

## **Read-Alikes List:**

### **NONFICTION:**

- 67 Shots: Kent State and the End of American Innocence by Howard B. Means
- The Game: Harvard, Yale, and America in 1968 by George Howe Colt
- 13 Seconds: A Look Back at the Kent State Shootings by Phillip Caputo
- Witness to the Revolution: Radicals, Resisters, Vets, Hippies, and the Year America Lost It's Mind and Found It's Soul by Clara Bingham
- Nixon's White House Wars: The Battles that Made and Broke a President and Divided America Forever by Patrick J. Buchanan
- When Truth Mattered: The Kent State Shootings 50 Years Later by Robert Giles
- Fire and Rain: The Beatles, Simon & Garfunkel, James Taylor, CSNY, and the lost story of 1970 by David Browne
- Ravens in the Storm: A Personal History of the 1960s Anti-War Movement by Carl Oglesby
- Small Town, Big Music: The Outsized Influence of Kent, Ohio, on the History of Rock and Roll by Jason Pruffer

### **GRAPHIC NOVELS:**

- March by John Lewis (civil rights; protests; same time period)
- Maus by Art Spiegelman (graphic novels about political turmoil; war)
- Persepolis by Marjane Satrapi (political turmoil; young adults during war; coming of age)

### **FICTION:**

- The Things They Carried by Tim O'Brien (American soldier perspective of Vietnam War)
- The Mountains Sing by Nguyễn Phan Quế Mai (Vietnamese perspective of Vietnam War, told through the eyes of a young person)
- The Sympathizer by Viet Thanh Nguyen (Vietnamese soldier's perspective of Vietnam War)
- Brewster by Mark Slouka (Coming of age; small town teens during 1968; same time period)
- Matterhorn by Karl Marlantes (literary epic on the Vietnam war, young soldiers in Vietnam)

**YOUNG ADULT:**

This Is Where It Ends by Marieke Nijkamp (YA)

Death Coming Up the Hill by Chris Crowe (YA)

Kent State by Deborah Wiles (YA)

Check out the archives and documents put together by Kent State University at [library.kent.edu/special-collections-and-archives](http://library.kent.edu/special-collections-and-archives)

**More By the Author:**

My Friend Dahmer by Derf Backderf

Trashed by Derf Backderf