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The Socialization of a Culture of War

Ethos ← Macrosocial ← Microsocial ← Person

(Gold) ← (Green) ← (Blue) ← (Pink)

American Exceptionalism, *Noblesse Oblige,* Divine Will, Manifest Destiny, Ethnocentricity, Self-Righteousness, NATO over UN. Fervent Nationalism

Aggression is Acceptable, Violent Entertainment, Warrior Mentality, Winner-Loser, Testosterone

Greed is Acceptable, Materialism, Consumerism, Protect Corporate Interests

War is Acceptable,

Competition is Good, Survival of the Fittest

Racism, Sexism, Ageism, Contestations

Power, Dominance, Control, Supremacy

Populace (Passive, Apathy, Comfort Pre-Occupation)

Religion is Violent, Tradition of Angry God, “Onward Christian Soldiers”

Individuality, Self-Absorption

Tolerance for Hypocrisy, Law Abuses, Corruption

Leaders: (e.g., Secret, Partisanship, Special Interests, Authoritarian, Surveillance)

Profit, Capitalism, Mastery Materialism, Exploitation, Commodification

Lobbying Pressure from Corporate, Veterans, Military, and Religious Groups for War

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