

## Now is Not the Time to Remain Silent - (No Es Hora De Callar)!

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Jineth Bedoya Lima: "We are not going to rest until we have justice and truth for all the victims of the conflict in Colombia"

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Yesterday, 7th October, on the day we remembered Anna Politkovskaya's murder 10 years ago, Jineth Bedoya Lima (COLOMBIA) won 2016 RAW in WAR ANNA POLITKOVSKAYA AWARD, as President Juan Manuel Santos of COLOMBIA RECEIVED THE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE

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Today, 8th October, speaking on the phone from a street demonstration in Colombia to demand the peace deal be saved, Jineth Bedoya Lima said:

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"The two awards that were announced yesterday in Colombia - Nobel Peace Prize for president Santos and Anna Politkovskaya Award to me sends a very clear message from the world to Colombia that we have to end this war of more than 52 years, but also that we commit to continue working for the people who have been victims during the conflict.

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It is a very clear message to tell the victims and survivors of sexual violence that we are not going to rest until we have justice and truth for them and for all the victims of the conflict in Colombia. But also it is a light of hope for the women who have believed that through word and voice you can visualize and change the reality and this is what I have been trying to do all these years.

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These are timely awards in the midst of the difficult situation that we are living in Colombia.â€•

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Press Release: Jineth Bedoya Lima is the winner of the 2016 Anna Politkovskaya Award ENGLISH

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