

PEACENIKS

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- *Definition of “peacenik” :*
an opponent of war; specifically, one who participates in antiwar demonstrations.
- *First known use of the word “peacenik” = 1962.*
- *Synonyms :*
pacifist
dove

VIETNAM WAR

- *Vietnam War:*
from 1 November 1955 to the fall of Saigon on 30 April 1975
(that's... 19 years, 5 months, 4 weeks and 1 day!)
- *The anti-Vietnam war movement was started by students in American universities in 1964.*
- *It slowly included Americans from all walks of life and grew into very large demonstrations from 1967 to 1971.*
- *The main question for peaceniks was: "Why are we there?"*



WHAT
IS IT
GOOD
FOR?

MARTY NEUMEIER



BOB DYLAN

a famous peacenik

MASTERS OF WAR (1963)

*Come you masters of war
You that build all the guns
You that build the death planes
You that build all the bombs
You that hide behind walls*

...

*You that never done nothing
But build to destroy
You play with my world
Like it's your little toy
You put a gun in my hand
And you hide from my eyes
And you turn and run farther
When the fast bullets fly*

...

*You might say that I'm young
You might say I'm unlearned
But there's one thing I know
Though I'm younger than you
That even Jesus would never
Forgive what you do*

...

***The singer is against the ones
responsible for the wars and he
tells them that what they do is an
unforgivable crime.***

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