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Sommario/riassunto	This work aims to show that what separates the USA from other

countries is not crime rates but lethal violence. The authors seek to clarify the causes of this by looking at the proximate causes and they discuss a range of anti-violence alternatives.
