Entry type: Person
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Bacon, Eva

(1909 - 1994)

Born	19090101
Died	19940723
Occupation	Peace activist

Summary

Eva Bacon settled in Australia after Hitler's invasion of Austria in 1938. Jim McIlroy, in his tribute to Eva in the *Green Left Weekly*, writes that "she continued her life-long struggle for peace, socialism and the emancipation of women in her new homeland through her activism in the Communist Party of Australia and a variety of other progressive organisations."

Eva was a member of the Communist Party of Australia, the Union of Australian Women and the Women's Electoral Lobby. She was also a founding member of the International Women's Day Committee. She was married to her husband Ted for almost 50 years and they had one daughter, Barbara.

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