

The Bridge Crossing Jubilee, Inc. www.selmajubilee.com

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To brothers and sisters,

As was announced at the SNCC 50th Anniversary Reunion, the theme for this year's Bridge Crossing Jubilee is "Celebrating Our Youth and the Spirit of SNCC." The Jubilee commemorates Bloody Sunday, the day that Alabama State Troopers attacked peaceful marchers for the right to vote on the Edmund Pettus Bridge, and celebrates the Voting Rights Movement and passage of the 1965 Voting Rights Act. I hope you can come.

We will give tribute to Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee, and honor fourteen SNCC workers with the Freedom Flame Award on Saturday, March 5 including Dorothy Dewberry Aldridge, Marion Barry, Margaret Brock, Colia L. Clark, Lawrence Guyot, Frank Holloway, Robert and Janet Moses, Charles Neblett, Silas Norman, John Perdew, Dorie Ladner, Constance Romily and Ruby Sales. Seven of the Freedom Singers and Bernice Reagan will give a musical tribute.

Hall of Fame inductions at the National Voting Rights Museum and Institute include Marion Barry, Lawrence Guyot, Robert Moses into the Mississippi Exhibit, Colia L. Clark into the Selma Room, and Ruby Sales into the Lowndes County Exhibit. The other SNCC Freedom Flame Award honorees will be inducted into the Museum's general Hall of Fame.

The Jubilee falls on the first week of March each year. This year it will be held March 3-7, 2011 with over 40 events throughout the week. Please find a Jubilee schedule attached. The Alabama Tourism Department deems the Jubilee as one of the top ten Alabama events with thirty to forty thousand people from across the Country converging on Selma annually.

There may be no available hotel rooms. If you need assistance booking a hotel, please call the Jubilee Office number above.

Yours in the struggle,

Annie Pearl Avery,

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SNCC Veteran, Jubilee Coordinating Committee