I sense that we balance on the edge of stopping another war. Our power, in growing, the consciousness of our country is changing just like it was on May 4, 1970. I sense a tiny tiny possibility that what happens at Kent State can be the lynchpin that grinds the billion dollar war machine to a halt again. I am ashamed of the hundreds dead and tortured bodies that show up on the streets of May every morning at the behest of the Toad that I pay every day. I want the war to stop and I am ready to do what ever is needed to stop it.

I think that Jeffrey Mills was ready too. I think that if he was able to re-run May 4, 1970 he would have been on the front all over again. He was ready to give everything to thousands of innocent people could live. Are you ready? I think that I am. Let's make it happen.

Respectfully Yours,

Carol J. Moyer

Please send this to the next meeting of the May 4 Task Force and let me know if there is anything that I can do to help.
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May 4 Task Force
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I am Brad Cotton, KSU Alumni and an arrestee from the “Tent City” hill occupation arrest of 192 of us on 12 July 1977.

Somehow in my life I have been negligent on being a regular attender at the annual 4 May commemoration. The times feel so terribly similar to May 1970 as we are again escalating a wrongful war. I have been very active in coordinating ant-war efforts locally.

I am offering to take one or more of the candle holding spots at the place Sandra Scheuer was killed if that is available. I pick Sandy as I remember her parents were arrested with me on 12 July 1977. I can volunteer for Jeff Miller, Allison Krause, William Schroeder also if needed.

I also offer to speak at the commemoration IF you are in need. I have spoken at recent ant-war events including the “Eyes Wide Open” Quaker exhibit, 2,497 boots on the Ohio State House Lawn, June 2006. I have a DVD of this if you wish to see. I am happy just to be re-connecting with Kent, don’t have to speak, I offer figuring that my connection to Kent and peace activities may be useful to you. I am sure Alan and Chic Canfora are available. Has Ron Kovic ever come back to speak?

In the Light, (Quaker phrase)

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Greetings,

I am sending you a poem I wrote in commemoration of the events of May 4th, 1970. I was a junior in High School when I heard the news and I was suspended for speaking out against the action of the National Guard. I continued to protest the Vietnam War and registered as a (CO) conscientious objector when I was drafted the following year.

It would be an honor if the Task Force would consider this work for inclusion in the program for next week. I have attended a number of commemorations in the past and I hope to join you again. Please contact me at (216) 932-4871 if you deem my work worthy of consideration. I have considerable experience as a public speaker and have taught college courses in psychology for twenty years.

Thanks to the Task Force for keeping the memories of 1970 alive and available to all of us.

Sincerely,

Quentin Paul Kuntz, MA, LPCC.
Hi

Jim was very dear to a group of surfers here in Oregon.
On a whim Jim came down and spent the entire day taking pictures of us surfing.
Then gave each of us a cd pictures he took.
That was the kind of guy Jim was. Always went the extra mile for his friends.
He loved photography, either doing it professionally or taking pictures of friends.
He was a part of us, a part of us died with him.
Thanks for letting me share.
Mike

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Jim was a wonderful friend, husband and father. Together with the other 8 of us he was lucky to survive the attack on dissent at Kent on May 4, 1970. After a time of healing and moving to Oregon he displayed his full appreciation for life. He was an organizer at work he got everyone to go to lunch together once a week. He had work friends and family join him every year at a Portland Trailblazer game. Together we told the story of the truth about the Kent state shootings to students in Oregon, California, and Ohio. He was my closest friend and I will never forget his smile and attitude. Peace, Jim and all my love, Joe.