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IN AN 1828 LETTER TO HIS PARTNER NIC? PHORE NI? PCE LOUIS DAGUERRE WROTE I AM BURNING WITH DESIRE TO SEE YOUR EXPERIMENTS FROM NATURE IN THIS BOOK GEOFFREY BATCHEN ANALYZES THE DESIRE TO PHOTOGRAPH AS IT EMERGED WITHIN THE PHILOSOPHICAL AND SCIENTIFIC MILIEUS THAT PRECEDED THE ACTUAL INVENTION OF PHOTOGRAPHY RECENT ACCOUNTS OF PHOTOGRAPHY S IDENTITY TEND TO DIVIDE BETWEEN THE POSTMODERN VIEW THAT ALL IDENTITY IS DETERMINED BY CONTEXT AND A FORMALIST EFFORT TO DEFINE THE FUNDAMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS OF PHOTOGRAPHY AS A MEDIUM BATCHEN CRITIQUES BOTH APPROACHES BY WAY OF A DETAILED DISCUSSION OF PHOTOGRAPHY S CONCEPTION IN THE LATE EIGHTEENTH AND EARLY NINETEENTH CENTURIES HE EXAMINES THE OUTPUT OF THE VARIOUS NOMINEES FOR FIRST PHOTOGRAPHER THEN INCORPORATES THIS INFORMATION INTO A MODE OF HISTORICAL CRITICISM INFORMED BY THE WORK OF MICHEL FOUCAULT AND IACQUES DERRIDA THE RESULT IS A WAY OF THINKING ABOUT PHOTOGRAPHY THAT PERSUASIVELY ACCORDS WITH THE MEDIUM S UNDENIABLE CONCEPTUAL POLITICAL AND HISTORICAL COMPLEXITY THE EPICUREANS SKEPTICS AND STOICS PRACTICED PHILOSOPHY NOT AS A DETACHED INTELLECTUAL DISCIPLINE BUT AS A WORLDLY ART OF GRAPPLING WITH ISSUES OF DAILY AND URGENT HUMAN SIGNIFICANCE IN THIS CLASSIC WORK MARTHA NUSSBAUM MAINTAINS THAT THESE HELLENISTIC SCHOOLS HAVE BEEN UNJUSTLY NEGLECTED IN RECENT PHILOSOPHIC ACCOUNTS OF WHAT THE CLASSICAL TRADITION HAS TO OFFER BY EXAMINING TEXTS OF PHILOSOPHERS SUCH AS EPICURUS LUCRETIUS AND SENECA SHE RECOVERS A VALUABLE SOURCE FOR CURRENT MORAL AND POLITICAL THOUGHT AND ENCOURAGES US TO RECONSIDER PHILOSOPHICAL ARGUMENT AS A TECHNIQUE THROUGH WHICH TO IMPROVE LIVES WRITTEN FOR GENERAL READERS AND SPECIALISTS THE THERAPY OF DESIRE ADDRESSES COMPELLING ISSUES RANGING FROM THE PSYCHOLOGY OF HUMAN PASSION THROUGH RHETORIC TO THE ROLE OF PHILOSOPHY IN PUBLIC and private life this volume contains three books 1 vital body 2 desire body 3 archetype or concrete mental body the above BOOS ARE WRITTEN BY MAX HEINDEL THE FOUNDER AND MESSENGER OF THE ROSICRUCIAN FELLOWSHIP PEOPLE DO THINGS FOR REASONS BUT WHAT ARE REASONS AND HOW ARE THEY RELATED TO THE RESULTING ACTIONS BITTNER EXPLORES THIS QUESTION AND PROPOSES AN ANSWER A REASON IS A RESPONSE TO THAT STATE OF AFFAIRS DESIRE IS A CENTRAL CONCEPT IN ARISTOTLE S ETHICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL WORKS BUT HE DOES NOT PROVIDE US WITH A SYSTEMATIC TREATMENT OF THE NOTION ITSELF THIS BOOK RECONSTRUCTS THE ACCOUNT OF DESIRE LATENT IN HIS VARIOUS SCATTERED REMARKS ON THE SUBJECT AND ANALYSES ITS ROLE IN HIS MORAL PSYCHOLOGY TOPICS INCLUDE THE RANGE OF STATES THAT ARISTOTLE COUNTS AS DESIRES OREXEIS OBJECTS OF DESIRE OREKTA AND THE RELATION BETWEEN DESIRES AND ENVISAGING PROSPECTS DESIRE AND THE GOOD ARISTOTLE S THREE SPECIES OF DESIRE EPITHUMIA PLEASURE BASED DESIRE THUMOS RETALIATORY DESIRE AND BOUL SIS GOOD BASED DESIRE IN A NARROWER NOTION OF GOOD THAN THAT WHICH CONNECTS DESIRE MORE GENERALLY TO THE GOOD ARISTOTLE S DIVISION OF DESIRES INTO RATIONAL AND NON RATIONAL ARISTOTLE AND SOME CURRENT VIEWS ON DESIRE AND THE ROLE OF DESIRE IN ARISTOTLE S MORAL PSYCHOLOGY THE BOOK WILL BE OF RELEVANCE TO ANYONE INTERESTED IN ARISTOTLE S ETHICS OR PSYCHOLOGY DESIRES MATTER WHAT ARE