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Dave's perspective about the issue with Palestine is that even though he is an American Jew and that there are more Arabs in Jerusalem than Jews, he still identifies as an Israeli because it just feels like home. Balford's perspective about the issue is that the tradition of Zionism in the land is a higher priority than the injustice to the Arabs currently living in Palestine. The perspective of the old man is that because Israel decided to declare independence from the rest of Palestine, the Arab army invaded. Amidst the chaos, the Jews terrorized and took over the village. The Jews caused him to lose his home. The Israeli protestor believes that Israel should leave occupied territory while Palestine becomes a state, but this should be done with peaceful talks. David Ben-Gurion's perspective is that the Palestinians are less attached to the homeland than Jews who haven't lived there for centuries, so the Palestinian Arabs should be forced off the land. Golda Meir's perspective is that the Palestinian people never considered themselves to be Palestinian. As far as he knows, he was kicking out people that did not exist. The Green-card holding man's perspective on the issue is that he should be proud to have fought against the Israeli defense force.