



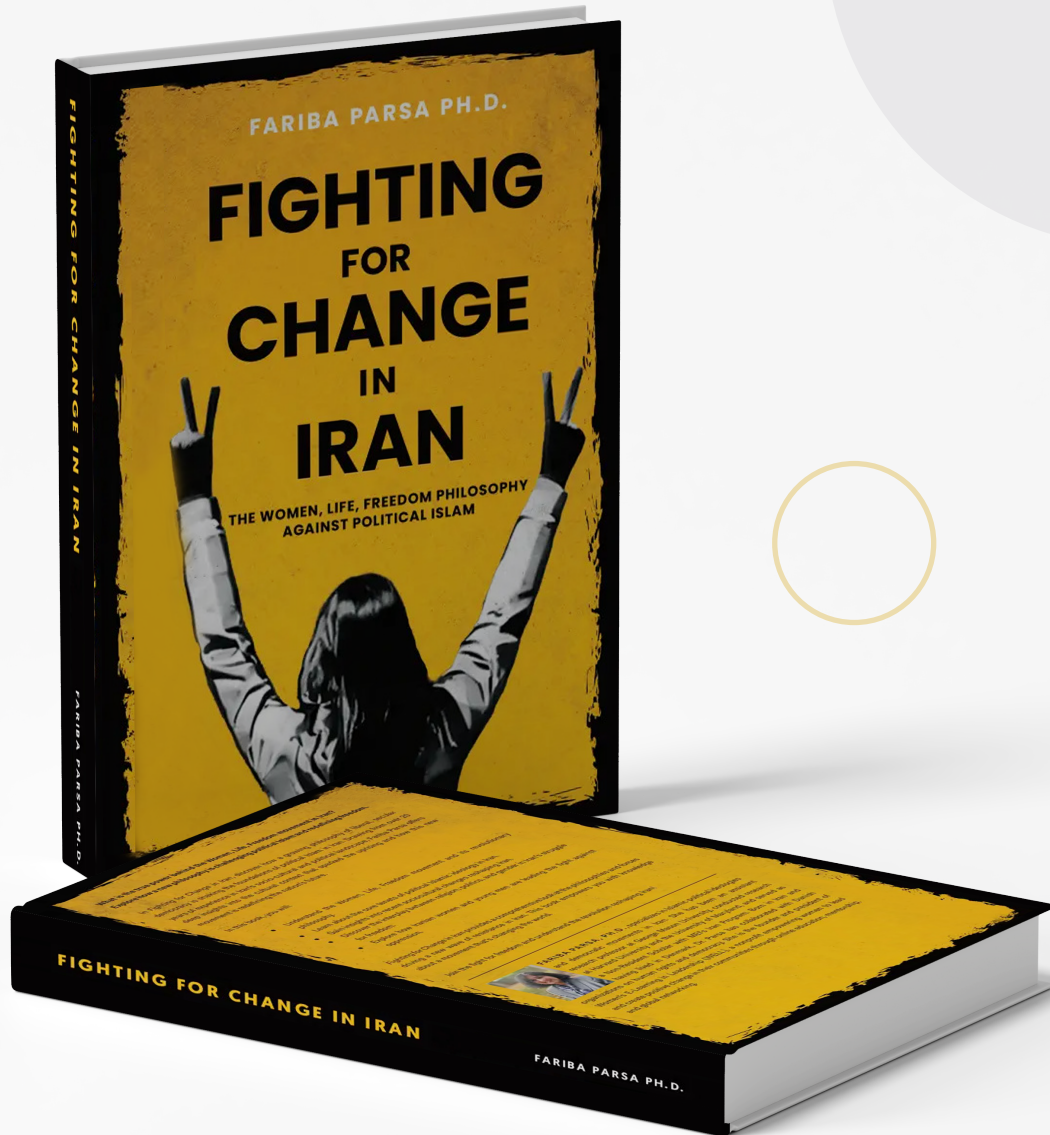
## *Fariba Parsa*

Ph.D in social Sciences with a focus on Iran

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A nonprofit organization in the State of Virginia, USA



## *You Discover*

- What is the true power behind the Women, Life, Freedom Movement in Iran?
- How has the political Islamic Ideology been challenged?
- How is a growing movement for liberal secular democracy shaking the Islamic Republic in Iran?



## *Speech Topics*

- The philosophy of the “Women Life Freedom” - Movement
- The rise and the Fall of the political Islam
- Women, Democracy, and Peace

The way Dr. Parsa connected the fight for women's rights and freedom to broader democratic ideals gave our audience a much clearer understanding of the significant societal changes unfolding in Iran. The students were particularly inspired by her expertise and passion for empowering women through leadership, as exemplified by the important work at Women's E-Learning in Leadership (WELL). Dr. Parsa's lecture sparked meaningful discussions and left a lasting impact on their understanding of Iran's civil movements.

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## References:

This powerful and timely book sheds light on the courageous Women, Life, Freedom movement, offering a compelling analysis of its challenge to political Islam and its vision for a more just and democratic Iran. A must-read for anyone seeking to understand the intersection of gender, freedom, and resistance in today's world. Highly recommend.

Leah Kral, author of *Innovation for Social Change: How Wildly Successful Nonprofits Inspire and Deliver Results*, USA.

Fariba Parsa provides a comprehensive analysis of the roots, emergence, and impact of the Women, Life, Freedom movement in opposition to Political Islam in Iran. The book explores the cultural, historical, and political conditions that have fueled resistance, emphasizing the role of Iranian women in challenging institutionalized gender discrimination and authoritarian rule. Through 12 in-depth chapters, Parsa examines the philosophy of resistance, global solidarity, and the movement's lasting implications for Iran's future.

Rouhi Shafii, Author and Sociologist, founder of the International Coalition Against Violence in Iran (ICAVI), London, UK

Dr. Fariba Parsa provides historical and social context, highlighting the role of women in Iran's civil and political movements and examining the systemic challenges that women face. She explores the ongoing struggle for women's rights, democracy, and freedom in Iran. Dr. Fariba combines her scholarly research with her personal insights as an activist and academic, offering a comprehensive perspective on how women's empowerment can reshape Iranian society and challenge authoritarianism. The book explores the philosophy behind the "Women Life Freedom" movement.

Fatma Aytac. Chairwoman at Kırmızı Biber Derneği (Turkish women's group in New Jersey) and Co-Chairwoman, for Women's Political Party in Turkey.



## References:

Fariba Parsa's *Fighting for Change in Iran* is a compelling exploration of the persistent and courageous struggles of Iranian activists, particularly women, against systemic oppression. The book focuses on women's leadership within the broader context of Iran's struggle for democracy. Parsa's writing is accessible yet deeply analytical, making it suitable for both academic and general audiences.

Dr. Rezvan Moghadam. Founder and Speaker of Stop Honor killings in Iran

## How to Get the Book?

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