

Are You Opposed to War?

Are you a conscientious objector?

If so, you can document your beliefs by joining the Mother's Day Action to Abolish Nuclear Weapons on Saturday, May 8, 2004, at Ground Zero, Bangor.

(You can participate fully without risking arrest. Students are discouraged from doing anything illegal.)

- ➡ Will there be a military draft?
- ➡ Will it include women as well as men?
- ➡ Will it include students under twenty years old?

No one knows at this time. If young men and women want to become conscientious objectors to all wars, the key is early documentation. There may be little time to ponder those questions should political events change the United States.

To become a conscientious objector you must present a tangible, well documented case before your local draft board. No matter how genuine your beliefs, they do not count unless grounded by evidence.

That is why the *Ground Zero Center for Nonviolent Action* will be offering official certificates of appreciation to those who request them.

Besides good documentation, your case for CO status is helped tremendously if you have a history of associating with others also seeking CO status. So bring all your friends, women and men. Demonstrate your conviction. **What better Mother's Day gift could you give?**

Complete information on the Mothers' Day rally is attached.

There is an abundance of material available to conscientious objectors. Here are some places to start:

Washington Truth in Recruiting	http://www.watir.org	(425) 827-3107
Central Committee for Conscientious Objectors	http://www.objector.org	(510) 465-1617
Committee Opposed to Militarism and the Draft	http://www.comdsd.org	(760) 753-7518
Seattle Draft and Military Counseling Center	http://www.scn.org/ip/sdmcc	(206) 789-2751
GI Rights Hotline		1-800-394-9544
Ground Zero Center for Nonviolent Action	http://www.gzcenter.org	