On June 3, 1981 a pilgrim named Thomas sat down on the White House sidewalk with a cardboard sign -“Wanted, Wisdom and Honesty”- to talk about truth, justice, freedom, peace, and the threat of nuclear war. Concepcion Picciotto also came to Lafayette Park and began working with Thomas in 1981. They are now world famous for their continuous presence, 24 hours a day, despite the whims of police and weather. Regulation writers and hostile police tried to drive Thomas and Concepcion away, and Thomas was sent to prison for three months in 1988. But perseverance, creativity, Thomas’s pro se lawsuits against police misconduct, and sympathetic friends have kept the vigilers north of the White House, touching the minds and hearts of many.

Friends of the Vigil ... JOIN US!

Come to Lafayette (Peace) Park on this special anniversary, and speak ... sing ... chant ... recite ... drum ... dance your heartsong. Share YOUR ideas to help cure the world's ills!

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