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MS. KENDRICK: I'd like to speak to you

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1 directly. Can you hear me in the back? My name is Bonnie
2 Kendrick. In the '80s I was active in going to the nuclear
3 test site and got arrested and was put in the cages that were
4 built at great expense, went to Oakridge, Tennessee, was also
5 arrested. I just thought gosh, it's against international
6 law to plan and prepare for a war which would cause mass
7 genocide and mass environmental damage.

8 When I read that book by the Professor
9 Urbana, it made sense to me, and finally there was a legal
10 way to stop nuclear waste. I had the naive impression that
11 if I just had a court date, I could maybe make a difference.
12 In the justice system, I found there was no justice system.
13 I was not able to quote the constitution in my own defense,
14 that Article 6, Section 2 of the constitution states
15 international treaties are the supreme law of the land. The
16 constitution or laws of any state, with a capital S,
17 notwithstanding also my -- I worked canvassing door to door,
18 which I had done for four years previously here in this area,
19 educating people about nuclear issues, mainly nuclear
20 military issues.

21 And I thought that -- if only I could get
22 the jury to hear my expert witnesses that I had spent nine

1 months raising the money to take -- to transport them to
2 Oakridge, Tennessee, maybe that would make a difference. The
3 judge said no, you can't have these environmental and health
4 witnesses and military witnesses speak in front of the jury.
5 You can have a -- you can go and appeal it on a higher level.
6 So, justice in this society, I don't see it, not in my case.
7 So, I had to step back, and I have spent the last since '91
8 doing Yoga and meditating and becoming -- well, I had been a
9 vegetarian already.

10 So I'd like to do something with us, if you
11 wouldn't mind putting away your intellectual caps and sitting
12 up straight in your chairs, lifting up the spine, and you'd
13 like to put away your notebook and put your hands up in a
14 receptive position on the thighs and just close your eyes and
15 take your mind away from your intellectual center in your
16 heart center, because too often in our society we educate the
17 mind, and many of us become educated derelicts, like the
18 Ph.D.s at Oakridge and Paducah and all across the United
19 States.

20 We all have a light side and a dark side,
21 including me. Everybody does. So close your eyes and go
22 into your heart center and just take a deep breath and find

1 the light inside your heart, and with every breath let the
2 light grow stronger and stronger. With every exhale feel a
3 cosmic wind going through the space of your body, the
4 universe inside you, and let it carry you away, all the
5 darkness, the egoism, the lust, the anger, the greed, the
6 hatred and the jealousy that we all struggle against. Let
7 any disease or negative thought patterns just path through 8
your body, let go of all that stuff, keep inhaling in the 9
light. Let's have a moment of silence so that your inner
10 voice, inner devine voice, might speak to you and give you a
11 message here. Let's do that for the next moment.

12 MR. LAWSON: 30 seconds please.

13 (Pause.)

14 MR. LAWSON: All set, Ms. Kendrick?

15 MS. KENDRICK: Thank you. I hope your inner
16 voice spoke to you. Take a moment when you go home, let the
17 workaholism go past you, become balanced. I think there's a
18 key.