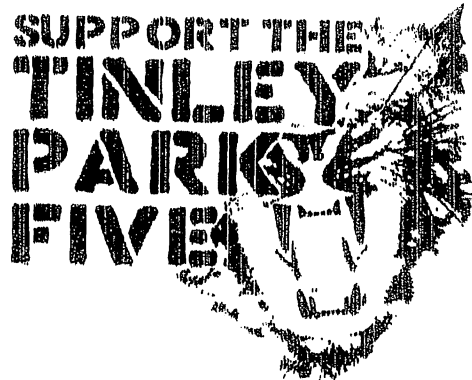




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WHY YOU SHOULD SUPPORT THE TINLEY PARK FIVE

Five people from Indiana were arrested in May 2012 in the Chicago suburb of Tinley Park. They are accused of disrupting, with hammers and batons, a meeting of various white supremacist groups. The alleged “victims” consisted of members of the National Socialist Movement, Ku Klux Klan, American Third Position, Council of Conservative Citizens, and other fascist groups who were meeting for a Midwest White Pride rally and to discuss economic strategy.

In the aftermath of the arrests, posters on white supremacist websites made wild, far-ranging statements against the accused and their families, threatening revenge. People completely unrelated to the arrestees were also targeted as well. People who follow the Twitter account that posts updates on the arrestees, people who identify themselves as anti-racist on Facebook, and others had their personal information posted on fascist websites. Attacks and threats against family members and friends were made as well.



CODY SUTHERLIN

Those meeting in Tinley Park are not simply people who hold racist opinions—they are organized, active fascists who would like



ALEX STUCK

nothing better than to see and white people who starve them, dead. Not only did the arrestees while painting most inoffensive light posters about the case has been directed towards the fascist organization says that we are all entitled to free speech in America, even if it—that the racists should say horrifying things about and train fascist militias. While they demonize and barely make mention of by the same groups who they champion. They claim action to oppose racism but the police and courts that, and that antifascists the Tinley Park Five are as bad as their enemies.

Would the civil rights movement have been as vibrant and effective without the work of Malcolm X or the Black Panthers, who took direct action towards autonomy and safety for Black people? Do you think says or does something stay silent, do nothing, and authorities (fundamental such as the police and courts the problem? Do you think have no personal responsibility racism, despite the way?

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think that the people who fought Nazis in
WWII—the Jewish resistance in Warsaw
or the French underground—were just
as bad as the Nazis? That's what this
argument implies as these groups also took
action that was not sanctioned by law.



JASON SUTHERLIN

Supporting the 'Tinley
Park Five doesn't have
to mean you support
violence—it's about
taking a stand against
racism and fascism. We
must oppose those who
actively promote racist,
sexist and homophobic agendas. If you
have a critique of how this action was
carried out, use this critique to formulate
your own plan of action against racism
rather than just complaining about what
others have done.

In early 2013, the five
accepted a plea bargain,
and received sentences
ranging from 3 1/2 to 6
years each. Now, more
than ever, they need



JOHN TUCKER

your support in all forums: letters, book
donations, and money to be used for
commissary and to help support their
families while they're imprisoned. You can
also show your solidarity with the five by
personally spreading the word about their
case, and by distributing flyers, posters,
and other literature.

Most importantly, just do something!
Whether we meet white supremacists on
the street, see racism in our daily lives,
or encounter the institutional racism that
shapes our society, we can choose to combat
it, using whatever means we personally find
appropriate.

Write them:

Alex Stuck - released!

Cody Sutherland - released!

Dylan Sutherland - released!

Jason Sutherland MB4023
East Moline Correctional Center
100 Hillcrest Road
East Moline, Illinois 61244

John Tucker - released!

Birthdays:

Alex - December 19th

Cody - December 2nd

Dylan - March 3rd

Jason - March 17th

John - March 23rd

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