

Nobel Prize for Peace

On October 6, 2023 the Nobel Prize winner's announcement started. On December 10 prizes will be distributed.

Winners:

Narges Mohammadi – Iran

Awarded for:

“For her fight against the **oppression of women** in Iran, the **death penalty** & her fight to promote **human rights, democracy, and freedom** for all”.



Announced by:

The Norwegian Nobel Committee

Cash prize:

11 million Swedish kronor (approximately Rs. **8.33 crore**)

About Narges Mohammadi:

A human rights advocate, a freedom fighter. Her brave struggle for freedom of expression, the right of independence has come with tremendous personal costs. Altogether, the regime in Iran has arrested her 13 times, convicted her 5 times, & sentenced her to a total of 31 years in prison and 154 lashes. **Narges Mohammadi is still in prison.**

Motto adopted by the demonstrators: “**Woman – Life – Freedom**”

Woman: Fights for women against systematic discrimination & oppression.

Life: Supports women's struggle for the right to live full & dignified lives. This struggle has been met with persecution, imprisonment, torture and even death.

Freedom: She fights for freedom of expression, the right of independence, against rules requiring women to remain out of sight & cover their bodies. The freedom demands expressed by demonstrators apply not only to women, but to the entire population.

More to know:

- **19th** woman to win the Nobel Peace Prize
- **2nd** Iranian woman won the award.

