

A WARRIOR'S RELIGION

a film by Mani Amar

Executive Summary

Interviews:

Name(s)

Renu Bakshi

Dr. Kamala Nayar

Mota Singh Jheeta

Jas Sandhu

Harbans Kandola

Chief Constable Kash Heed

Honourable Wally Oppal

Manny S.

Harry Bains Raj Chouhan

Rob Rai

Bal Buttar

Sukhi Ghuman

Seargent Jet Sunner

Sukhwant Hundal

Andy B.

Seargent Shinder Kirk

Ron K. Kim Bolan

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Terry Gidda

Detective Doug Spencer

Detective Elvis Bellia

Constable Adam Dhaliwal

Eileen Mohan

Street Interviews with Youth & Public

Rupinder Sidhu a.k.a. Sunskript

Youth Gangsters

Temple Committee

Temple Youth Committee

Title(s)

Reporter

Educator/Writer

Appointed community leader

Counsellor

VIRSA President

Chief of West Vancouver Police

Attorney-General

Former Gangster

Member of Legislative Assembly

Member of Legislative Assembly

Youth Diversity Liason

Former Gangster

Media Personality

Team Izzat

Educator/Activist

Music Producer

B.C. Integrated Gang Task Force

Former Gangster

Reporter

Temple President

Vancouver Police Department

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Mother/Spokesperson

Music Artist



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Memorable Quotes:

- 'My favourite thing was art. At home my art wasn't appreciated.'
- -Bal Buttar, former gangster (talking in regards to his childhood)
- 'This is what a 6 foot guy is reduced to...a case like this...'
- -Eileen Mohan, mother/spokesperson (showing the bag that carried the urn with her son's ashes)
- 'So that is the question for our parents, our families. You are working hard, everyday, just to provide a brighter future for your kids. If that's not helping, what is the point of doing it?'
- -Raj Chouhan, MLA (talking in regards to neglect and parenting)
- 'So in terms of the community doing enough. Community is a part of society and again, society has to tackle this issue.'
- -Jas Sandhu, counsellor (talking in regards to lack of community support)
- 'For me, the culture and religion blur. And sometimes it is difficult to tell, what's religion and what's culture.'
- -Rob Rai, youth diversity liaison (talking in regards to Punjabi culture and the Sikh religion)
- 'Anytime I read newspapers or watch t.v. programs, when someone is talked about being a successful person, they always measure that success in wealth.'
- -Harry Bains, MLA (talking in regards to materialism)
- 'The lure of the fast money, the power, and the respect they really yearn for, can come just like *that* so they take the risk.'
- -Andy B., music producer (when asked why youth go towards gang lifestyles)
- 'Every man has his day, you take one, and it takes you.'
- -Bal Buttar, former gangster (when asked about the gang lifestyle)