

The thesis summarizes present state of knowledge on motivation for violent crime from the view of various theories of criminal delinquent act. It deals with questions of aggression. It also deals with characteristics of adolescence from the social developmental view.

The research (practical) part of thesis compares juvenile violent offenders with nonviolent delinquents of the same age category regarding their reflection of life perspective and experienced purpose of life. It shows results of a study of family environment and life style of the sentenced juveniles. It describes in problem-solving of the sentenced.