One night I was walking home and I herd a noise like an alley cat. In my mind, I
remembered my friends talking about the mother and son that got mugged for their
money and got stabbed over a hundred times. If they were cut up meat then the body
was in the river dancing around like a party girl. so I started to run like I was in a
marathon. I heard a metallic "cling" so I started run at full speed running past KFC and
smelling crispy taste chicken thinking it would be the last thing I would ever smell.
Seeing people getting robbed makes me feel like if I'm walking on the street I would
proably get mugged and end up on the morning news like this "young boy in his teens
found died in a garbage truck stabbed between the eyes all his money taken threwed
away like month old trash".

There are several causes of youth violence. A cause that kids start to get involved in
gangs to look "cool" they could proably get into gang fights and that would end up in
two ways first way is being paralyzed for life from the waste down or end up in gail
and that would hurt your record and you can't go to a good college, so for money they
will sell drugs on the street and the police won't take puty on them because it would
be a second offence.

There several things I could do to help prevent youth violence. The first thing I could
do is to influence my peers to not touch drugs and to get great grades in school. I could
also be a leader not a follower. Also to set a good example for the younger kids. that's
way violence should be stop at an early age so that the one stuided mistake that would
ruined there life