

PHILOLOGY

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Religious linguocultural code in slang of US military subculture representatives

It is carried out the study of military subculture reflection in the lexis and phraseology of religious linguocultural code. Analysis of words and word combinations with a component-name of the religious term in the US military slang revealed a number of symbolic meanings, associations, emotions and assessments arising from the use of linguistic units of religious code in speech, determined by the specifics of representatives of the armed forces social group. The vocabulary and phraseology of the religious linguocultural code reflect the religious views of the military personnel. The article concludes that figurative basis of words and phrases of military slang, embodying the religious linguocultural code, includes representations that determine both the mentality of ethnic community and the peculiarities of mental warehouse, worldview, behavior of the military subculture representatives.

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