Amnesty International Warrington Group **CELEBRATE**

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 8thMarch 2017

MARTHA SÁNCHEZ SOLER



President of the Mesoamerican Migrant Movement. Every year, Martha leads a caravan of mothers from Honduras, Nicaragua, El Salvador and Guatemala whose children have been disappeared in transit through Mexico to the US.

MORENA HERRERA



For a decade, Morena Herrera fought as a leftwing guerrilla against government forces.. Now, she is battling for women's reproductive rights in **El Salvador**

GILLIAN TRIGGS



President of the Australian Human Rights Commission.

A highly accomplished lawyer and academic, she has been unfairly targeted for promoting and protecting human rights, particularly on the issue of asylum seeker children locked up in immigration detention.

Brave Women Making a Difference!

Here are seven women defending the rights of women and girls often in places where they risk their own lives.



Political activist and blogger DARYA POLIUDOVA has been sentenced to two years behind bars simply for speaking out against her county's actions in Ukraine.



MOZN **HASSAN** is an Egyptian human rights defender and the Executive Director of Nazra for Feminist Studies, a group that aims to build an **Egyptian** feminist movement and supports women human rights defenders.



As a member of the persecuted ethnic Uyghur minority in China's Xinjiang region, **REBIYA KADEER** has spent her life campaigning for the rights of Uyghurs. Her activism has come at a price. She was sentenced to 8 years in prison for her work and she was later forced to live in exile.



YANAR MOHAMMED

Co-Founder of the Organisation for Women's Freedom in **Iraq** which works to promote women's rights and liberties in Iraq.

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