

WHOEVER ATTACKS ONE OF US ATTACKS US ALL!

**Statement on the arrest of Comrade Milos
Karavezic and many others**



Times are growing more tense, which is why the attacks on us—the revolutionary youth who stand against the imperialists' war—are intensifying.

Even if we have disagreements and contradictions in the course of the struggle, one thing we know for certain: our opponents are weak, and that is why they are aggressive. We stand on the side of millions. The peoples have long since begun to defend themselves against barbarism. Our task remains to equip young people in our countries for the struggle against war and against our rulers in our respective countries.

Our task remains to foster exchange among us revolutionary youth about our struggles, experiences, successes, and failures, and—wherever possible and where we are in agreement—to advance these struggles through concrete action.

The FDJ, together with the SKOJ, took one such small step in 2021: making the knowledge of the labor movement accessible again to young people through the new edition of Karl Liebknecht's **Militarism and Antimilitarism**. Here is an excerpt from the joint preface:

“Militarism constitutes one of the strongest and most important components of the capitalist social order. At the imperialist stage of capitalism’s development, militarism grows to enormous, unprecedented proportions and seeks, through the extensive network of its organizations, to encompass the entire population, either directly or indirectly. Militarism does not limit itself to creating military formations, but strives to militarize the entire life of the population and make it subservient to its own ends.

Militarism serves a dual purpose: on the one hand, it is used as a weapon against the working people in its own country, against the oppressed colonial peoples, and against the Socialist Soviet Republics; on the other hand, against imperialist rivals.

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Today—and yet we are still told we live in times of peace—we are once again expected to go to war for our rulers against our own kind. The youth of the oppressed peoples worldwide and the youth of the

European countries bled dry by German capital with the help of the imperialist EU alliance have long known what this means. Once again, we are expected to hate and blame our own kind for the misery in our own country. And this is being made very palatable to us. But we will not become the lapdogs of capital! Anyone who wants to understand what weapon the working-class youth holds in their hands must read Karl Liebknecht's "Militarism and Antimilitarism," for which he was accused of high treason—the ruling class knew the danger posed by the

text. And we know: The future belongs to the youth of the world. If our masters send us into the next world war, we will turn our guns around. For the fight against militarism means down with imperialism and long live international solidarity!

Proletarians of all countries and oppressed peoples, unite!

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Take one of us, and a thousand more will follow!

You can break one finger, but five fingers make a fist!

Friendship!

**Central Council of the FDJ
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