-the-key-of-freedom-still-resonate/

## Protests Against the War in Vietnam



October 1967. Antiwar demonstrators against war in Vietnam in Washington in October, 1967.

Source: https://www.nytimes.com/2017/10/24/opinion/vietnam-antiwar-movement.html



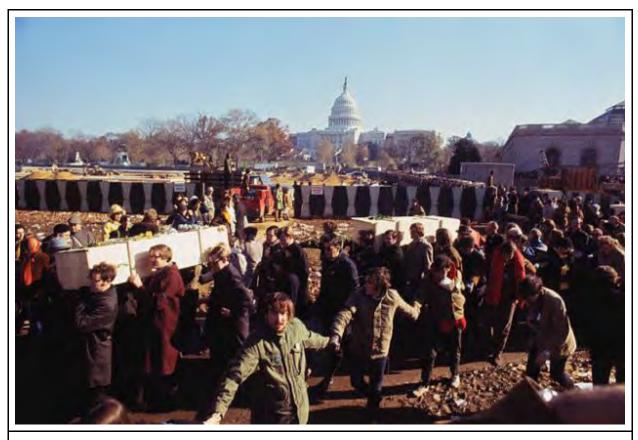
Anti-war demonstrators against war in Vietnam march near the Capitol.

Source: http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/MRC/pacificaviet/111569demo.jpg



1960s. Folk singer Pete Seeger in Washington, D.C. at anti-war in Vietnam protest

Source: http://peacehistory-usfp.org/protest-music-vietnam-war/



Nov. 15, 1969, Washington, DC, USA — Protestors perform a March of Death, carrying symbolic coffins to represent American soldiers killed in the Vietnam War, during Moratorium Day demonstrations along Constitution Avenue in Washington DC. — Image by © Bettmann/CORBIS

Source: https://uwpressblog.com/2015/05/27/behind-the-covers-radical-theatrics-2/



1967. Vietnam War protestors at the March on the Pentagon

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Vietnam\_War\_protestors\_at\_the\_March\_on\_the\_Pentagon.jpg

### Longest March - American Indian Movement



1973. An American Indian Movement sign and a tipi are seen on the National Mall in Washington, D.C., during the Longest Walk in 1973. Photo: U.S. Library of Congress

#### Source:

https://www.indianz.com/News/2017/11/06/tim-giago-not-everything-about-the-ameri.asp

### AIDS Quilt



2012. AIDS Quilt at 2012 International AIDS Conference in Washington DC

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:AIDS\_Quilt\_at\_2012\_International\_AIDS\_Conference .JPG



2012. Picture of the AIDS quilt in front of the Washington Monument

Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Aids\_Quilt.jpg



between 1980 and 2006. AIDS quilt in Washington, D.C. on National Mall

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### 1979 National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights



1979. The 1979 National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights (Washington Blade archive photo by John M. Yanson)

Source: http://www.washingtonblade.com/2017/06/11/history-marching-washington/

### 1981 Solidarity Day (AFL-CIO)



1981. On September 19, 1981, nearly half a million unionists converged on Washington D.C. for a massive Solidarity Day march and rally in response to President Ronald Reagan's decision to fire 12,000 air traffic controllers who went on strike and demanded wage increases and safer working conditions.

#### Source:

http://www.dclabor.org/home/81-solidarity-day-memories-wanted

# 1987 Second National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights



1987. Demonstrators on National Mall for National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights

Source: https://www.nglcc.org/blog/lgbt-history-national-march-washington-lesbian-and-gay-rights

## 1993 March on Washington for Lesbian, Gay, and Bi Equal Rights and Liberation

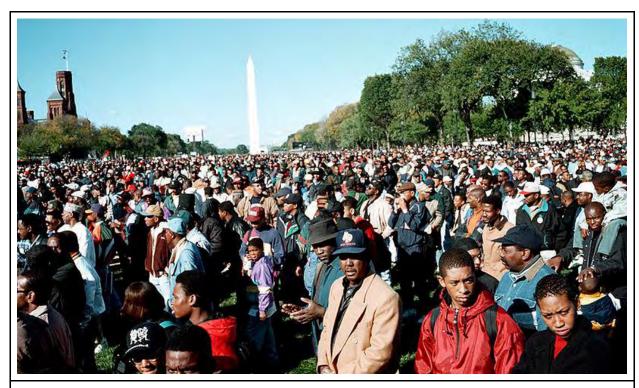


1993. Marvin Liebman reading names at the AIDS Quilt podium on the day before the 1993 March on Washington for Lesbian, Gay, and Bi Equal Rights and Liberation.

