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The Rev. Ed King
Tougaloo Southern Christian College
Tougaloo, Mississippi

Dear Ed:

You may already have heard from Carl Zitlow concerning a work camp at Tougaloo June 30th to July 27th under the auspices of the Commission on Ecumenical Voluntary Service Projects. I had a long talk with Carl yesterday and I think there is some real possibilities for you in working with him on this project.

I am also giving Carl your name which will in turn go to Bob James in the hope that you can organize a "tactical" group to prepare for the NSCF Assembly next Christmas. You will be receiving printed material from Bob James or Carl about this. My idea is that through such groups those of us with radical social concerns can make a real impact on the assembly but this will mean careful preparation and articulate participants in the preparatory sessions and at the assembly itself. However, I think this would give us a real chance to make some dent on the Establishment.

My particular thought is that you can get a tactical group together of Millsaps and Tougaloo students and come up with some creative revolutionary interpretations of Christian responsibility embedded in practical experience. If possible I would hope that the group could come up with some challenging questions about the relationship of nonviolence and race relations to the larger world scene and world peace.

Let me know what your response is to this when you get the material from the Federation. I look forward to hearing from you and wish you all the best in your most difficult but challenging situation.

Sincerely,

Brewster Kneen

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note enclosed letter to Salter who is an FOR member of several years standing! what next?