FRIENDS OF THE PEOPLES WEEKLY WORLD PRESENTS

JUDITH LE BLANC

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH

1 PMLA WORKERS CENTER
1251 S. ST ANDREWS PL
LOS ANGELES, CA 90019
(TWO BLOCKS WEST OF WESTERN OFF OF PICO) **\$5 DONATION**NO ONE WILL BE TURN AWAY FOR LACK OF FUNDS

JUDITH LE BLANC IS ONE OF THE FOUNDING MEMBERS OF UFPJ, THE LARGEST NATIONAL PEACE COALITION IN THE COUNTRY. SHE HAS BEEN ELECTED TO THE NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE FROM THE FOUNDING CONFERENCE. UFPJ HAS 1300 MEMBER GROUPS, WHICH CAME TOGETHER AS A COALITION OUT OF THE MOVEMENT TO STOP THE PREEMPTIVE WAR ON IRAQ. IT HAS BECOME A MAJOR VEHICLE FOR NATIONAL AND LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS TO ORGANIZE THE MOVEMENT TO CHALLENGE THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION FOREIGN POLICIES.

SHE RECENTLY RETURNED FROM LEBANON ON AUGUST 15, 2006, WHERE SPENT THE LAST 10 DAYS OF THE WAR IN THE LEAD UP TO THE CEASEFIRE, MEETING WITH NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, DISPLACED FAMILIES AND BEIRUT LABOR AND COMMUNITY LEADERS ON THE HUMANITARIAN EFFORTS IN SUPPORT OF THE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF DISPLACED PEOPLES FROM SOUTHERN LEBANON.

ON AUGUST 4-6, BEFORE GOING TO LEBANON, SHE SPENT TWO DAYS IN AMMAN, JORDAN MEETING WITH IRAQI PARLIAMENTARIANS ON THE WAR AND OCCUPATION OF IRAQ TO DISCUSS THEIR OUTLOOK ON ENDING THE WAR AND OCCUPATION OF IRAQ AND ALSO MET WITH SURVIVORS OF TORTURE FROM THE ABU GHARIB PRISON IN IRAQ.