Workers' Rights are Human Rights

Short slideshow presentation

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A Glimpse of Terror in Mississippi Workplaces

In 2009, shipyard workers in Mississippi achieved a major victory. They succeeded in getting their workplace declared a hate-free zone. The Mississippi Workers' Center worked with these workers to bring about a victory



Graffiti painted on company wall across from the administration compound



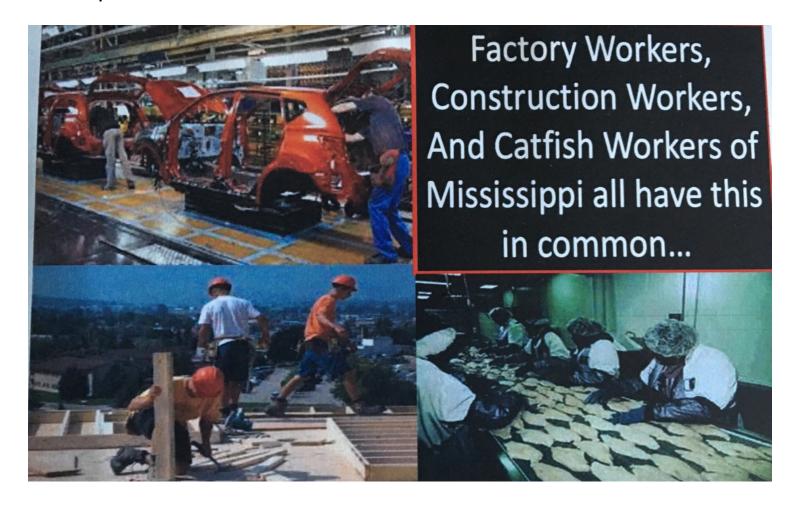
Back in the day is today.





No one should have to die to make a living!

In the state of Mississippi, injured workers only have 450 weeks worth of workers comp. benefits. Mississippi is one of 17 states that has a ceiling on workers compensation.



A campaign against workplace sexual harassment was launched after women autoworkers were constantly harassed, fondled, propositioned and threatened with rape in their workplace. As a result of the campaign, women saw a reduction in incidents of sexual harassment. Freedom from all forms of harassment and abuse is a human right.



When we look at the lives of the working poor, we must consider all of the injustices to which they are victims. Where there is underemployment and a lack of a living wage, there is also substandard inhumane housing for the working poor. The *This Ain't Livin' Campaign* is part of the Workers' Center's ongoing effort to declare housing as a human right.

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