

Basic Detail Report

People hold a banner with a drawing of

Yasser Arafat, that reads 'The Palestinian revolution is not only the march of Palestine and the Arab but of all those who are free around the world'

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

People hold a banner with a drawing of Yasser Arafat, that reads 'The Palestinian revolution is not only the march of Palestine and the Arab but of all those who are free around the world'. Yasser Arafat (1929-2004) was a Palestinian leader. He was Chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) and leader of the Fatah political party and former paramilitary group, which he founded in 1959. In the late 1960s and early 1970s, Fatah faced off with Jordan in a brief civil war. Forced out of Jordan and into Lebanon, Arafat and Fatah were major targets of Israel's 1978 and 1982 invasions of that country.

Dimensions

Overall: 18.1 x 24.3 cm (7 1/8 x 9 5/8 in.)