

The Garden – Screening Questions

Guerilla Gardening in South Central LA

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The Garden by Scott Kennedy

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1. How does the movie comment on the issue of “power” in our society?
2. Explain the role of gender in the film.
3. What does the “public good” entail as described in the movie and what are the responsibilities of all citizens to protect it?
4. The film makes a powerful statement about illegal immigration and the rights of those people to enjoy the public goods shared by American citizens. Explain your stance on that issue.
5. If you could ask Horowitz one question, what would it be? Explain why you chose this.
6. If you could ask the community gardeners one question, what would it be? Explain why you chose this.
7. How is the *exchange theory* highlighted in the film?
8. Give examples of the following from the film:
 - Competition
 - Conflict
 - Cooperation
 - Accommodation