DESIRES MANY BELIEVE THAT DESIRE IS A MOTIVATIONAL STATE DESIRING IS BEING DISPOSED TO ACT THIS CONCEPTION ALIGNS WITH THE FUNCTIONALIST APPROACH TO DESIRE AND THE STANDARD ACCOUNT OF DESIRE S ROLE IN EXPLAINING ACTION ACCORDING TO A SECOND INFLUENTIAL APPROACH HOWEVER DESIRE IS FIRST AND FOREMOST AN EVALUATION DESIRING IS REPRESENTING SOMETHING AS GOOD AFTER ALL WE SEEM TO DESIRE THINGS UNDER THE GUISE OF THE GOOD WHICH UNDERSTANDING OF DESIRE IS MORE ACCURATE IS THE GUISE OF THE GOOD EVEN RIGHT TO ASSUME SHOULD WE ADOPT AN ALTERNATIVE PICTURE THAT EMPHASIZES DESIRE S DEONTIC NATURE WHAT DO NEUROSCIENTIFIC STUDIES SUGGEST ESSAYS IN THE FIRST SECTION OF THE VOLUME ARE DEVOTED TO THESE QUESTIONS AND TO THE PUZZLE OF DESIRE S ESSENCE IN THE SECOND PART OF THE VOLUME ESSAYS INVESTIGATE SOME IMPLICATIONS THAT THE VARIOUS CONCEPTIONS OF DESIRE HAVE ON A NUMBER OF FUNDAMENTAL ISSUES FOR EXAMPLE WHY ARE INCONSISTENT DESIRES PROBLEMATIC WHAT IS DESIRE S ROLE IN PRACTICAL DELIBERATION HOW DO WE KNOW WHAT WE WANT THIS VOLUME WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE EMERGENCE OF A FRUITFUL DEBATE ON A NEGLECTED ALBEIT CRUCIAL DIMENSION OF THE MIND THE FATE OF DESIRE EXAMINES THE PROBLEMS OF LIVING IN A DECENTERED WORLD ASSUMING THAT THE POSTSTRUCTURALIST DECLARATION OF THE END OF MAN IS AN ESSENTIAL ASPECT OF OUR CURRENT WAYS OF THINKING THE BOOK FOCUSES ON THE POSITIVE VALUES INHERENT IN THIS SHIFT IN SUBSTITUTING MULTIPLICITY AND FIELDS OF PLAY FOR IDENTITY AND HIERARCHY AND IN DISTINGUISHING BETWEEN DESIRE AS FULLNESS AND DESIRE AS LACK HANS ARGUES FOR A VISION OF EXISTENCE THAT IS BASED ON THE DIFFICULTIES NIETZSCHE POSITED AS AN INEVITABLE PART OF FULLY AFFIRMING THE RICH BUT TRAGIC NATURE OF LIFE THESE RECONCEPTIONS OF THE HUMAN SCENE REDEFINE SELF DISCIPLINE IN TERMS OF UNDERSTANDING AND LOVING ONE S FATE INSTEAD OF PROVIDING YET ONE MORE CRITIQUE OF THE FLAWED VALUES THROUGH WHICH THE WESTERN WORLD HAS CONSTITUTED ITSELF THE FATE OF DESIRE TAKES UP THE TASK OF WEIGHING THE THINGS OF THE WORLD ANEW REVALUING THEM IN TERMS OF OUR PRESENT UNDERSTANDING OF OUR POSITIONS IN THE WORLD HANS SUGGESTS THAT IF WE ARE FATED TO BE DRIVEN BY DESIRE AND IF WE ARE LED TO ACCEPT THE WAYS IN WHICH OUR DESIRE MANIFESTS ITSELF ACCORDING TO OUR OWN INDIVIDUAL FATES THERE IS STILL EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE THAT HUMANS CAN FIND A PRODUCTIVE WAY OF UNDERSTANDING AND FULLY OCCUPYING THEIR PLACE IN THE WORLD THESE ARE RECOLLECTIONS ABOUT FINDING THE PASSION AND JOY OF ONE S LIFE AND BREAKING THOSE TIES THAT KEEPS A PERSON FROM FULFILLING DREAMS NO MATTER HOW INSANE THE DESIRES OF THE HEART MAYBE TO NOT TRY MAY PROVE MORE DETRIMENTAL TO THE SOUL THAN ALL OF THE FAILURES ENCOUNTERED ALONG THE WAY THE CONCEPTION IS A NOVEL BASED ON THE REAL LIFE DESIRE OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN NIGERIA TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE THEIR COUNTRY BY ANY MEANS NECESSARY TO BECOME RICH SOME FORCEFULLY SEIZE CONTROL AND SELL OFF THEIR PARENTS PROPERTIES TO FULFILL THEIR DESIRES BUT THE RESULTS CAN LEAVE AGED PARENTS HOMELESS FRANK IS ONE SUCH AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN TALL AND HANDSOMELY BUILT HE IS THE YOUNGEST CHILD OF PA EDOMWONYI FRANK HAS A STRONG DESIRE TO SUCCEED CONVINCING HIMSELF