

## Candles lit in memory of Benazir

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ISLAMABAD - The representatives of the civil society, labour as well as student unions, human rights activists, intellectuals, poets and general public Monday observed a candle lit vigil at Super Market in memory of the slain leader Benazir Bhutto observing her 3rd death anniversary.

They observed the vigil reiterating their resolve that they would continue struggle of Benazir Bhutto to end poverty, illiteracy, violence against women, extremism and for growth of democracy in Pakistan. A portrait of smiling Benazir Bhutto with her words "I see Islam as committed to tolerance, equality and to the principles of democracy" was reflecting BB's vision as how she defined Islam.

HR activists Naeem Mirza, Samina Azhar, Nasreen Azhar, Irfana Millah, Rehana Hashmi and others paid rich tributes to late Benazir Bhutto for her struggle for the rights of women and democracy in the country. They said that the assassins of Benazir Bhutto were diminishing one by one but her name would remain everlasting in the world. Famous poets Iftikhar Arif and Fahmida Riaz moved the atmosphere by reciting their poems in memory of Benazir Bhutto.