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Love and Loyalty at the Grand Staircase (+ Photos)

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Thousands of grateful young people gathered at the Grand Staircase of the University of Havana to swear eternal loyalty to Commander-in-Chief of the Cuban Revolution, Fidel. Faces overwhelmed with emotion, reflected in tears, poems, shouts, music or song, returned to find him there, right where, as he said more than once, he became a revolutionary.

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At the Grand Staircase, emblematic site of Cuba's history, the tribute was attended by Second Secretary of the Central Committee of the Party and Vice-president of the Councils of States and Ministers José Ramón Machado Ventura, First Vice-President of the Councils of State and Ministers Miguel Díaz-Canel Bermúdez and Vice President of the Council of State and First Secretary of the Party in Havana Mercedes López Acea, first secretary of the Young Communists League National Committee Susely Morfa González, among other leaders of the Party, the State, the Government and the student organizations.

Engaged art came with renowned exponents of culture, some very young. They all came together to remember with verses, songs, music, dances ... the great example of firmness, simplicity and permanent sacrifice Fidel represents.

With a soul shuddering and committed, there was the child, the student, the worker, the teacher, the farmer, the doctor, the athlete ... the whole Island through its youth, because as Raul Torres sang in his theme Riding with Fidel, "Neither death believes it seized you."