THAT HE CAN LIFT HIS FAMILY OUT OF A LIFE OF POVERTY AND NO LONGER JUST BE SEEN AS THE BABY OF THE FAMILY THROUGH HIS BEST FRIEND FRANK HEARS OF AN EASY WAY TO TRAVEL FROM NIGERIA TO EUROPE WITHOUT FEAR OF REPATRIATION OR IMPRISONMENT BUT THE SNAG IN THEIR PLANS IS HOW TO RAISE THE MONEY TO EMBARK ON THE JOURNEY THE ONLY WAY IS TO CONVINCE THEIR FATHERS TO SELL OFF THEIR HOMES TO RAISE THE MONEY FOR THE TRIP HOWEVER THE PATH TO EUROPE IS STREWN WITH YOUNG MEN S BLOOD AND YOUNG WOMEN IMMIGRANTS BEING FORCED INTO PROSTITUTION THE CONCEPTION IS AN EXTRAORDINARY STORY THAT SHOWS THE DREAMS AND DESIRES OF THE YOUNG CANNOT ALWAYS BE FULFILLED FIRST TIME AUTHOR OMORAGBON OSASUMWEN EGBE IS NOW WRITING THE BOOK S SEQUEL HE WORKS FOR THE GOVERNMENT IN NIGERIA AND HOPES HIS BOOK S LEGACY WILL REDUCE THE SCOURGE OF ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS AS WELL AS WOMEN AND CHILD TRAFFICKING PUBLISHER S WEBSITE SBPRA COM OMORAGBONOSASUMWENEGB THIS VOLUME PRESENTS AN INTERCONNECTED SET OF SIXTEEN ESSAYS FOUR OF WHICH ARE PREVIOUSLY UNPUBLISHED BY ALLAN GOTTHELF ONE OF THE LEADING EXPERTS IN THE STUDY OF ARISTOTLE S BIOLOGICAL WRITINGS GOTTHELF ADDRESSES THREE MAIN TOPICS ACROSS ARISTOTLE S THREE MAIN BIOLOGICAL TREATISES STARTING WITH HIS OWN GROUND BREAKING STUDY OF ARISTOTLE S NATURAL TELEOLOGY AND ITS ILLUMINATING RELATIONSHIP WITH THE GENERATION OF ANIMALS GOTTHELF PROCEEDS TO THE AXIOMATIC STRUCTURE OF BIOLOGICAL EXPLANATION AND THE FIRST PRINCIPLES SUCH EXPLANATION PROCEEDS FROM IN THE PARTS OF ANIMALS AFTER AN EXPLORATION OF THE IMPLICATIONS OF THESE TWO TREATISES FOR OUR UNDERSTANDING OF ARISTOTLE S METAPHYSICS GOTTHELF EXAMINES IMPORTANT ASPECTS OF THE METHOD BY WHICH ARISTOTLE ORGANIZES HIS DATA IN THE HISTORY OF ANIMALS TO MAKE POSSIBLE SUCH A SYSTEMATIC EXPLANATORY STUDY OF ANIMALS OFFERING A NEW VIEW OF THE PLACE OF CLASSIFICATION IN THAT ENTERPRISE IN A CONCLUDING SECTION ON ARISTOTLE AS THEORETICAL BIOLOGIST GOTTHELF EXPLORES THE BASIS OF CHARLES DARWIN S GREAT PRAISE OF ARISTOTLE AND IN THE FIRST PRINTING OF A LECTURE DELIVERED WORLDWIDE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF ARISTOTIF AS A PHILOSOPHICALLY ORIENTED SCIENTIST AND A PROPER VERDICT ON HIS GREATNESS AS SCIENTIST IT SEEMS THE MIND HAS EVOLVED INTO SUCH A POWERFUL FORM THAT WE ARE ABLE TO GO BEYOND KNOWING THE WORLD AND MOVE TOWARDS KNOWING THE MIND ITSELF BEING ABLE TO COMPREHEND THE MIND PERMITS SMOOTH SOCIAL INTERACTION SINCE IT ALLOWS US TO ANTICIPATE THE FUTURE ACTIONS OF THOSE AROUND US THE APPARENTLY EFFORTLESS QUALITY OF SOCIAL CO ORDINATION BELIES THE COMPLEX PROCESS OF CONCEPTUALIZATION AND INFERENCE THAT IS ACTUALLY AT WORK THE ODYSSEY OF CHILDHOOD ESPECIALLY IN THE EARLY YEARS PRESENTS A TOPIC FOR INVESTIGATION AND SPECULATION A PURPOSE OF THIS BOOK IS TO PROVIDE A THOROUGHLY READABLE IN DEPTH REVIEW OF RECENT FINDINGS AND THEORIES ABOUT THE DEVELOPMENT OF UNDERSTANDING MIND IN PREPARING THIS A MAJOR GOAL WAS SEEN AS COMP

