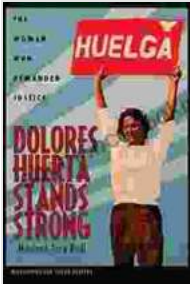


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Dolores Huerta is a true American icon. As a labor leader and civil rights activist, she has dedicated her life to fighting for social justice and equality. Her work has made a difference in the lives of millions of people, and her story is an inspiration to us all.

Early Life and Education

Dolores Huerta was born on April 10, 1930, in Stockton, California. Her parents were farm workers, and she grew up in poverty. Despite the challenges she faced, Dolores was a bright and determined student. She graduated from high school and went on to attend college. However, she dropped out of college after two years to marry and start a family.

Labor Activism

In 1962, Dolores met Cesar Chavez, a fellow farm worker who was organizing a union for farm workers. Dolores was inspired by Chavez's work, and she joined the union. She quickly rose through the ranks of the union, and she soon became one of its most effective organizers.

Dolores and Chavez led the union in a series of strikes and boycotts that helped to improve the working conditions of farm workers. They also fought for the right of farm workers to unionize. In 1972, Dolores and Chavez helped to found the United Farm Workers of America (UFW), which is now one of the most powerful unions in the country.

Civil Rights Activism

In addition to her work with the UFW, Dolores Huerta has also been a lifelong advocate for civil rights. She has fought for the rights of women, immigrants, and other marginalized groups. She is a co-founder of the

National Women's Political Caucus, and she has served on the board of directors of the National Council of La Raza.

Dolores Huerta is a true pioneer. She has spent her life fighting for social justice and equality, and she has made a difference in the lives of millions of people. Her story is an inspiration to us all.

Dolores Huerta is a true American hero. She has dedicated her life to fighting for social justice and equality, and she has made a difference in the lives of millions of people. Her story is an inspiration to us all.

If you are interested in learning more about Dolores Huerta and her work, I encourage you to read her autobiography, *Dolores Huerta Stands Strong*. It is a powerful and inspiring story that will leave you feeling moved and motivated.



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