## Anwar al-Awlaki killed

1971: Born to Yemeni parents in U.S. state of New Mexico. Returns to Yemen at age seven

degree in civil engineering from Colorado State University, and master's in education at San Diego

■ 1991: Returns to U.S. to gain

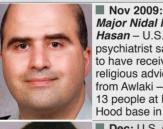
Denver, San Diego, and Falls Church, Virginia. Two of those mosques attended by three 9/11 hijackers

■ 2002: Moves to UK, where he gives popular lectures to Muslim vouths

**2004:** Returns to Yemen. lecturing in religious school in Sanaa headed by cleric Abdul-Maiid al-Zindani – named by U.S. as a terrorist

**2006:** Detained on charges relating to plot to kidnap U.S. military attache

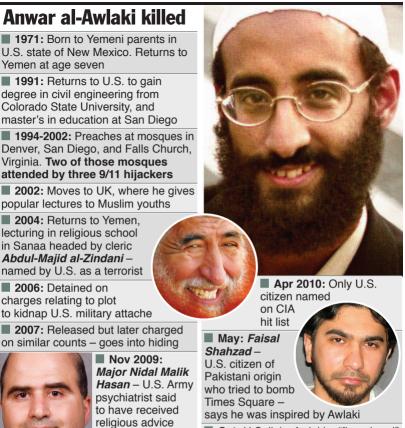
2007: Released but later charged on similar counts - goes into hiding



Maior Nidal Malik Hasan - U.S. Army psychiatrist said to have received religious advice from Awlaki - kills 13 people at Fort Hood base in Texas Dec: U.S. says



Umar Farouk Abdulmutallab – Nigerian accused of attempting to blow up airliner over Detroit on Christmas Day – was recruited by Awlaki in Yemen



Oct: U.S. links Awlaki – "figurehead" of al-Qaeda in Arabian Peninsula to plot to send bombs as cargo on planes to synagogues in Chicago

Nov: UK student Roshonara Choudhry - radicalised by Awlaki's internet sermons - jailed for stabbing MP who supported Iraq war

Sep 30, 2011: Yemen defence ministry says Awlaki has been killed in Yemen along with several of his associates

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