THAT IS APPEALING IN ITSELF AS A PIECE OF WRITING THIS BOOK COVERS DEVELOPMENT FROM INFANCY TO ADULTHOOD AND ALSO CONSIDERS RELATED DISORDERS OF DEVELOPMENT ESPECIALLY AUTISM IT GOES BEYOND THE NARROW FOCUS ON THE PRESCHOOL YEARS TYPICAL OF MOST WRITINGS ON THE TOPIC ONE OF THE MAIN THEMES IN THE BOOK CONCERNS THE ROLE OF LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION IN DEVELOPMENT LANGUAGE COULD SERVE AS A TOOL THAT HELPS THE CHILD TO THINK MORE IN THE ABSTRACT AND THE HYPOTHETICAL ONCE REMOVED FROM REALITY BEING ABLE TO COMMUNICATE WITH LANGUAGE VIRTUALLY MEANS THAT WE ARE ABLE TO HEAR THE THOUGHTS OF THOSE AROUND US WE HEAR WHAT THEY THINK FROM WHAT THEY SAY COMMUNICATION COULD THUS PROVIDE A MAIOR CATALYST IN PROMOTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN UNDERSTANDING OF MIND PERHAPS IT IS NO COINCIDENCE THAT CHILDREN WITH AUTISM WHO SUPPOSEDLY HAVE AN IMPAIRED UNDERSTANDING OF MIND ALSO HAVE IMPAIRMENTS IN LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION PEOPLE ARE MINDED CREATURES WE HAVE THOUGHTS FEELINGS AND EMOTIONS MORE INTRIGUINGLY WE GRASP OUR OWN MENTAL STATES AND CONDUCT THE BUSINESS OF ASCRIBING THEM TO OURSELVES AND OTHERS WITHOUT INSTRUCTION IN FORMAL PSYCHOLOGY HOW DO WE DO THIS AND WHAT ARE THE DIMENSIONS OF OUR GRASP OF THE MENTAL REALM IN THIS BOOK ALVIN I GOLDMAN EXPLORES THESE QUESTIONS WITH THE TOOLS OF PHILOSOPHY DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY AND COGNITIVE NEUROSCIENCE HE REFINES AN APPROACH CALLED SIMULATION THEORY WHICH STARTS FROM THE FAMILIAR IDEA THAT WE UNDERSTAND OTHERS BY PUTTING OURSELVES IN THEIR MENTAL SHOES CAN THIS INTUITIVE IDEA BE RENDERED PRECISE IN A PHILOSOPHICALLY RESPECTABLE MANNER WITHOUT ALLOWING SIMULATION TO COLLAPSE INTO THEORIZING GIVEN A SUITABLE DEFINITION DO EMPIRICAL RESULTS SUPPORT THE NOTION THAT MINDS LITERALLY CREATE OR ATTEMPT TO CREATE SURROGATES OF OTHER PEOPLES MENTAL STATES IN THE PROCESS OF MINDREADING GOLDMAN AMASSES A SURPRISING ARRAY OF EVIDENCE FROM PSYCHOLOGY AND NEUROSCIENCE THAT SUPPORTS THIS HYPOTHESIS THE ESSAYS COLLECTED IN THIS VOLUME BY PAUL GUYER ONE OF THE WORLD S FOREMOST KANT SCHOLARS EXPLORE KANT S ATTEMPT TO DEVELOP A MORALITY GROUNDED ON THE INTRINSIC AND UNCONDITIONAL VALUE OF THE HUMAN FREEDOM TO SET OUR OWN ENDS WHEN REGULATED BY THE PRINCIPLE THAT THE FREEDOM OF ALL IS EQUALLY VALUABLE THE FREEDOM TO SET OUR OWN ENDS WHAT KANT CALLS HUMANITY BECOMES WHAT HE CALLS AUTONOMY THESE ESSAYS EXPLORE KANT S STRATEGIES FOR ESTABLISHING THE PREMISE THAT FREEDOM IS THE INNER WORTH OF THE WORLD OR THE ESSENTIAL END OF HUMANKIND AS HE SAYS AND FOR DERIVING THE SPECIFIC DUTIES THAT FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE OF MORALITY GENERATES IN THE EMPIRICAL CIRCUMSTANCES OF HUMAN EXISTENCE THE VIRTUES OF FREEDOM FURTHER INVESTIGATES KANT S ATTEMPTS TO PROVE THAT WE ARE ALWAYS FREE TO LIVE UP TO THIS MORAL IDEAL THAT IS THAT WE HAVE FREE WILL NO MATTER WHAT AS WELL AS HIS MORE SUCCESSFUL EXPLORATIONS OF THE WAYS IN WHICH OUR NATURAL TENDENCIES TO BE MORAL DISPOSITIONS TO THE FEELING OF RESPECT AND MORE SPECIFIC FEELINGS SUCH AS LOVE AND SELF ESTEEM CAN AND MUST BE CULTIVATED AND EDUCATED GUYER FINALLY EXAMINES THE VARIOUS MODELS OF HUMAN COMMUNITY THAT KANT DEVELOPS FROM HIS PREMISE THAT OUR ASSOCIATIONS MUST BE BASED ON THE VALUE OF FREEDOM FOR ALL THE CONTRASTS BUT ALSO SIMILARITIES OF KANT S MORAL PHILOSOPHY TO THAT OF DAVID HUME BUT MANY OF HIS OTHER PREDECESSORS AND CONTEMPORARIES SUCH AS STOICS AND EPICUREANS PUFENDORF AND WOLFF HUTCHESON KAMES AND SMITH ARE ALSO EXPLORED IN THIS PROFOUND AND YET ACCESSIBLE BOOK JOHN KEKES DISCUSSES MORAL WISDOM