No job, no salary, no relationship, no degree, no car, no house, no art, no furniture, no trip, no gadgets are worth paying federal income tax to rob, terrorize, blind, cripple, paralyze, make homeless, and murder our sisters and brothers in Iraq and worldwide.

The main purpose of the U.S. war machine is to make sure that most Americans, especially the greediest, keep on stealing and hogging the wealth of the world.

The best way to boycott the U.S. war machine, with no fines and no threats from the I.R.S., is to live simply – under the taxable level.

The taxable level this year for a single, under 65-year-old person is $7800. I lived well last year on $3760.

I yearn for a passionate, lifelong romance with a man, but I will not surrender or compromise my war tax refusal and my living simply for any man on earth!

I refused to be a soldier in 1969 during the Vietnam War. For me as a conscientious objector to pay federal income tax to train other Americans, largely the poor and people of color, to become professional hired killers to murder on command with no conscience would be more evil than being a soldier myself.

Gandhi said, “Ibe the change you want to see in the world... My life is my message.”
I have paid no federal income tax for 24 years. I refuse to pay for war.

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