Obama's plan includes:

* Degrading and eventually destroying ISIS/ISIL
* A systematic campaign of American air strikes against ISIS/ISIL infiltrated areas
* Use Iraqi troops to help take out Iraq-based ISIS/ISIL operations
* Go to the ends of the world to find ISIS/ISIL members and kill them
* Lend more help to Iraqi and American ground troops
* Send 500 non-combat personnel to help the Iraqis with training and equipment
* Obama will meet with the United Nations Security Council to decide next worldwide military moves against ISIS/ISIL
* Make it possible for religious minorities to return to places where ISIS/ISIL drove them out

I thought his speech was good, but doing things like calling ISIS/ISIL a “cancer” seemed a little dramatic, despite the horrible things that ISIS/ISIL has done. Overall, he gave a fairly good argument for why we should go back to the Middle East; he also used the fact that tomorrow is 9/11, because people are more likely to be thinking about how awful terrorists are with the 13 year anniversary of 9/11 being so close.