



# TORONTO FORUM ON CUBA NEWSLETTER

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## EVENTS CALENDAR

### CAMPAIGNS & PETITIONS

1,000,000 Signatures for  
the Cuban Five

“The Proof Is in the  
Pudding”: Free the Five  
and Extradite Posada  
Carriles

Cuba for Haiti

Solidarity with Iran

Stop Secret Trials in  
Canada

### IMPORTANT!

The Reasons of Cuba  
Las Razones de Cuba

### BRIGADES & DELEGATIONS

•  
Romerías de Mayo Festival  
of Culture

•  
Che Guevara Voluntary  
Work Brigade

## TORONTO FORUM ON CUBA

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS


★ **MEDIA BLACKOUT - Sept. 12th All Out - BREAK THE SILENCE**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>th</sup>**  
ALL OUT to  
**BREAK THE SILENCE NOW!**

**DEMONSTRATION**  
5:30pm to 6:30pm  
Yonge & Dundas Square – by CityTV  
(southeast corner)  
bring your drums, voices, etc. – let’s make noise

**FILM SHOWING**  
*Will the Real Terrorist Please Stand Up*  
by Saul Landau

**GUEST SPEAKER FROM THE  
CANADA BOAT TO GAZA**  
7:30pm  
United Steelworkers’ Hall - 25 Cecil St.  
(one block southeast of College and Spadina)



**FIVE HEROES** who saved thousands, imprisoned in the U.S.  
after risking their own lives by infiltrating U.S.-based terrorist groups that killed 3,478  
people and maimed 2,099 others since the triumph of the Cuban Revolution in 1959, in  
order to prevent further attacks against their country and others!

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**FIVE HEROES**, just one day after another anniversary of the vile terrorist attack against  
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**CONTACT THE MEDIA TODAY AND DEMAND THEY REPORT ON THE CASE OF THE CUBAN FIVE.**

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## LINKS

National Committee to  
Free the Cuban Five

Int'l Committee for the  
Freedom of the Cuban 5

Antiterroristas

Embassy of Cuba in Canada

Canadian Network on Cuba

Latin American and  
Caribbean Solidarity  
Network

Dignidad Cuba

Asociación Cubanos en  
Toronto de Juan Gualberto  
Gómez

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- ★ Declaration in relation to the Media Blackout on the Cuban Five case and on U.S.-based terrorism against Cuba
- ★ **Message from Toronto Forum on Cuba:** *We, at Toronto Forum on Cuba, would like to express our heartfelt condolences to the people of Cuba and friends, for the loss of Army Corps General and Cuban Minister of Defence, Julio Casas Regueiro. He will be missed greatly, but his contributions will be an example for all revolutionaries.*

**Mensaje del Toronto Forum on Cuba:** *Nosotros, del Toronto Forum on Cuba, quisieramos expresar nuestro más sentido pésame al pueblo de Cuba y a sus amigos, por la pérdida del General del Cuerpo de Ejército y Ministro de Defensa Cubano, Julio Casas Regueiro. Lo extrañaremos mucho, pero su contribución servirá como ejemplo para todos revolucionarios.*

- ★ *Mensaje del Toronto Forum on Cuba en la ocasión del Aniversario del natalicio de Simón Bolívar*
- ★ WOW! July 26<sup>th</sup>! / WOW! 26 de Julio
- ★ 63rd Year of Al Nakbah in Toronto
- ★ Toronto Forum on Cuba at the Romerías de Mayo 2011
- ★ Toronto Forum on Cuba's 2011 Campaign Focus
- ★ Listen to the song "**5 HERMANOS HÉROES**" in honour of the Cuban Five and more songs by ORULA

## NEWS

- 🇺🇸 New evidence in legal briefs of Gerardo, Ramón and Antonio exposes U.S. government misconduct / *Nueva evidencia en documentos legales de Gerardo, Ramón y Antonio expone la mala conducta del gobierno de EE.UU.*
- 🇺🇸 "Reporters for Hire" website publishes complete list of U.S. government contracts / *Al descubierto operación de propaganda financiada por Washington*
- 🇺🇸 People Pay Tribute to Deceased Defence Minister / *Reconocimiento del pueblo*
- 🇺🇸 Amnesty International Declares to be in Favor of Cuban Five
- 🇺🇸 Cuban Parliament Agreement on the Cuban Five / *Acuerdo de la Asamblea Nacional sobre los Cinco*
- 🇺🇸 Euro-deputies Asked for Freedom of the Cuban Five / *Eurodiputados exigen justicia a EE.UU. para los Cinco cubanos*
- 🇺🇸 Extensive Cultural-Political Program for the Five / *Amplio programa político cultural por Los Cinco*
- 🇺🇸 From Haiti: Solidarity with the Cuban Five
- 🇺🇸 Ghana: Free 'Cuban Five', TUC Tells United States
- 🇺🇸 Gross: What Happened Between March and August? / *Gross: ¿Qué ha sucedido entre marzo y agosto?*
- 🇺🇸 Millions of Latin American Signatures for the Five / *Latinoamericanos*

[acuerdan reunir firmas por Los Cinco](#)

