

SURE, CIVILIANS TALK ABOUT THEIR SUPPORT FOR AMERICAN SOLDIERS...

The American Legion gives you sympathy. The USO gives you the friendship of old ladies and scags. And the Daughters of American Revolution remember you after you're dead.

But all this "support" is a lot of hot air to guys who pay the price of lives and limbs for the Vietnam war.

We wanted you to know about the support of some other people. They are people against the war. They are teachers, preachers, truck drivers, students and retired brass who think the corrupt government in South Vietnam is not worth a single American life.

Of course, the brass and the lifers want you to think that anyone against the war is your enemy. But let's get the facts straight: the brass, the lifers and the politicians who want this war to go on forever are the enemy. The rest of us are trying to force some sense into this government and build public backing for your right to return to civilian life.

To make our point, the anti-war movement is calling a national demonstration. It will not be the usual demonstration you see. No signs. No parading around. It will be a demonstration of support to GIs.

You'll see us at airports, bus stations, and bases, passing out leaflets, talking or bringing our rock bands and love-ins right under the nose of the brass.

We call this demonstration National GI Week. It has no support from the American Legion. No support from the USO or from the Daughters of American Revolution. And no support from the lifers or the brass. National GI Week is from the people who think the best way to support our soldiers is to work like hell to get them home— alive. National GI Week is for the GI who says he may be forced to give his body to Uncle Sam, but damn if he'll turn over his brain.