A VIRTUE ESSENTIAL TO LIVING A MORALLY GOOD AND PERSONALLY SATISFYING LIFE HE ADVANCES A BROAD NONTECHNICAL ARGUMENT THAT CONSIDERS THE ADVERSITIES INHERENT IN THE HUMAN CONDITION AND ASSISTS IN THE ACHIEVEMENT OF GOOD LIVES THE POSSESSION OF MORAL WISDOM KEKES ASSERTS IS A MATTER OF DEGREE MORE OF IT MAKES LIVES BETTER LESS MAKES THEM WORSE EXACTLY WHAT IS MORAL WISDOM HOWEVER AND HOW SHOULD IT BE SOUGHT ANCIENT GREEK AND MEDIEVAL CHRISTIAN PHILOSOPHERS WERE CENTRALLY CONCERNED WITH IT BY CONTRAST MODERN WESTERN SENSIBILITY DOUBTS THE EXISTENCE OF A MORAL ORDER IN REALITY AND BECAUSE WE DOUBT IT AND HAVE DEVELOPED NO ALTERNATIVES WE HAVE GROWN DUBIOUS ABOUT THE TRADITIONAL IDEA OF WISDOM KEKES RETURNS TO THE CLASSICAL GREEK SOURCES OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY TO ARGUE FOR THE CONTEMPORARY SIGNIFICANCE OF MORAL WISDOM HE DEVELOPS A PROPOSAL THAT IS EUDAIMONISTIC SECULAR ANTHROPOCENTRIC PLURALISTIC INDIVIDUALISTIC AND AGONISTIC HE UNDERSTANDS MORAL WISDOM AS FOCUSING ON THE HUMAN EFFORT TO CREATE MANY DIFFERENT FORMS OF GOOD LIVES ALTHOUGH THE APPROACH IS ARISTOTELIAN THE AUTHOR CONCENTRATES ON FORMULATING AND DEFENDING A CONTEMPORARY MORAL IDEAL THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS IDEAL HE SHOWS LIES IN INCREASING OUR ABILITY TO COPE WITH LIFE S ADVERSITIES BY IMPROVING OUR JUDGMENT IN CHAPTERS ON MORAL IMAGINATION SELF KNOWLEDGE AND MORAL DEPTH KEKES CALLS ATTENTION TO ASPECTS OF OUR INNER LIFE THAT HAVE BEEN NEGLECTED BECAUSE OF OUR CULTURAL INATTENTION TO MORAL WISDOM HE DISCUSSES THESE INNER PROCESSES THROUGH THE TRAGEDIES OF SOPHOCLES WHICH CAN INSPIRE US WITH THEIR ENDURING MORAL SIGNIFICANCE AND HELP US TO UNDERSTAND THE IMPORTANCE OF MORAL WISDOM TO LIVING A GOOD LIFE ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED 1999 WITH NEW FOREWORD IN THIS BOOK PROFESSOR JEANINE GRENBERG DEFENDS THE IDEA THAT KANT S VIRTUE THEORY IS BEST UNDERSTOOD AS A SYSTEM OF EUDAEMONISM INDEED AS A DISTINCTIVE FORM OF EUDAEMONISM THAT MAKES IT PREFERABLE TO OTHER FORMS OF IT A SYSTEM OF WHAT SHE CALLS DEONTOLOGICAL EUDAEMONISM IN DEONTOLOGICAL EUDAEMONISM ONE ACHIEVES HAPPINESS BOTH RATIONALLY CONCEIVED AS NON FELT PLEASURE IN THE VIRTUALLY UNIMPEDED HARMONIOUS ACTIVITY OF ONE S WILL AND CHOICE AND EMPIRICALLY CONCEIVED AS PLEASURABLE FULFILMENT OF ONE S DESIRES ONLY VIA AUTHENTIC COMMITMENT TO AND FULFILMENT OF WHAT IS DEMANDED OF ALL RATIONAL BEINGS MAKING PERSONS AS SUCH ONE S END IN ALL THINGS TO TELL THIS STORY OF DEONTOLOGICAL EUDAEMONISM GRENBERG FIRST DEFENDS THE NOTION THAT KANT S DEONTOLOGICAL APPROACH TO ETHICS IS SIMULTANEOUSLY AND INDEED FOUNDATIONALLY AND MOST BASICALLY TELEOLOGICAL SHE THEN SHOWS THAT THE REALIZATION OF AN APTITUDE FOR THE VIRTUOUS FULFILMENT OF ONE S OBLIGATORY ENDS PROVIDES THE SOLID BASIS FOR SIMULTANEOUS REALIZATION OF HAPPINESS BOTH RATIONALLY AND EMPIRICALLY CONCEIVED ALONG THE WAY SHE ARGUES BOTH THAT KANT S NOTION OF HAPPINESS RATIONALLY CONCEIVED IS ESSENTIALLY IDENTICAL TO ARISTOTLE S CONCEPTION OF HAPPINESS AS UNIMPEDED ACTIVITY AND THAT HIS NOTION OF HAPPINESS EMPIRICALLY CONCEIVED IS BEST REALIZED VIA AN UNWAVERING COMMITMENT TO THE FULFILMENT OF ONE S OBLIGATORY ENDS THIS IS THE FIRST COMPREHENSIVE TEXT TO ADDRESS ADDICTION AND ITS MULTIPLE EFFECTS ON AND EXTENSIONS INTO ART