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The America Sayyid Qutb has seen

Sayyid Qutb was the prominent Islamist religious fundamentalist, the leading member of the Egyptian Muslim Brotherhood organization and the creator of the theoretical part of the Islamist ideology on the post-colonial territory of Sunni Islam. The book of his adherent Salah abd al-Fattah al-Khalidi “America by Sayyid Qutb” is investigated in the article. This book describes Qutb’s 2-years study trip around America that is claimed to be an important milestone on the way of formation his Islamist views.

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