Zenzile Miriam Makeba



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Early Life

- Born in Johannesburg on March 4th 1932
- Lived in a poor and segregated area
- Went to live with her grandma when her dad died in 1937
- Got exiled from South Africa in 1959

Role, Achievements And Legacy

- Won a Grammy with Harry Belafonte
- Symbol of hope, courage and pride
- ☐ Spoke at the United Nations
- First black South African woman

Why She Inspires Me

- Fought for what's right
- Taught us how powerful your voice and words are

"I will sing until the last day of my life. When I sing, I tell the truth." - Miriam Makeba

Images

Miriam Makeba winning a Grammy with Harry Belafonte.



Miriam Makeba with the Manhattan Brothers.



Miriam Makeba and the Skylakers.

