

## Is Lady Liberty Participating in "A Day Without Women?"

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The lights on the Statue of Liberty went out last night (Tuesday) and Twitter immediately lit up with theories and guesses to why.

The [EarthCam livestream of Lady Liberty](#), which people apparently like to watch, went mostly dark with only her crown and torch lit up. Many on social media believed it was deliberately done to show solidarity with today's A Day Without a Woman. One twitter user wrote, "The lights at the Statue of Liberty are out. Lady Liberty is on strike too."

The National Park Service, which operates the statue, explained that there was an unplanned power outage. A spokesperson said, "The outage was most likely due to work related to an ongoing project to activate a new emergency backup generator that is part of our last remaining Hurricane Sandy recovery projects." (NY Post)