- [Historic Labor Event in Support of the Cuban 5 in Los Angeles](#)
- [Ricardo Alarcón - The next weeks are decisive for Gerardo / \*Ricardo Alarcón - Las próximas semanas son decisivas para Gerardo\*](#)
- [Ricardo Alarcón - Truth Held Hostage / \*Ricardo Alarcón - La verdad secuestrada\*](#)
- [Saul Landau and Danny Glover Visit One of the Cuban Five in Prison](#)
- [Solidarity with the Five over the airwaves / \*Solidaridad con los Cinco también a través del éter\*](#)
- [South African Deputy Expressed his Support of Cuban Five](#)
- [Statement from the International Committee for the Freedom of the Cuban 5](#)
- [The Cuban Five and the US Supreme Court / \*Los Cinco Cubanos y la Corte Suprema de los EEUU\*](#)
- [U.S. authorities still not allowing Gerardo Hernández access to appeal documents / \*EE.UU. sigue sin permitirle a Gerardo acceso a documentos para apelación\*](#)
- [Posada - No Guilty Conscience and No Regrets / \*“Me siento tranquilo con lo que hice”\*](#)
- [Anti-Cuban committees donated more than \\$3 million to Democratic and Republican Party electoral campaigns](#)
- [The empire’s gravediggers / \*Los sepultureros del imperio\*](#)
- [The OAS, USAID and CIA ‘to the rescue’ of Latin American youth](#)
- [Top U.S. Diplomat Monitored Internet Networks in Cuba](#)
- [Training of Mercenaries in Puerto Rico Denounced](#)
- [United States Fine French Shipping Line for Trading with Cuba / \*Estados Unidos multa a naviera francesa por servicios a Cuba\*](#)
- [United States Protects and Rewards Terrorists / \*Estados Unidos no solo alberga a terroristas sino que los recompensa\*](#)
- [U.S. blocking Cuba’s anti-AIDS battle / \*Estados Unidos obstaculiza lucha de Cuba contra el Sida\*](#)
- [Cuba Assumes Presidency of UN Disarmament Conference / \*Asume Cuba presidencia de la Conferencia de Desarme de la ONU\*](#)
- [Cuba Calls in Geneva for Political Will in Cooperation / \*Reclama Cuba en Ginebra voluntad política en cooperación\*](#)
- [Cuba has 2,000 scientists and researchers per million inhabitants](#)
- [Cuba highlights progress on UN Millennium Goals in Geneva](#)
- [Cuba Modifies Farm Implement Retail Prices / \*Modifican precios a insumos para el programa campesino\*](#)
- [Cuba Opposed to Interference in the Internal Affairs of States / \*Cuba opuesta a injerencia en asuntos internos de Estados\*](#)
- [Cuba Rejects Any Attempt to Undermine the Sovereignty of Syria / \*Declaración del Viceministro de Relaciones Exteriores de Cuba, Marcos Rodríguez Costa, sobre Siria\*](#)
- [Cuban Parliamentarians Strive for a Better Future / \*Lo que aprobemos debe parecerse al futuro\*](#)
- [FMC to Mark its 51st Anniversary / \*Anuncian actividades por el aniversario 51 de la FMC\*](#)
- [Harper can’t ignore Cuba](#)
- [Havana Calls for a Better Monitoring of the Economic Process / \*El que\*](#)

*dirige tiene que ir a los lugares donde se realiza el hecho económico*

- ▄ Our decision to construct socialism will never waver / *No variará jamás nuestra decisión de defender y construir el socialismo*
- ▄ Over a Hundred Countries in Cuban Higher Education / *Sostuvo intercambio con más de cien países enseñanza superior cubana*
- ▄ Report of the Economic Committee of the National Assembly on the Settlement of the State Budget 2010 / *Dictamen de la Comisión de Asuntos Económicos de la Asamblea Nacional sobre la Liquidación del Presupuesto del Estado 2010*
- ▄ Statement by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs / *Declaración del Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores*
- ▄ UNEAC Marks 50th Anniversary / *La UNEAC, en su medio centenario*
- ▄ Welcome to Cuba, Lucius Walker, forevermore!
- ▄ Women - An Essential Part of the Cuban Revolution / *La mujer constituye el 66 % de la fuerza técnica y profesional*
- ▄ A Tribute to Henry Reeve, El Inglesito / *El Inglesito*
- ▄ Letter from a Venezuelan to the Cuban people
- ▄ Bolivia Highlights the Importance of Cuban Solidarity / *Destacan en Bolivia la importancia de la solidaridad cubana*
- ▄ Miracle Mission: Seven Years of Light for the Excluded
- ▄ Cuba and Latin America sing to Fidel
- ▄ Aggression against Libya Considered an Attack on South-South Cooperation
- ▄ Chavez - Assault on Libya Threatens the World
- ▄ On Socialist Civil Society and Culture / *Cuánto puede aportar la sociedad civil socialista a la cultura*
- ▄ Mensaje y Poema - Rafael Cancel Miranda
- ▄ Poema de Rafael Cancel Miranda "Hoy que sé más que ayer"
- ▄ Poema y pensamientos de Rafael Cancel Miranda

## *Fidel's Reflections*



**WRITE TO THE CUBAN FIVE**



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