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SAN JOSE STATE students marched peacefully Tuesday and Wednesday in direct contrast to Monday's confrontation with the police. Students will express their displeasure over the S.E. Asia situation once again today at 11:30 on the ROTC Field.

Four Thousand March!

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Four thousand chanting demonstrators staged a peaceful 25-block, hour-long march through the streets of San Jose Wednesday, protesting United States involvement in Cambodia.

The march came immediately after a rally in front of Tower Hall, attended by more than 2,000 students. Gov. Ronald Reagan's announcement that state colleges were to close Thursday and Friday came shortly before the 12:30 p.m. rally began.

The marchers left the campus at 1:40 p.m., heading south on Seventh Street. They began the march with shouts of "U.S. out of Southeast Asia, Rot-zee must go."

Walking 20 to 25 abreast, the students covered the width of the street. They marched three blocks down Seventh Street and turned right on East Williams Street.

The A.S. government-sponsored mass march turned right on First Street at 2 p.m. and headed through San Jose's business district, picking up people from the sidewalk who joined the protest.

There were no reported acts of violence during the demonstration.

Reaction among citizens on the sidewalks who witnessed the march was mixed. Some expressed pleasure in the student's actions, while others appeared angered.

A.S. President James Edwards participated in the protest and marched near the head of the procession.

The protesters returned to SJS at 2:40 p.m. and most of them proceeded to the speakers platform area at the south end of Seventh Street.

The crowd listened to speakers for almost an hour before disbanding with the promise of continuing the protest.