Conceived and written by historian Kostis Karpozilos, this recently released (2013) documentary narrates the story of Greek-American radicalism from the era of mass migration to the McCarthy period of the 1950s. It is a history of collective struggles, radical ideas, exciting journeys and forgotten traditions interwoven with the times of upheaval, social and political movements, persecutions and collective disillusionments. Focusing on the period from the Great Depression to the demise of ethnic radicalism in the 1950s, the film brings forth an alternative vision of Greek-American history that highlights the transformations and multiple interrelations between ethnicity, class, and radicalism.

Trailer: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vrkgPNnV-Js

Web site: http://www.greekamericanradicals.com/

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