

## Women in Black London

Stop the killing Stop the misogyny Stop the assaults No more violence against women

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Above are the names of

## 50 women killed by a man in the UK in 2024

collected by the Guardian in their project, Killed Women Count.

https://tinyurl.com/44uczsrt

**'A national emergency'** NPCC analysis reveals

**2 million women a year** are estimated to be victims of male violence. 1 in 12 women affected. https://tinyurl.com/5vrwk765 **1 in 5 women** suffer online abuse or harassment, half say it was sexist or misogynistic,

**27%** say it threatened sexual or physical assault. Amnesty International UK https://tinyurl.com/4ks8uv8j

Women in Black London stand in mourning for all women killed by men. We stand in solidarity with women who have experienced rape and assault and gender oppression in the UK and across the world.

Women in Black see a continuum between domestic violence and war. Patriarchal, patrimonial attitudes at home disregard the voices and needs of women as primary care givers and agricultural workers, and lead to extreme acts of violence and war. Women in Black see a continuum between misogyny promoted online and domestic violence.

## 'Gender violence takes many forms [..] We vow to fight them all.'

*Thesis 6. Feminism for the 99%, a manifesto, Arruzza, C. Bhattacharya, T. Fraser, N.* **What we can do:** Speak up! Call out misogyny! Call on tech' companies to take down misogynist posts. Support campaign and advocacy groups below:

- End Violence Against Women Coalition https://www.endviolenceagainstwomen.org.uk/
- Women's Aid https://www.womensaid.org.uk/
- REFUGE, for women and children facing domestic violence www.refuge.org.uk/
- NIA https://niaendingviolence.org.uk/
- UK Feminista https://ukfeminista.org.uk/
- Million Women Rise https://www.millionwomenrise.com/



Women in Black hold vigils every Wednesday between 6-7 pm at the Edith Cavell Statue, opposite the National Portrait Gallery, St.Martin's Place, London WC2. Our vigils are silent, women-only and if possible we wear black. We welcome all women who support our call for an end to militarism and war. Twitter: @WIB\_London Facebook: @womeninblack.london Website: london.womeninblack.org

Donations for leaflets welcome