

## **FLY SO FAR**

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Imagine that you are pregnant. You are in your ninth month. You feel an intense pain. You faint. When you wake up you are at the hospital, surrounded by police officers. They accuse you of having killed your own baby. This is the story of Teodora Vásquez, the spokesperson of the Seventeen accused of aggravated homicide because of having a miscarriage in El Salvador.

Fly So Far follows Teodora and The Seventeen in their struggle to regain their freedom. Due to the criminalization of abortion, they have been sentenced to 30 years in prison for having an obstetric emergency. Their testimonies and cases are evidence of the State's violence against women, but also of collective resilience, solidarity and sisterhood.



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