

## NFL Colin Kaepernick's protests

**Voice over :** ..... leading his team to a Super Bowl appearance in 2013, Colin Kaepernick ..... not for his performance on the field, but rather this one ; on the sidelines. Kneeling during the U. S. national ..... has become Kaepernick's signature move. A gesture to ..... discrimination ..... minorities in the U.S.

**Colin Kaepernick :** « We have a lot of people that aren't treated ..... , aren't given equal opportunities you know ..... is a huge thing. »

**Voice over :**

The 29-year-old quarterback began his protest last year, as the number of black men ..... by police officers ..... and demonstrators with the Black Lives Matter movement rallied in US cities. ..... American ..... quickly followed suit but the ..... backlash against Kaepernick grew just as swiftly. ..... , a National Football League fan poll found Kaepernick was the most ..... player in the NFL.

**Journalist :** And that brings us to this moment civil rights groups have gathered in front of the NFL headquarters in New York City to ..... Kaepernick they say the league is now retaliating ..... him. How ? ..... him a job.

**Voice over :** Kaepernick is no longer on a ..... But ..... Kaepernick may be paying for his protest with his career, the ..... he began continues ..... him. This week, Seth DeValve, a player with the Cleveland Browns, became the ..... white player to ..... during the national anthem. To see so many players ..... , that's what America is all about. It is about coming ..... and standing for something and it's for the greater cause.



