

## The Truth About Trotsky

Followers of Trotsky, Trotskyists, still have an important influence in Britain, and other countries. There are a number of parties and groups in Britain, which define themselves as Trotskyist, some with more influence than others. As anarchist communists we often come across Trotskyists in struggles around the workplace, in campaigns against war and militarism, racism and fascism. In other words, we often encounter them in many radical movements.

This pamphlet argues that far from being a fighter for workers' power, Trotsky consistently used authoritarian methods. It aims to provide evidence of the real nature of Trotsky's role within the Russian Revolution. It attempts to convince those members of Trotskyist groups who sincerely look towards the overthrow of capitalism and the establishment of a free, just and equal society, that the ideas of Trotsky are flawed.

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