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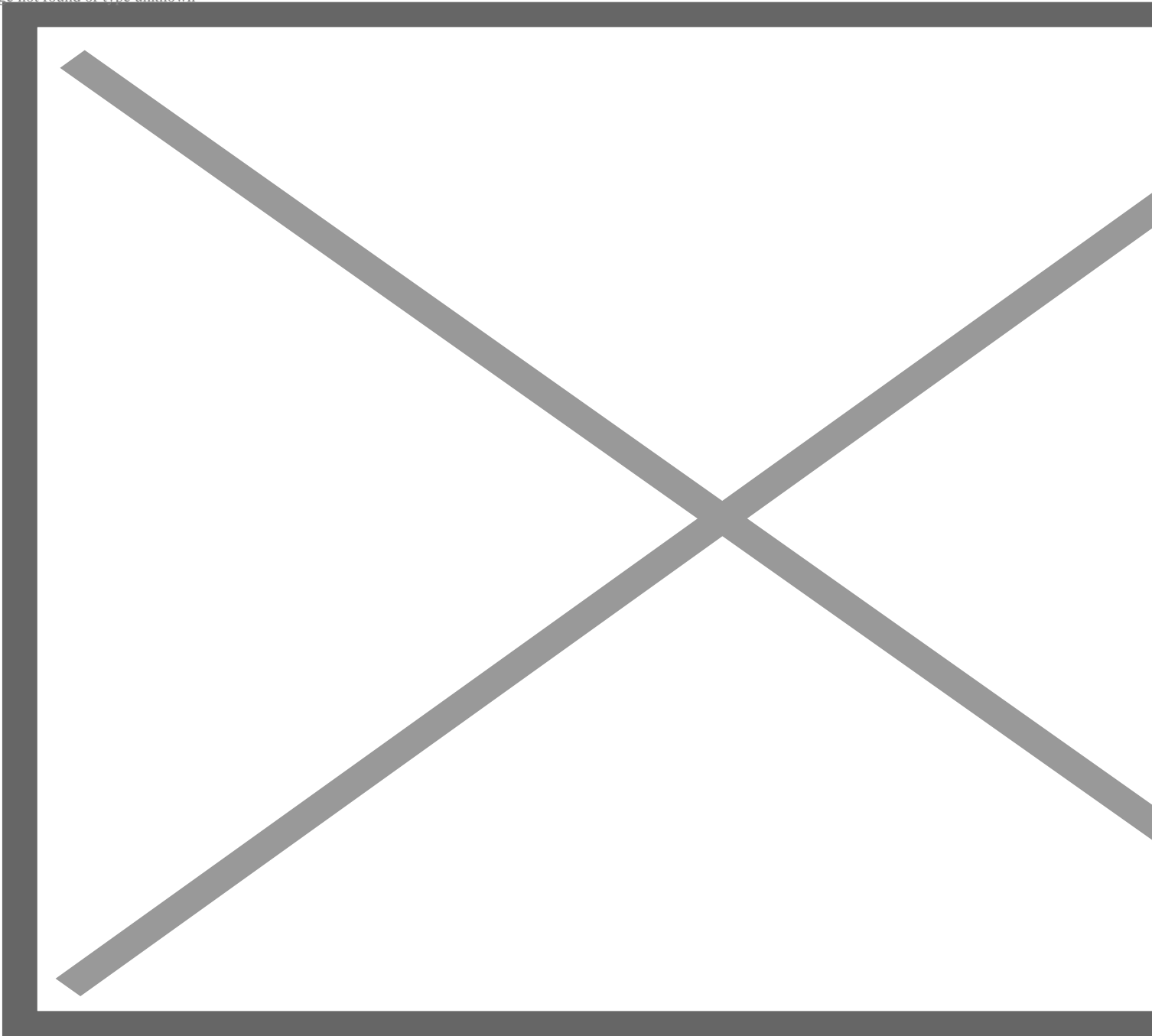
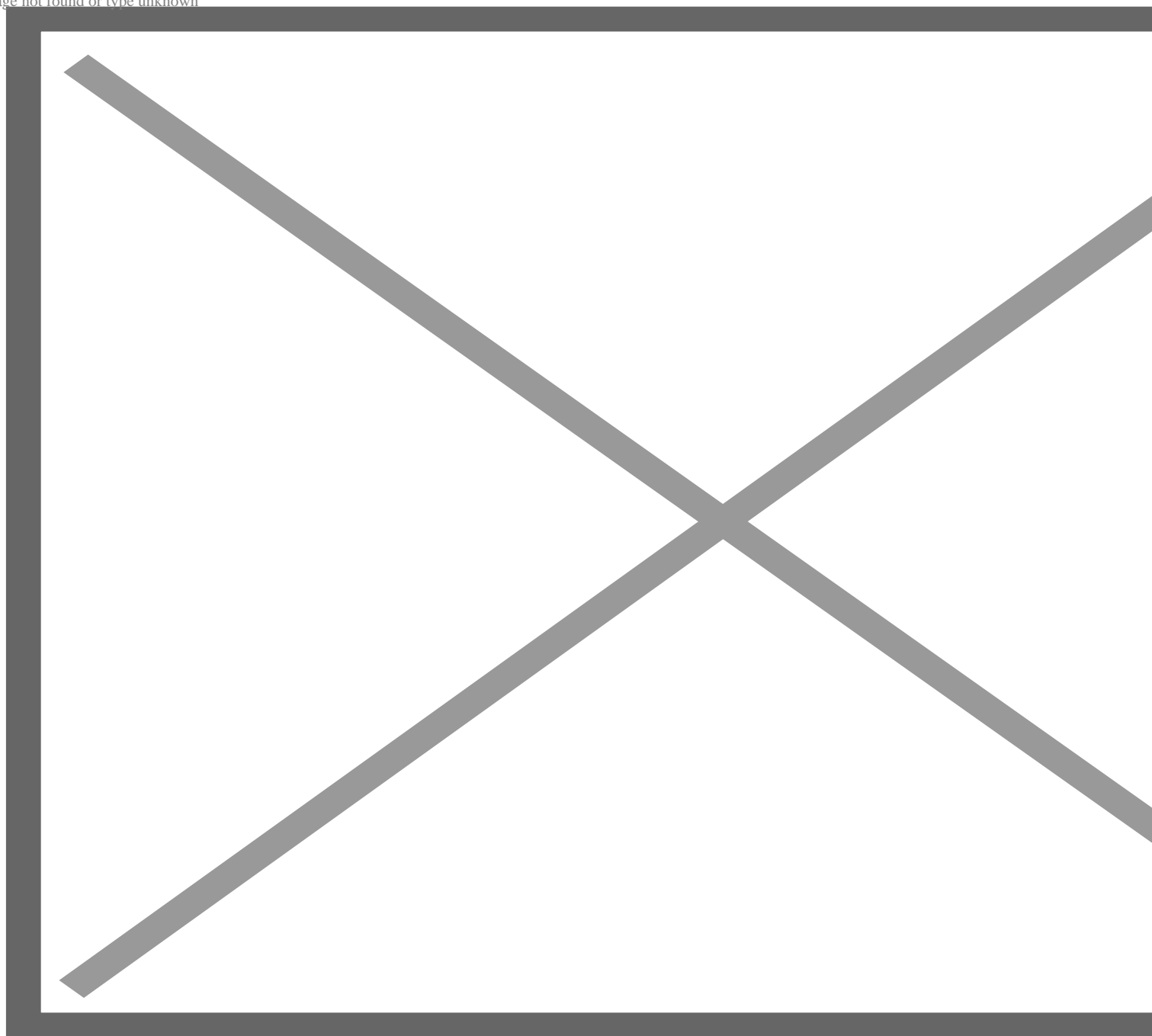
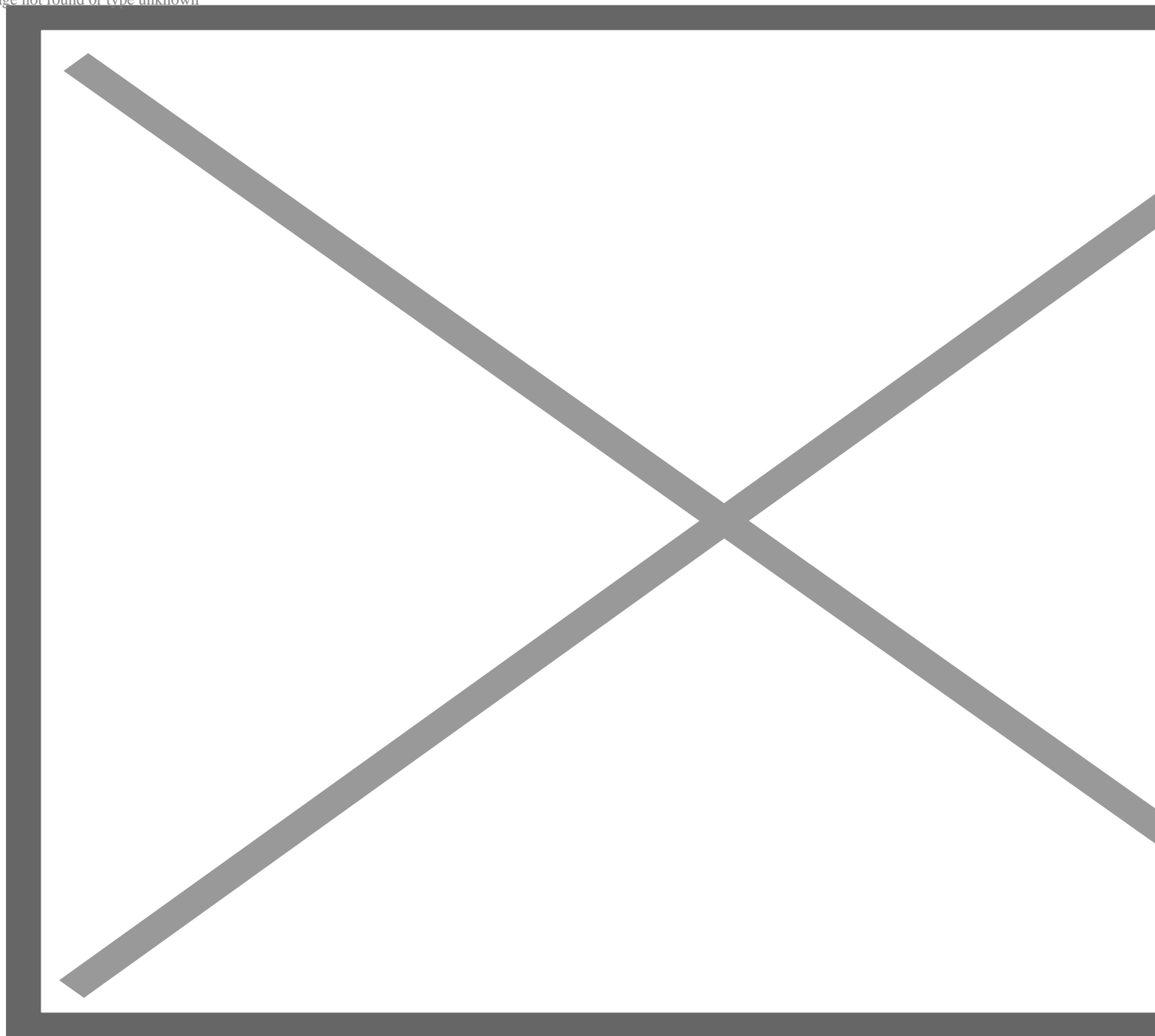


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Machado Ventura and Días Canel, among other political and governmental authorities accompanied the youth in their tribute to Fidel.

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