



Here are 3 people who think a film needs to be made about the inspiring story of
**INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY
AND SUPPORT FOR THE
1984-85 UK MINERS' STRIKE**

**DO YOU WANT
TO SEE IT
MADE TOO?**

For **WITH BANNERS HELD HIGH**, to be held on 5 March 2016 in Unity+Works Wakefield, we plan to show the film, create an exhibition and produce a book recording the amazing and inspirational global support for the miners in 1984-85.

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Tony Garnett Producer *Cathy Come Home*, *Kes*, *Days of Hope* and *The Price of Coal*

"Trade Unionism is an international movement. It is important to remind ourselves of the great international support offered to British miners in their hour of need.

It was one example in a long history of solidarity. Socialism knows no boundaries. Internationalism is at its core.

This film will celebrate and remind us of this truth."

Ken Loach Director of 26 films for television and cinema, from *Cathy Come Home* and *Kes* to *The Wind that Shakes the Barley*

"This project sounds very valuable. When our history is distorted by the right-wing press and commentators it is important that we set the record straight. I'm sure it will be a success."

David Peace Author *GB84* and *The Damned Utd*

"Now more than ever, with the erasure of working class history across the world, and the continued, relentless assaults on any form of trade unionism and communal struggle, both locally and internationally, the true story of the international support and solidarity with the UK miners during the 1984-85 Strike needs to be told and known as an inspiration in the struggle which is upon us now."



We will acknowledge all individuals and organisations who donate to this important project.

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