# We Did Not Win Roe v. Wade in the Supreme Court or Congress, We Won Abortion Rights in the Streets

## Women Workers are the Economic Motor of Global Capitalist Profit. We Can Shut Them Down.

Nothing terrifies the capitalist rulers of the USA more than the thought of women rejecting the call to get back, hold back, be respectable, and wait for some election. Billions of dollars have been spent to rewrite history to make you believe that progressive laws were passed because politicians saw the light. Biden and company, just like the Republicans, are terrified we will lose respect for the undemocratic Supreme Court and a Congress of millionaires bought and paid for by corporate interests.

The fight to defend abortion rights and contraception, is a fight to say no to a tiny clique of capitalists having control over women's lives. The rich get safe abortions and always have. The reason that corporations fund the pro-death movement is to maintain and intensify the impoverishment of women. Whether by forced births or by a denial of resources and income to raise our children, the capitalists behind the attacks on our reproductive rights want to make it harder for us to fight back and organize for a better life.

Laws follow the mass movement, not the other way around. Unions were once illegal; Jim Crow discrimination and terror were legal. The Civil Rights Act of 1964 was unanimously upheld by a Supreme Court with three "Justices" tied to the KKK. The law bends to mass militant movements. Planned Parenthood did not lead the movement for abortion rights; it evolved because of it.

#### Defeat the Right Wing by Independent Action, Not by Feeding the US War Machine

After the election of Trump, we held massive women's demonstrations. But the "respectables" said STOP—just vote for Democrats. We were in a position then to advance the movement, but Democratic Party agents put out the fire. We can't afford to make the same mistake twice. We have the power, let's unleash it.

### Renewed Attacks on Women and LGBTQ People Grow Out of Profit-Mad Capitalism and Militarism

More and more, US capitalists come by their profits by looting US and other countries' treasuries for war dollars and by using sanctions, wars, and occupations to impoverish and steal from the people of the world. Whether in Ukraine or anywhere else the US has intervened, there is nothing



May 15, 2019: Sit-in for Abortion Rights at the Louisiana State Capitol, Baton Rouge.

"humanitarian" about this scheme to dominate the world for capitalist profit. The fossil fuel companies, banks, and war profiteers driving the growth of militarism are the hidden hands behind the racist, sexist, bigoted attacks coming from federal and state policy makers. This ultra-reactionary gang of capitalists want to disguise their crimes by scapegoating and dividing workers against one another. They fund Democrats and Republicans equally. In return, both parties hand over the majority of our tax dollars to war profiteers at the expense of women, families, and healthcare.

#### Tell the billionaire-controlled Louisiana Legislature and US Congress we demand:

- ✓ Free, Safe Legal Abortion and Contraception on Demand
- ✓ Fully Funded Social Programs, Schools
- ✔ Higher Wages and Social Programs to Raise Healthy Children
- ✓ Full Free Access to Quality Healthcare
- ✓ Free Quality Childcare
- ✓ No Barriers Due to Race, Citizenship Status, Nationality, Religion, or Sexual Expression
- ✓ Stop Aiding Oil & Gas Companies' Destruction of the Planet
- ✔ We Need Baby Formula and Covid Aid, Not More Cops and War



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