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Transcript of Mary Lou Greenburg celebrating China's mass murder, Mao Zedong as captured by C-SPAN on December 28, 1993 and available online at: <https://www.c-span.org/video/?53368-1/mao-tse-tung-100th-anniversary>. Her comments begin at timecode 2:28.

“My name is Mary Lou Greenburg and I’m the spokesperson for the [Revolutionary Communist Party, USA](#) New York branch. And it is my great pleasure and honor to welcome everyone here today for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Mao Zedong. This is a very special day, an historic day, filled with international significance. Even as I speak similar revolutionary events are taking place in many countries around the world. (3:05)

Maoist parties and organizations of the Revolutionary Internationalist Movement, which is called RIM, they are sympathizers, and revolutionary people are marking this day in grand and festive ways. In response to the RIM’s call to take up and celebrate this centenary. (3:28)

These events, including our own here today in the belly of the imperialist monster, are not nostalgic looks backward. Rather with the release of milestone documents by the RIM which Carl Dix will talk about. These events signify a profound advance in the international revolutionary movement. (3:55)

A development that has profound and far reaching implications for the future liberation of the oppressed around the world. (4:06)

I had the privilege of visiting revolutionary China in 1971, when millions of those who had been the lowest of the low in old China were creating a truly new world. I saw a new society coming into being, a flesh and blood reality of a future without exploitation, without the domination of one nationality over others, without the domination of women by men. It was the reddest (sic), most inspiring, most invigorating society on earth.” (4:46)

When I saw it, I vowed to dedicate my life to doing all I can to bring that world into existence for all of humanity. (4:58)

Chairman of our party, Bob Avakian has called Mao Zedong ‘The greatest revolutionary of our time.’ Why is this? Mao Zedong was a total revolutionary. He stood with the poor people of the world and showed them the path true liberation. He wasn’t about begging the exploiters to make things a little better for the people. He didn’t want to make peace with the system responsible for all the suffering of the people. He wanted to lead the people in rising up and overthrowing that system. And in continuing the revolution until everything foul associated with the imperialism was wiped out once and for all. (5:49)

When people right inside the communist party tried to drag China back to capitalism, Mao called on the masses of people to fight these new oppressors. His leadership of the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution spread the truth that it's right to rebel against reaction all over the world. Mao's leadership,

provides the masses with the guide to take matters into their own hands and win victory. And that is why we are here today, in unity with millions of people across the globe celebrating the centenary of Mao Zedong.” (6:34)

Offers refreshments, toasts and celebration (not quote)

Time code: 43:04, Greenburg introduces Carl Dix, the national spokesperson for her organization.

“I have known and worked with Carl, when he was in New York and always learned a great deal from him. (43:27) and have personally felt very proud at his efforts in unity with the party’s efforts in Los Angeles, California. Carl has just come from Los Angeles to be here at this program and will be returning shortly after. He has been active in the party’s work to unite with the struggle of the masses in south central Los Angeles and other proletarian neighborhoods and to fuse the liberating ideology of Marxism, Leninism, Maoism, with the masses there, as part of the party’s work nationwide.” (44:07)