LITERATURE PHILOSOPHY AND PSYCHOLOGY MOST RESEARCH INTO ADDICTION HAS TAKEN PLACE WITHIN THE DISCIPLINES OF MEDICINE CRIMINOLOGY POLITICS AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY WHEN SEEN FROM A BROAD CULTURAL PERSPECTIVE HOWEVER ADDICTION EMERGES DIRECTLY ALONGSIDE MODERNITY HAUNTING ITS VARIOUS DISCOURSES OF DIGRESSION DISSENT AND THE TRANSCENDENCE OF THE COMMONPLACE WHO COULD EVEN IMAGINE MODERN WRITING WITHOUT THE ADDICTIVE VISIONARY EXCESSES OF WRITERS LIKE BAUDELAIRE DEQUINCEY POE BURROUGHS OR ARTAUD OR FOR THAT MATTER MODERN CULTURE WITHOUT ITS OUTSIDERS ITS INCORRIGIBLE ADDICTS ITS DEFACED SUBJECTS SMOKERS USERS OVEREATERS ALCOHOLICS THE INSANE TAKING A CULTURAL STUDIES APPROACH TO ADDICTION HIGH CULTURE OFFERS A READABLE AND ACCESSIBLE COLLECTION OF ESSAYS ON THESE SOCIALLY MARGINALIZED PRACTICES AND DISCOURSES SO CENTRAL TO MODERNITY RECENT DECADES HAVE SEEN A FLOURISHING INTEREST IN AND SPECULATION ABOUT THE ORIGINS OF PHOTOGRAPHY SPURRED BY REDISCOVERIES OF FIRST PHOTOGRAPHS AND PROCLAMATIONS OF PHOTOGRAPHY S DEATH IN THE DIGITAL AGE SCHOLARS HAVE BEEN RETHINKING WHO AND WHAT INVENTED THE MEDIUM PHOTOGRAPHY AND ITS ORIGINS REFLECTS ON THIS INTEREST IN PHOTOGRAPHY S BEGINNINGS BY REFRAMING IT IN CRITICAL AND SPECIFICALLY HISTORIOGRAPHICAL TERMS HOW AND WHY DO WE WRITE ABOUT THE ORIGINS OF THE MEDIUM WHOM OR WHAT DO WE RELY ON TO CONSTRUCT THOSE NARRATIVES WHAT S AT STAKE IN CHOOSING TO TELL STORIES OF PHOTOGRAPHY S GENESIS IN ONE WAY OR ANOTHER AND WHAT KIND OF WORK CAN THOSE STORIES DO EDITED BY TANYA SHEEHAN AND ANDRE S MARIO ZERVIGE N THIS COLLECTION OF 16 ORIGINAL ESSAYS ILLUSTRATED WITH 32 COLOUR IMAGES SHOWCASES PROMINENT AND EMERGING VOICES IN THE FIELD OF PHOTOGRAPHY STUDIES THEIR RESEARCH CUTS ACROSS DISCIPLINES AND METHODOLOGIES SHEDDING NEW LIGHT ON OLD QUESTIONS ABOUT HISTORIES AND THEIR WRITING PHOTOGRAPHY AND ITS ORIGINS WILL SERVE AS A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS IN ART HISTORY VISUAL AND MEDIA STUDIES AND THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TRADITIONAL CHRISTIAN THEOLOGY HAS GENERALLY TREATED DESIRE AS A DARK AND NEGATIVE FORCE INTIMATELY RELATED TO SIN SOMETHING TO BE RESTRICTED AND REPRESSED CLOSETED AND CONTROLLED BUT ACCORDING TO LERON SHULTS AND JAN OLAV HENRIKSEN S SAVING DESIRE WE SEE ONLY PART OF THE PICTURE IF WE DO NOT ALSO PERCEIVE THAT DESIRE CAN BE A POWERFUL FORCE FOR GREAT GOOD GROUNDING THEIR WORK FIRMLY IN THE EXPERIENTIAL REALM OF HUMAN LIFE THE EIGHT EMINENT THEOLOGIANS CONTRIBUTING TO THIS VOLUME CELEBRATE TOGETHER THE POSITIVITY THE SOCIALITY AND THE PHYSICALITY OF SAVING DESIRE THAT IS HUMANKIND S INNATE DESIRE NOT ONLY FOR THE GOOD LIFE BUT ALSO MORE VITALLY FOR THE LIFE TRANSFORMING GOODNESS OF GOD ESSAYS ON FREEDOM OF ACTION FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1973 BRINGS TOGETHER ORIGINAL PAPERS BY CONTEMPORARY BRITISH AND AMERICAN PHILOSOPHERS ON QUESTIONS WHICH HAVE LONG CONCERNED PHILOSOPHERS AND OTHERS THE QUESTION OF WHETHER PERSONS ARE WHOLLY A PART OF THE NATURAL WORLD AND THEIR ACTIONS THE NECESSARY EFFECTS OF CAUSAL PROCESSES AND THE QUESTION OF WHETHER OUR

