AN OBJECTION TO THE DISPLAY OF ARMAMENTS

The public exposition of armaments upon the campus or in the buildings of this university is incompatible with those aims of higher education which are to enrich and preserve life. Such a display of weapons has the effect of promoting warfare, especially in the present context of the war in Southeast Asia. To glorify the destruction of human life is an insult to the dignity of individual students and to the reputation of the university as a whole.

The Frog Horn describes the atmosphere of Texas Christian University as: "A multitude of people, services, and facilities that will make your years in TCU more pleasant." It also says, "Firearms and fireworks are not permitted anywhere on campus." The implications of the present display of rifles does not appear to comply with these standards.

In the future all displays of military armaments should not be allowed in the buildings or on the grounds of this university campus. As soon as such displays are brought here, they should be removed from the campus and not returned.

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