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I was just one of hundreds of strikers. In order to keep the mechanics of our cause ongoing, I pretty much did ground-level tasks wherever needed. . . . [I]t was the men who were out there being visible, and it was the women who did the work. . . . The Strike connected women from all walks of life who joined together to fight for a cause. It was a time when we shared not only our commonalities and sensibilities, but also a respect and recognition of our diversities.

Jeffery Paul Chan, et al., eds., At 40: Asian American Studies @ San Francisco State: Self-Determination, Community, Student Service (2009), p. 26.