

Prompts

1. Empathy

Are you likely to be stopped by the police in this manner? Why or Why not? To what degree do you empathize with Steve Locke? What about the police officers? The woman in the red coat? The woman whose house was broken into?

2. Understanding systems

Please discuss the social issues or dynamics that were raised in this case study. Identify any historical, political, economic, cultural, and/or ideological factors that may have contributed to the scenario. as well as any conditions necessary for such an interaction to take place.

3. Faith

Imagine that someone from a different faith or belief system from yours sought to understand how your own deep commitments play a role in interpreting and responding to this situation. What would you say? Avoid blanket statements and sermon points.

4. Social Responsibility

If you were tasked with developing an action plan to address this situation, where would you start? What goals would you set forth? What people and/or institutions would you involve? What platform(s) would you utilize? What resources would you need? What obstacles would you expect to encounter?