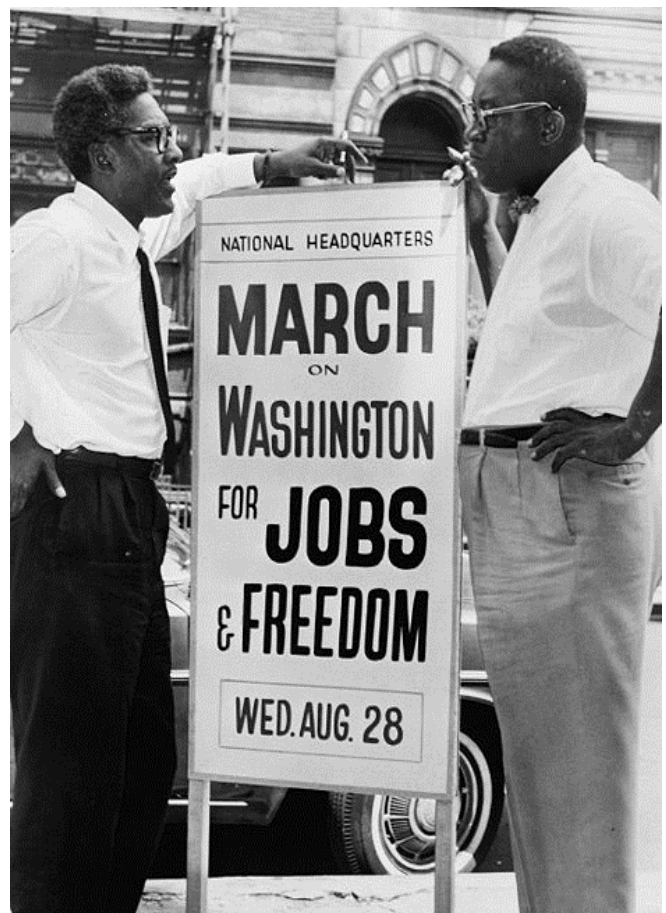


## IX. The 1963 March on Washington, D.C.





The march took place on Tuesday August 28, 1963. A quarter of a million people walked down Pennsylvania Avenue to the Lincoln Memorial. About half the marchers were black and half were white. It showed that more and more white people understood the blacks' problems. Many of the marchers carried signs which said "Give us the freedom in 1963 which was promised in 1863!". They also asked for jobs and demanded an end to police brutality.

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