Inquiring Reporter -Viet Nam Bombing

"Do you agree with President Johnson's decision to resume bombing North Vietnam why?"

Joe Sobo - KAX - Senior

Johnson is following "Yes. Goldwater's policies about bombing North Vietnam. The bombing will facilitate a speedy end. I think we must follow a diplomatic course."

Don Cohen - APO - Senior

"Yes, I am in favor of resuming bombing. The original bombings were a waste of time, money, and lives when the Viet Cong were given a chance to rebuild their centers of transportation, supplies, and armaments during the 37 day lull."

George Grodberg - OEX - Junior

"Not only am I in favor of resuming the bombing, I feel that it should never have been discontinued. I am of the same belief that General Mac Arthur held when we were in Korea. The bombing raids should not be restricted to North Vietnam but should include the supply lines in Laos and China."

Gary Weisbrot - Junior

"The resumption of bombing

was not of serious consequence to our foreign policy which is independence or terrorism, all or nothing."

Leslie Stern - Sophomore

"No, I feel that if we are ever to attain peace in Vietnam we must prove to the North Vietnamese that our intentions are sincere. How can we ask for peace talks and at the same time bomb the people who we are supposed to be making peace with."

Don Lubitz - Junior

"I think that our fighting in Vietnam is an ironic waste of valuable young lives. The potential of our generation, all bravery and initiative is being cruelly wasted. Unfortunately neither I nor anyone else seems to have a decent solution other than this dog eat dog attitude."

Roger Lehman - Freshman

"The current decision to bomb Vietnam is just, but will lead only to the prolongation of the war and add to the trouble in our quest for peace."

Pat Bala - Freshman

"Yes, I feel that the United States should stay in Vietnam to protect the lives of innocent people who are endangered by the Communist threat. If we leave now we are destroying our own policy of helping other states in time of need. Moreover, if we leave now, it will be an added victory for the Communists and they will only switch to another place and try to take over."

Stan Wallach - Sophomore

"I believe the United States should resume bombing in Vietnam and also on a larger scale. My primary reason is that it will save many American lives and may have some consequence in bringing the war to an end sooner. It will also protect the independence of South Vietnam and halt the Communist drive in Southeast Asia."