

Send a birthday card to these political prisoners. It's an easy way to help remind these freedom fighters that they aren't forgotten. If you make one, remember- don't use anything like white-out, stickers, tape or glitter on it. We also recommend that you put your name and address and their name and prisoner number on the card, lest the authorities "lose" the envelope and forget where it is going. If you would like to add a birthday or sign up for our poster mailing list, email us at [ppbirthday@riseup.net](mailto:ppbirthday@riseup.net). Brought to you with love by the Chapel Hill Prison Books Collective. [prisonbooks.info](http://prisonbooks.info)

## November

**November 1, 1944**  
**Ed Poindexter**  
**#110403**  
**P. O. Box 2500**  
**Lincoln, NE 68542**

The Nebraska 2 were charged and convicted of the murder of Omaha Police Officer Larry Minard. Minard died when a suitcase containing dynamite exploded in a North Omaha home on August 17, 1970. Officer John Tess was also injured in the explosion.

Poindexter and Rice were members of the Black Panther Party, and their case was, and continues to be, controversial. The Omaha Police withheld exculpatory evidence at trial. The two men had been targeted by the FBI's COINTELPRO (Counter Intelligence Program). The state's parole board have recommended the men for release, but political leaders have not acted on these recommendations. [n2pp.info](http://n2pp.info)

**November 18, 1981**  
**Tim DeChristopher**  
**#16156-081**  
**FCI Herlong**  
**Post Office Box 800**  
**Herlong, CA 96113**

Tim DeChristopher was convicted of two felony counts for ruining a federal land auction by bidding on oil and gas leases. Later the auction was deemed illegal and the land is now permanently protected. Tim was given two years for this highly strategic action. [www.bidder70.org](http://www.bidder70.org)

## December

**December 5, 1947**  
**Tsutomu Shirosaki**  
**#20924-016**  
**FCI Terre Haute**  
**P.O. Box 33**  
**Terre Haute, IN 47808**

Tsutomu Shirosaki is a Japanese national imprisoned as a political prisoner in the United States. He has been accused of being a member of Japanese Red Army and participating in several attacks, including a mortar attack against a U.S. embassy. He is currently serving 30-years in a U.S Federal prison. [www.denverabc.wordpress.com](http://www.denverabc.wordpress.com)

**December 12, 1954**  
**Zolo Agona Azania**  
**#4969 / P.O. Box 41**  
**Indiana State Prison**  
**Michigan City, IN 46361**

Zolo Azania is a former Black Panther convicted of a 1981 bank robbery that left a Gary, Indiana cop dead. He was arrested miles away from the incident as he was walking, unarmed, down the street. The prosecution intimidated witnesses, suppressed favorable evidence, presented false eyewitness and expert testimony, and denied him the right to speak or present motions in his own behalf. [www.zoloazania.org](http://www.zoloazania.org)

**December 15, 1946**  
**Fred Burton**  
**AF 3896**  
**SCI Somerset**  
**1590 Walters Mill Rd**  
**Somerset, PA 15510**

Frederick Burton is an innocent man who has diligently attempted to prove his innocence to the courts for the past 37 years. In 1970, Fred was accused and then convicted of participating in the planning of the murder of Philadelphia police officers. While the plan was allegedly to blow up a police station, what occurred was that a police officer was shot and killed allegedly by members of a radical group called "the Revolutionaries." [denverabc.wordpress.com](http://denverabc.wordpress.com)

**December 17, 1987**  
**Bradley Manning**  
**c/o Courage To Resist**  
**484 Lake Park Ave # 41**  
**Oakland CA 94610**

Bradley Manning, a 23-year-old Army intelligence analyst, is accused of leaking a video showing the killing of civilians, including two Reuters journalists, by a US Apache helicopter crew in Iraq. He is also charged with sharing the documents known as the Afghan War Diary, the Iraq War Logs, and embarrassing US Diplomatic Cables, with the anti-secrecy website WikiLeaks. [www.bradley-manning.org](http://www.bradley-manning.org)

**December 28, 1955**  
**Jerome White-Bey**  
**#37479; 5A-118**  
**ERDCC**  
**2727 Highway K**  
**Bonne Terre, MO 63628**

Jerome is an anarchist prison activist who set up the Missouri Prison Labor Union to fight slave labor in prisons. [denverabc.wordpress.com](http://denverabc.wordpress.com)

