

Queens Premiere of a new documentary

# Mission Against Terror

About the case of five Cuban men unjustly imprisoned in the U.S. for preventing terrorism against the Cuban people

*Mission Against Terror* is a critically acclaimed Irish-Cuban film that debuted at Havana's 26th Festival of New Latin American Cinema in December 2004. The film follows the case of five Cubans serving long sentences in U.S. jails for trying to prevent terrorist acts against the Cuban people. It also depicts the long

history of violence against innocent Cubans by right-wing groups based in Miami and covertly supported by the U.S. government – violence that has claimed the lives of 3,500 Cubans and maimed 2,000 more.

One of the acts of violence took place right here in Queens. On Sept. 11, 1980, right-wing assassin Pedro Remón murdered Cuban diplomat Félix García Rodríguez in his car on Queens Blvd. at 55<sup>th</sup> Street – the first time terrorists had used violence against the representative of a UN member country.

The Cuban Five (Gerardo Hernández, Ramón Labañino, Fernando González, René González and Antonio Guerrero) were investigating such terrorists in Miami to prevent further bloodshed. But when the information they gathered was turned over to the U.S. government, it was the Five – not the terrorists – who were arrested and imprisoned.

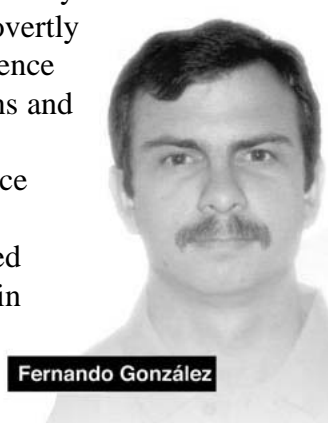
*Mission Against Terror* raises the question: why are people who fight terrorism imprisoned in the U.S. while known terrorists are allowed to walk the streets of Miami freely?



Antonio Guerrero



Ramón Labañino



Fernando González



Gerardo Hernández



René González

## Reports/discussion to follow with:

**Teresa Gutierrez**

**NY Committee to Free the Cuban Five**

A Woodside resident and one of 1,500 delegates to a recent conference against terrorism in Havana, Cuba

**A representative of the Cuban Mission to the UN**

**Queens anti-war and community activists**

On how you can get involved

**Tuesday, July 19, 7:00 pm**

**All Saints' Episcopal Church**

43-12 46<sup>th</sup> Street (at 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue)

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