Why We Fight

This documentary takes an incisive look at the institution of warfare in the U.S. since the end of WWII. The film demonstrates how we have become a nation whose survival depends on a state of constant war. It may no longer matter who is in charge as long as the system remains immune from the checks and balances of a peace-seeking electorate.

Why do we lack the sense of wartime purpose that previous generations proudly upheld? Why do our congressional representatives fail to address the issue of war and peace? What are the corporate agendas influencing the U.S. call to arms? These questions and more are addressed in this powerful film that invites us to confront a new brand of imperialism that cannot easily be justified or ignored.

*Why We Fight* won the Grand Jury Prize - Documentary at the 2005 Sundance Film Festival.