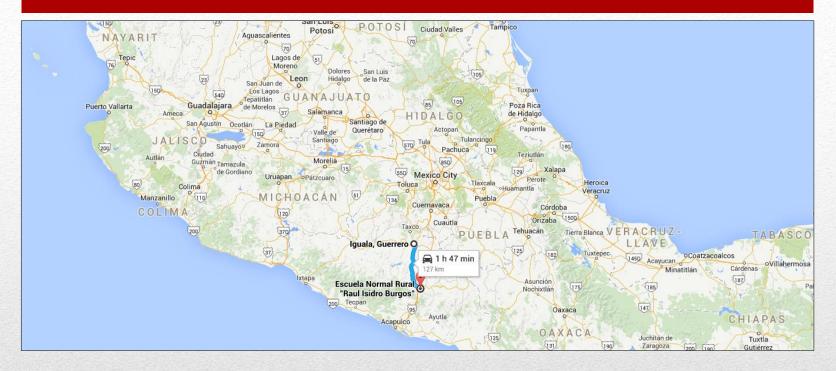


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dDónde Están?



- ➤ Political and government corruption have impacted the daily lives of the working class in Mexico for decades.
- ➤ The working class continues to be exploited and victimized by local government forces.
- Mexico working class human rights are being violated and are not protected by laws.
- Numerous states in Mexico like Guerrero have been controlled by Cartels.



- ➤ On September 26, 2014 over one hundred reported students went to Iguala, Mexico for a non-violent protest for more school funding.
- ➤ The students wanted to demonstrated in a local mayor campaign conference.
- ➤ Its reported that Iguala's Mayor Jose Luis Abarca ordered the police chief to end the demonstration.

Ayotzinapa, Guerrero Mexico 43 Missing Students



- ➤ Twenty-five wounded and six killed for resisting by police officers when they apprehended the three buses with the students.
- ➤ Forty-three students were capture and taken in by local police.
- ➤ According to Mexico Attorney General Jesus Murillo Karam, "The forty-three abducted students are dead, and blaming the Guerreros Unidos Cartel for the crime" (Watson, K. BBC).
- ➤ Its reported that Iguala's Mayor Abarca order the arresting police officers to hand over the students to the cartel (Castillo, M. CNN).





The student went missing and no one had answers for the families. Iguala's government officials kept ignoring the families and provided no assistance. The victims families gather and restlessly protested until they raised national attention. Different groups gather and protested with them until the Guerrero government offered to help. Its reported by government officials that the remains of the students were found in dumping grounds and in mass graves.

Mass Graves



Victims Belongings



Student parents, family, and friends hired foreign forensic investigators for DNA testing on the remains. Families refused to trust local government for the testing. DNA results reveal that none of the remains belonged to the forty-three missing students.



- ➤ The disappearance of the forty-three students raised international awareness.
- Demonstrators gather in numerous countries such as Spain, USA, England, Argentina, Bolivia, and Holland.
- > Students, peace organizations, and regular people are protesting for the justice of the missing students.
- ➤ Gatherings, videos, and music have been created to show support to the missing students and their families.





> http://youtu.be/McPPffz43e8



- ➤ Parents of the missing students will be traveling to the U.S. for two to three weeks throughout the country.
- ➤ They want to prevent the upcoming government elections in Guerrero, Mexico on June 7, 2015.
- They are promoting no elections until the missing students are return to the families.

"Sigue Vivo"

- Justicia en Ayotzinapa Comité Chicago.
- Ayotzinapa parents will be in Chicago April 3rd and 4th.
- Awaiting full details on locations.



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Questions & Thoughts?



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