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Liebman\_Reading\_Names\_at\_1993\_AIDS\_Quilt\_in\_DC.jpg

### Million Man March - October 16, 1995



1995. Million Man March

Source: https://www.smithsonianmag.com/history/suffrage-civil-rights-war-and-puppets-when-and-why-americans-have-marched-washington-180961809/#EVGJQd8ZDS5HXCUi.99



1995. Million Man March

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:A\_glimpse\_of\_the\_1995\_Million\_Man\_March\_-\_from\_the\_recently\_cataloged\_Roll\_Call\_Photograph\_Collection\_(29984043675)\_(cropped).j

### Million Mom March



2000. Million Mom March for Gun Control

Source:

http://www.chicagotribune.com/80845593-132.html



2000. Million Mom March for Gun Control

Source: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Million\_Mom\_March\_911\_(35728102).jpg

### Protests Against the Iraq War



October 26, 2002. Demonstrators by the thousands gathered near the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington Saturday, Oct. 26, 2002, as organizers marched against President Bush's policy toward Iraq.

Source: https://www.smithsonianmag.com/history/suffrage-civil-rights-war-and-puppets-when-and-why-americans-have-marched-washington-180961809/#EVGJQd8ZDS5HXCUi.9



2003. Antiwar march in Washington, D.C., January 18, 2003.

Source: http://www.answercoalition.org/who\_we\_are



2007. Anti-war demonstration Marching towards the Capital - September 15, 2007.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Marching\_towards\_the\_Capital\_-\_September\_15,\_2007.jpg



2010. Raging Grannies sing at the March 20, 2010 anti-war protest in Washington, DC

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:2010-03-20\_12-32-53raginggrannies.JPG

### White House Ellipse

#### Kent State/Cambodian Incursion Protest



May 9, 1970. Anti-war demonstrators raise their hands toward the White House as they protest the shootings at Kent State University and the U.S. incursion into Cambodia, on May 9, 1970.

Source: https://www.smithsonianmag.com/history/suffrage-civil-rights-war-and-puppets-when-and-why-americans-have-marched-washington-180961809/#EVGJQd8ZDS5HXCUi.99

### Latino Immigrants Rights Rally



1996. A national march and rally was held to voice concerns about immigration, affirmative action, education, the minimum wage, and Latino issues.

Source: https://www.c-span.org/video/?75876-1/latino-immigrant-rights-rally

### Iraq War Protest: October 26, 2002



2002. Anti war protestors march past the White House in Washington, DC on October 26, 2002 to protest President George W. Bush's policy advocating war against Iraq. Washington police estimated the crowds to be as large as 50,000.

#### Source:

https://abcnews.go.com/Politics/historic-washington-dc-marches/story?id=44884785

### Women's March on Washington



2017. Women's March on Washington on Ellipse

#### Source:

https://graceking.com/womens-march-on-washington/

### Lafayette Park

### Women's Suffrage



1914. Women's Suffrage demonstration at White House/Lafayette Park

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:WOMAN\_SUFFRAGE.\_AT\_WHITE\_HOUSE\_WITH\_BANNERS\_LCCN2016865182.tif

### March for Gaza



2014. Demonstrators in Lafayette Park in solidarity with Palestine.

#### Source:

http://www.answercoalition.org/tens\_of\_thousands\_march\_dc\_gaza

### Trump Hotel Sidewalk

### Post-Election Protest



November 10, 2016. Protestors outside the Trump Hotel the day following the 2016 Presidential election.

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:No\_Es\_Mi\_Presidente,\_Protesters\_outside\_Trump\_ Hotel\_on\_Pennsylvania\_Ave,\_DC\_(30787725692).jpg

### Women's March on Washington



2017. A Rally at the Trump Hotel

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:A\_Rally\_at\_the\_Trump\_Hotel\_(32476567601).jpg



January 21, 2017. Protestors in front of Trump Hotel during Women's March on Washington.

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Women%27s\_March\_2017\_Washington,\_D.C.,\_Unit ed\_States\_Passing\_Trump\_Hotel.jpg

### No DAPL March



December 8, 2016. Protect Water sign at Beyond NoDAPL March in front of Trump Hotel.

Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Protect\_water\_-marchers\_at\_Trump\_Hotel.jpg



December 8, 2016. Marchers at Beyond NoDAPL March in front of Trump Hotel.

Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:No\_DAPL\_cardboard\_sign\_-marchers\_pass\_Trump\_Hotel.jpg

### LGBTQ Rights



February 19, 2017. Lgbtqi+ Makeout at Trump Hotel (DC)

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:2017.02.19\_Lgbtqi%2B\_Makeout\_at\_Trump\_Hotel,\_Washington,\_DC\_USA\_01001\_(32971921136).jpg

### March for Our Lives



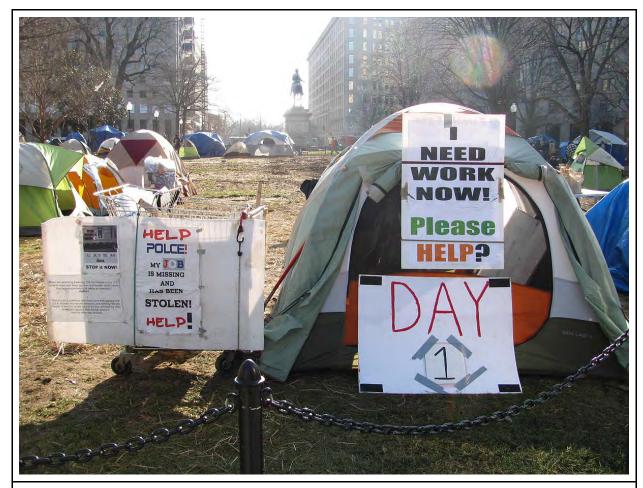
March 24, 2018. Protesters at Trump Hotel during the March for Our Lives rally, in Washington, D.C.

#### Source:

https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Protesters\_at\_Trump\_Hotel\_during\_the\_March\_for\_Our\_Lives\_rally.jpg

## McPherson Square

### Occupy Movement



2012. Occupy Washington, D.C. at McPherson Square with banners and tents.

Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Occupy-need-work-now.JPG



2012. Tents at Occupy Washington, D.C. at McPherson Square, looking west across Vermont Ave.

Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Occupy-vermont-ave.JPG



2012. The welcome tent at Occupy Washington, D.C. at McPherson Square. Source: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Welcome\_tent\_at\_Occupy\_DC.jpg

### **Long-term Demonstrations**

### Resurrection City - Poor People's Campaign

Resurrection City, organized by Ralph Abernathy, was part of the 1968 Poor People's Campaign, a demonstration for full employment and living wages. During May 1968 thousands of demonstrators representing communities across the country lived in a shantytown of plywood and canvas homes south of the Reflecting Pool. Intense rainfall flooded the encampment and internal dissension plagued the city. Resurrection City's Park Permit expired on June 23. The next day, police moved through the area, tearing down the buildings and arresting nearly 300 people. Sometimes remembered as a failure, Resurrection City nonetheless brought together many disparate groups to work toward common goals.



1968. Resurrection City during Poor People's Campaign on the National Mall.

https://www.aiadc.com/CityofHopeLecture



1968. Resurrection City during Poor People's Campaign on the National Mall.

https://www.nytimes.com/2017/02/18/us/martin-luther-king-resurrection-city.html



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1968. Resurrection City during Poor People's Campaign on the National Mall.

Source: http://johnedwinmason.typepad.com/john\_edwin\_mason\_photogra/2017/10/jill-freedman-resurrection-city-poor-peoples-campaign-1968.html

## Nuclear Disarmament (Long-term Vigil)



Source: prop1.org/1601frm.htm



March 4, 2009. Concepcion Picciotto stands near her signs and hut across the street from the White House March 4, 2009 in Washington, DC. Picciotto has lived in Lafayette Square on the 1600 block of Pennsylvania Avenue across from the White House, since August 1, 1981 in protest of nuclear arms.

Source: <a href="https://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/woman-who-held-decades-long-protest-outside-white-house-dies-n504671">https://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/woman-who-held-decades-long-protest-outside-white-house-dies-n504671</a>



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#### Video

- Footage of the 1963 Civil Rights March on Washington, DC.
   <a href="https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:March on washington.ogv">https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:March on washington.ogv</a>
- Moratorium, anti-Vietnam war demonstration, massed crowd singing "Give Peace a Chance," led by Pete Seeger on National Mall. http://openvault.wgbh.org/catalog/V 802B2BC4CE8F4AEAAB98A152B569B397
- Bonus Army Demonstrations at the U.S. Captiol <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i91huA98Q8s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i91huA98Q8s</a>
- Peter, Paul and Mary If I Had a Hammer (Civil Rights March on Washington, 1963)
   https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o-v0lU0dD\_E
- Bob Dylan and Joan Baez 1963 March on Washington https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WLwHnNybADo
- Latino and Immigrant Rights Rally 1996. A national march and rally was held to voice
  concerns about immigration, affirmative action, education, the minimum wage, and
  Latino issues. Participants met earlier at Malcolm X Park and marched to the Ellipse
  prior to this rally. Some speeches were in Spanish and were translated after each one.
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- Nov. 15, 1969, Vietnam Moratorium https://youtu.be/5YaedL2Vm04
- Oct. 11, 1987, Second National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights https://youtu.be/mOD9afCiFz0
- April 9, 1989, March for Women's Lives https://youtu.be/G4H86m5M8kU
- Million Mom March http://www.chicagotribune.com/80845593-132.html
- Forward on Climate March https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BINW-KTadfk
- National March and Rally on the White House: End the Massacre in Gaza 2014 https://www.c-span.org/video/?320825-1/rally-israeli-violence-gaza