



Photo by Mark Stern: NLG participates in march in support of Attica Defendants

Friday, May 17, 2019
6:00-9:30 pm
St. Paul African Methodist Life Center
85 Bishop Allen Drive
Cambridge, MA

National Lawyers Guild–Massachusetts Chapter

cordially invites you to the

**CELEBRATION OF THE
50th ANNIVERSARY OF THE
NLG–MASS CHAPTER**

and to the honoring of

Lynn Weissberg

Lynn Weissberg (*Lifetime Achievement*) has been a fierce advocate for social justice throughout her 40-year legal career. As a partner at Shapiro Weissberg & Garin, LLP, she has represented victims of discrimination and harassment. For over 35 years, she was a supervising attorney for the Tenant Advocacy Project, a clinical program at Harvard Law School. She is a founding member of the Massachusetts Employment Lawyers Association.

50 Years of the NLG-Massachusetts Chapter

From the ashes of the McCarthy-era chapter (which had been disbanded in 1953), the current iteration of the Mass Chapter of the NLG rose like a phoenix, spurred by opposition to the Vietnam War, the growing movement for women’s rights, and the on-going struggle for civil rights and racial justice. Progressive lawyers came together in the fall of 1969 to incorporate the “Massachusetts Lawyers Guild” and establish an office at 70 Charles Street in Boston, which in 1971 was moved to 595 Massachusetts Ave. in Cambridge.

The reborn NLG Chapter included a cluster of law offices of new/young lawyers, the Women’s Law Collective, and legal collectives/communes, as well as burgeoning chapters at local law schools. Members of the Chapter threw themselves into defending anti-war demonstrators and activists in the military, supporting the mounting struggles for tenants’ rights, working to desegregate the Boston school system, closing the dungeon-like Charles St. jail (ironically, it is now the Liberty Hotel), and defending the activists at Attica and Wounded Knee.

The Chapter has grown from those roots planted in the late ‘60s as it continues to provide legal education, assistance, and representation to political activists in the struggles for equality, justice for the oppressed, and for a better world. Join us in celebrating our history and achievements as we, without compromises, continue to fight with the people, for the people!



Directions & Parking:

St. Paul African Methodist Life Center

85 Bishop Allen Drive, Cambridge, MA

- Red line to Central Square, Cambridge
- Street parking

**Please return the attached cards or make reservations online
(www.nlgmass.org):**

“White” with your greeting or ad by Monday, April 22, 5:00 pm

“Red” with your ticket reservation by Friday, May 10, 5:00 pm

After the deadline, tickets will cost \$145.

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2019 NLG DINNER RESERVATION FORM

Name/Organization: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

YES, I will attend. Please reserve the indicated number of tickets/tables

_____ @ \$135 (regular) _____ @ \$65 (low-income)

_____ Table(s) @ \$1,150/table (for 10 at table)

I would like to be a Dinner Sponsor and buy one ticket at:

___ \$200 - Instigator ___ \$400 - Conscientious Objector

___ \$300 - Co-Conspirator ___ \$600 - Revolutionary

**Please accept my tax deductible donation of \$ _____
to subsidize low-income clients and community activists.**

(All tickets will be held at the door.)

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS IS FRIDAY, MAY 10, 5:00 p.m.
(All tickets reserved AFTER the deadline are \$145.)

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NLG-Mass Chapter Members & Activists in 1969-1974

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