The Road To War, 1967: The Origins Of The Arab-Israel Conflict

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(1) Liberal (a) Pro-Israel = Conflict was clearly provoked by Nasser = Closure of Tiran Straits. (b) Nasser did not necessary aim to antagonize Israel, but to show Arab governments that he was a champion of Pan-Arabism. (2) Structuralist = attributes the escalation of conflict to regional developments rather than one particular player. (3) Cold War = Cold War was the defining context = Six Day War was the result of US and USSR manipulation of regional powers. Fatah.Â 1967. Convened between Arab countries in light of the Six Day War. The resolution called for: (1) a continued state of belligerency with Israel. Famous for the "Three No's": "no peace with Israel, no recognition of Israel, no negotiations with it."