

Basic Detail Report

Men waving large flags on stage at a

Christian Democracy (DC) youth rally

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

The "Communion and Liberation" Movement (CL) was founded in 1969 by Luigi Giussani, a Catholic priest, intellectual and educator and was a reaction to student left wing, secular ideas of the time. It also opposed the new direction of the Catholic church. In its official literature, CL emphasises its continuity with Gioventú Studentesca, and its mission is described as "the education to Christian maturity of its adherents and collaboration in the mission of the Church in all the spheres of contemporary life." Christian Democracy (Democrazia Cristiana, DC) was a Christian democratic political party in Italy.

Dimensions

Overall: 30.3 x 20.2 cm (11 7/8 x 8 in.)