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7. Jessie de la Cruz helped to win the ban of *el cortito*, the short-handle hoe that crippled many farmworkers.
8. Angela Y. Davis was on the FBI's *Ten Most Wanted List*, jailed, and only freed as a result of a national campaign demanding her release.
9. Virginia Foster Durr fought against the poll tax—a system that required blacks and many women to pay a tax before they could vote in any election.
10. Fannie Lou Hamer was a key organizer in the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party and testified on national television about the brutal conditions in the Mississippi Delta.
11. Lorraine Hansberry wrote *A Raisin in the Sun* which was the first drama by an African American woman to appear on Broadway.
12. Dorothy Height was the noted leader of the National Council of Negro Women.

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31. Emma Tenayuca was known as *La Pasionaria* for her work in defense of working people in Texas.
32. Ingrid Washinawatok was inspired by her father to work for the rights of Indigenous people.
33. Merle Woo is a professor at the University of California who addresses stereotypes about Asian-American women.
34. Dorothy Zellner was co-editor of the SNCC newspaper, *The Student Voice*.
35. Joan Trumpauer Mulholland was born and raised in the Washington, D.C. area, and was jailed in Jackson, Mississippi for her involvement in the Mississippi Freedom Ride.
36. Judy Richardson is an activist and movie producer who helped produce the film *Eyes on the Prize*.