HUNGER AND BIN-LADEN IN AFGHANISTAN

Interviews with two people with knowledge of the things happening in Afghanistan. The people interviewed had different views on the topic.

Debora E. Jackson (Names changed for privacy of the interviewed)

Do you think the US should be giving food to other countries when some of them attacked us?
No, they should not. They do not deserve it for attacking us. People who attacked us as a country shouldn’t get support, but the ones who were forced to do things or were attacked too should get support.

Do you think that bin-Laden is still alive or just in hiding?
I think that he is alive somewhere in hiding because I don’t think he’d be dead since no one has reported it.

Why do you think Afghanistan is dealing with lack of food and water?
Droughts and war, the wars take up too much of the money that we could have spent on food for them. The droughts dry up a lot of water that kept all of their plants and animals alive at point.

Do you think it is right that we in the US are wasting food every day while people in Asia and Africa are hungry?
No, I do not think it is right, while we are growing fat on fast food, other people are starving. I think that we should send more money to support them.

Should money have been spent on helping the people of Afghanistan instead of building a wall to separate the Mexicans from the US?
Yes, I they should have supported the people in Afghanistan instead of a petty separation from the Mexicans.

If you could change the past, how would you handle the terrorist acts and the fighting in Afghanistan?
I would have made sure bin-laden was exterminated, so less war would happen, and maybe there wouldn’t be as much terrorism. I would also make sure that no one in these Asian countries were hungry because they don’t deserve to be.
Interview with Samuel Marshall

Do you think the US should be giving food to other countries when some of them attacked us?
I don't think they should because they attacked us, and they might turn on us in the future.

Do you think that bin-Laden is still alive or just in hiding?
I think bin-Laden is dead because it's been years and no one has ever heard anything from him or saw him at all.

Why do you think Afghanistan is dealing with lack of food and water?
Because of all the civil wars, terrorism and fights going on around the country. Maybe they don't need as much food now because lots of people got killed in the terrorist actions.

Do you think it is right that we in the US are wasting food every day while people in Asia and Africa are hungry?
I think it's fine that we are eating food to our fill, and I think it is our business that we waste things, and that the people in Asia and Africa just need to get their own because anyone can grow crops.

Should money have been spent on helping the Afghanistan instead of building a wall to separate the Mexicans from the US.
I didn't hear much about the wall that was made to separate the Mexicans from us, but if it was needed for our country, then it was more worthwhile than helping another country.

If you could change the past, how would you handle the terrorist acts and the fighting in Afghanistan?
If I could change the past, I would either blow up some of those Asian countries to make it all stop, or just cut the funds for it and let them deal with it themselves.

Fighting, Unrest, and Terrorism

Fighting and civil unrest have been going on in Afghanistan for many years. US troops have been to Afghanistan to help provide relief to the people. Bin-Laden and Al-Qaeda did some of the most damage to the country. The pictures above are soldiers in Afghanistan. The one below is a map.
Letters From People Like You

Dear Editorial,

I am writing this because I believe my view needs to be shown to the public. The people in Afghanistan are starving while we are eating our fill and wasting the rest. We spend millions on things that are luxuries, and people in Afghanistan need money to get the things we take for granted.

We may have a few missions to bring them a little food, but I believe that we should get the whole country involved with helping a place that really needs to be helped. I believe that we could get many more people to help "save" Afghanistan if people could convince someone like a governor or maybe even the president or a candidate to support and get the public to help broadcast that other countries need our help.

-Samantha Sloen

Dear Editor,

I would like to state that those Afghanistan people should find their own way to get money or they should grow their own crops or find a way to convince the USA to support them. Why don't they ask other countries for money in instead of just asking the USA.

The author thing that i would like to state that yes they are striving but they this on them by all the wars that they have started and yes they have droughts but they should be able to support them self after that.

I do feel bad that they are starving but most of it is not just are if they want money then they should also be asking other countries for money not just us.