Youth Violence

Youth violence is very dangerous and harmful. Youth violence (to me) is, young people committing crimes. A lot of young people are dying these days because of this issue, and it's not easy to throw away and get over. Youth violence affects everybody in plenty of ways. Youth violence is harmful intentions. In the U.S.A., it is easy access to get to a weapon (gun or knife), and it takes away people's lives. This is very frightening because, you could be walking with someone, than out of nowhere, you could get shot. You never know what could happen. Youth violence is a really big issue that needs to be stopped immediately.

There are plenty of reasons why youth violence occurs. One reason is because of jealousy. A lot of teenagers drop out of school, and hate to see others have things they don't have but want, and are willing to take it from them in any way possible. This is really sad because, people work hard for the life style they live in, and to have it taken away in seconds is really devastating. Another reason is because of bullying. Bullying is happening all over the world, and it's starting to have a big effect of the victim's lives. Kids (victims) are getting so annoyed, so tired, that they go to school, shooting up everybody. Bullying is not a joke, and it's nothing pleasing to experience. Youth violence needs to be controlled.

There is an abundance amount of effects from youth violence. One huge affect is, loosing a family member. Youth violence causes percentages of deaths to increase,
and it is. Very hurtful. When this happens, you feel like you lost yourself, like half of you is just fading away (missing). Another effect of youth violence is guilt. A lot of people blame themselves saying "if only I didn't leave them alone" etc. It's not their fault, the only person that should be feeling hurt and ugly, is the murderer. There has to be some kind of justice for youth violence.

Our parents have gotten really serious, and stricter because of youth violence. It is affecting our lives in various ways because, we have lack of freedom. Our parents want us home at a certain time (curfew), because of the fear they have about the outside world. They don't want us around certain areas or streets etc. Another reason is because of fear. We are fearing the outside world because, we are too young to die and if we look or say something to someone, it could turn into a big massive chaos. We have to be really careful because, we never know when we will see daylight again.

I really don't think you could stop youth violence, but I do think the percentages of teen deaths could go down in a couple of ways. One way this could happen is, you could stay to yourself. This could work because, you wouldn't be involved in dangerous things or situations therefore, and nothing could happen to you. Another thing that could decrease youth violence is, more summer job opportunities. If kids could get more access to jobs to get their hands on some money, they would stay off the streets and out of trouble!