

Basic Detail Report

A socialist rally, men with arms in the air

form a line

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

On the placard: 'bettino dove sei?' ['Bettino where are you?'] Benedetto "Bettino" Craxi was an Italian politician, head of the Italian Socialist Party from 1976 to 1993 and Prime Minister of Italy from 1983 to 1987. He was the first member of the PSI to hold the office, as well as the third Prime Minister from a socialist party. He was Italy's longest serving post-war prime minister (1983-87), but will be remembered as a tragic symbol of Italy's devastating corruption scandal and the man who effectively destroyed the Italian Socialist party (PSI).

Dimensions

Overall: 24.2 x 30.7 cm (9 4/8 x 12 1/8 in.)