

Basic Detail Report

A view from above of a Pro Chile protest

march

Date

1973-1973

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

A crowd of protesters carrying placards with messages of solidarity with Chile and Luis Corvalan, the general secretary of the Communist Party of Chile, who was arrested on 11 September 1973 during Pinochet's coup d'état that overthrew Allende's democratic government. During his imprisonment (1973-74) Corvalan received the Lenin Peace Prize; and in 1976 the USSR granted him political asylum. He returned to Chile in 1988. He headed the Communist Party of Chile for thirty years.

Dimensions

Overall: 30.1 x 20.2 cm (11 7/8 x 8 in.)