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The Man Behind the Mosque

These questions are to be answered while watching the film "The Man Behind the Mosque".

1) What was the purpose/reasoning behind the "ground zero mosque" project?

2) How was the project interpreted/accepted by different parts of the U.S. population?

3) What effects did the "ground zero mosque" project have on Islamic communities around the nation?

4) What do you think is the reasoning behind those who are involved in the movement against the mosque, and against the "Islamization of America" in general?

5) What does this film suggest (if anything) about the stratification of religions in the U.S.?

6) What insight might be gained on these events from sociological theory?
   a. Conflict:

   b. Functionalism:

   c. Symbolic Interactionism: