## **Problem 3** Stress Concentrations - Bending (25pts)

The simply supported notched bar is subjected to the two loads, each having a magnitude of P = 100lbs. Determine the maximum bending stress  $\sigma$  developed in the bar and sketch the bending stress distribution acting over the cross section at the center of the bar. Each notch has a radius of r = 0.125in. Run statics and draw the shear and moment diagrams in terms of P and L. Submit a copy of the stress concentration graph used indicating how K was obtained. Show all calculations to receive full credit.