ACTIONS ARE FREE AND SUCH THAT WE CAN BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR THEM EVEN IF THEY ARE THE NECESSARY EFFECTS OF CASUAL PROCESSES THIS VOLUME WILL BE OF INTEREST NOT ONLY TO THOSE WHO ARE PRIMARILY CONCERNED WITH PHILOSOPHY BUT ALSO TO STUDENTS IN THOSE MANY OTHER DISCIPLINES IN WHICH FREEDOM AND DETERMINISM ARISE AS PROBLEMS WHAT DUTIES DO LIBERAL DEMOCRATIC STATES OWE TO REFUGEES DOES INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE LAW IMPOSE UNFEASIBLE DEMANDS ON STATES THIS HIGHLY ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTION EXPLORES WHAT THEORIES OF INTERNATIONAL ETHICS HAVE TO SAY ABOUT REFUGEE POLICY IT ADVANCES AN INNOVATIVE CRITIQUE OF PREVALENT LIBERAL APPROACHES SHOWING HOW THEIR ASSUMPTIONS ABOUT MORAL AGENCY CREATE UNFEASIBLE EXPECTATIONS ABOUT INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE IT SETS OUT AN ALTERNATIVE THEORY SHOWING HOW THIS COULD BE MORE ADEPT AT MOBILIZING COMMITMENT TO REFUGEE RIGHTS THE VOLUME WILL BE OF INTEREST NOT JUST TO SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS OF APPLIED ETHICS BUT ALSO TO THOSE MORE GENERALLY INTERESTED IN DEBATES ON REFUGEE AND MIGRATION POLICY IT PRESENTS A CLEAR AND THOROUGH DISCUSSION OF LIBERAL POLITICAL THEORY AND ITS APPLICATION TO QUESTIONS OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE AND PROVIDES INSIGHTS INTO THE PHILOSOPHICAL SOURCES OF DEBATES ON LIBERAL VERSUS RESTRICTIVE APPROACHES TO REFUGEE POLICY CONCEPTION CONTROL AND ITS EFFECTS ON THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE NATION BY FLORENCE E BARRETT THE PROBLEM OF TO DAY IN THE LATE SEVENTIES OF LAST CENTURY A PAMPHLET ENTITLED THE FRUITS OF PHILOSOPHY WAS REPUBLISHED BY MRS ANNIE BESANT AND MR CHARLES BRADLAUGH IN THEIR DESIRE TO MITIGATE THE SUFFERING OF POOR WOMEN WHO WERE OVERBURDENED BY WORK AND FURTHER WEAKENED BY FREQUENT CHILD BEARING THEY RESOLVED TO FACE PUBLIC OBLOQUY AND EVEN LEGAL PROSECUTION IN ORDER TO BRING TO THESE WOMEN KNOWLEDGE OF HOW TO PREVENT CONCEPTION WHICH IN THEIR OPINION WOULD GIVE THE RELIEF THEY SO SORELY NEEDED AS IS WELL KNOWN THE LATER PAMPHLET ON THE SAME SUBJECT WRITTEN BY THEMSELVES WAS WITHDRAWN FROM PUBLICATION BY MRS BESANT IN 1886 ON RELIGIOUS GROUNDS DURING THE LAST FEW YEARS THE IDEA OF THE NEED FOR CONCEPTION CONTROL HAS AGAIN RECOME PROMINENT PARTLY AS A REVOLT AGAINST THE BONDAGE OF WOMEN IN CHILD BEARING PARTLY ACCENTUATED BY THE DIFFICULTIES AND UNCERTAINTIES OF AN ADEQUATE LIVELIHOOD AND THE DESIRE TO HAVE A FEW CHILDREN WELL EDUCATED AND CARED FOR RATHER THAN MANY WHO SHIFT MORE OR LESS FOR THEMSELVES WE ARE DELIGHTED TO PUBLISH THIS CLASSIC BOOK AS PART OF OUR EXTENSIVE CLASSIC LIBRARY COLLECTION MANY OF THE BOOKS IN OUR COLLECTION HAVE BEEN OUT OF PRINT FOR DECADES AND THEREFORE HAVE NOT BEEN ACCESSIBLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC THE AIM OF OUR PUBLISHING PROGRAM IS TO FACILITATE RAPID ACCESS TO THIS VAST RESERVOIR OF LITERATURE AND OUR VIEW IS THAT THIS IS A SIGNIFICANT LITERARY WORK WHICH DESERVES TO BE BROUGHT BACK INTO PRINT AFTER MANY DECADES THE CONTENTS OF THE VAST MAJORITY OF TITLES IN THE CLASSIC LIBRARY HAVE BEEN SCANNED FROM THE ORIGINAL WORKS TO ENSURE A HIGH QUALITY PRODUCT EACH TITLE HAS BEEN METICULOUSLY HAND CURATED BY OUR STAFF OUR PHILOSOPHY HAS BEEN GUIDED BY A DESIRE TO PROVIDE THE READER WITH A BOOK THAT IS AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE TO OWNERSHIP OF THE ORIGINAL WORK WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL ENJOY THIS WONDERFUL CLASSIC WORK AND THAT FOR YOU IT BECOMES AN ENRICHING EXPERIENCE IN THIS SUCCINCT AND WELL WRITTEN BOOK ONE OF OUR MOST EMINENT PHILOSOPHERS PROVIDES A FRESH READING OF THE VIEW OF FREEDOM AND MORALITY DEVELOPED BY THOMAS REID 1710 1796 ALTHOUGH CONTEMPORARY THEORISTS HAVE WRITTEN EXTENSIVELY ABOUT THE SCOTTISH PHILOSOPHER S CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE THEORY OF KNOWLEDGE THIS IS THE FIRST BOOK LENGTH STUDY OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CONTROVERSY OVER FREEDOM AND NECESSITY WILLIAM L ROWE ARGUES THAT REID DEVELOPED A SUBTLE SYSTEMATIC THEORY OF MORAL FREEDOM BASED ON THE IDEA OF THE HUMAN BEING AS A FREE AND MORALLY RESPONSIBLE AGENT HE CAREFULLY RECONSTRUCTS THE THEORY AND EXPLORES THE INTELLECTUAL BACKGROUND TO REID S VIEWS IN THE WORK OF IOHN LOCKE SAMUEL CLARKE AND ANTHONY COLLINS ROWE DEVELOPS A NOVEL ACCOUNT OF REID'S CONCEPTION OF FREE ACTION AND RELATES IT TO CONTEMPORARY ARGUMENTS THAT MORAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AN ACTION IMPLIES THE POWER TO HAVE DONE OTHERWISE DISTILLING FROM REID S WORK A VIABLE VERSION OF THE AGENCY THEORY OF FREEDOM AND RESPONSIBILITY HE SUGGESTS HOW REID S THEORY CAN BE DEFENDED AGAINST THE MAJOR OBJECTIONS BOTH HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY THAT HAVE BEEN ADVANCED AGAINST IT BLENDING TO GOOD EFFECT HISTORICAL AND PHILOSOPHICAL ANALYSIS THOMAS REID ON FREEDOM AND MORALITY SHOULD INTEREST PHILOSOPHERS POLITICAL THEORISTS AND INTELLECTUAL HISTORIANS THE CONCEPT OF AUTONOMY IS ONE OF KANT S CENTRAL LEGACIES FOR CONTEMPORARY MORAL THOUGHT WE OFTEN INVOKE AUTONOMY AS BOTH A MORAL IDEAL AND A HUMAN RIGHT ESPECIALLY A RIGHT TO DETERMINE ONESELF INDEPENDENTLY OF FOREIGN DETERMINANTS INDEED TO VIOLATE A PERSON S AUTONOMY IS CONSIDERED TO BE A SERIOUS MORAL OFFENCE YET WHILE CONTEMPORARY PHILOSOPHY CLAIMS KANT AS THE ORIGINATOR OF ITS NOTION OF AUTONOMY KANT'S OWN CONCEPTION OF THE TERM SEEMS TO DIFFER IN IMPORTANT RESPECTS FROM OUR PRESENT DAY INTERPRETATION KANT ON MORAL AUTONOMY BRINGS TOGETHER A DISTINGUISHED GROUP OF SCHOLARS WHO EXPLORE THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WHAT IS KANT S CONCEPTION OF AUTONOMY WHAT IS ITS HISTORY AND ITS INFLUENCE ON CONTEMPORARY CONCEPTIONS AND WHAT IS ITS MORAL SIGNIFICANCE THEIR ESSAYS WILL BE OF INTEREST BOTH TO SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS WORKING ON KANTIAN MORAL PHILOSOPHY AND TO ANYONE INTERESTED IN THE SUBJECT OF AUTONOMY BY DEVELOPING AN ACCOUNT OF PRACTICAL KNOWLEDGE THAT SITUATES KANT S ETHICS WITHIN HIS BROADER EPISTEMOLOGY AND RETHINKS NUMEROUS TOPICS IN HIS MORAL PSYCHOLOGY AND IN HIS ACCOUNT OF PRACTICAL REASON THIS BOOK PROMISES TO DEEPEN AND TO RESHAPE OUR UNDERSTANDING OF KANTIAN ETHICS THIS VOLUME COLLECTS ALL HENRY ALLISON S RECENT ESSAYS ON KANT S THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL PHILOSOPHY

BURNING WITH DESIRE 1999-03-15 IN AN 1828 LETTER TO HIS PARTNER NIC? PHORE NI? PCE LOUIS DAGUERRE WROTE I AM BURNING WITH DESIRE TO SEE YOUR EXPERIMENTS FROM NATURE IN THIS BOOK GEOFFREY BATCHEN ANALYZES THE DESIRE TO PHOTOGRAPH AS IT EMERGED WITHIN THE PHILOSOPHICAL AND SCIENTIFIC MILIEUS THAT PRECEDED THE ACTUAL INVENTION OF PHOTOGRAPHY RECENT ACCOUNTS OF PHOTOGRAPHY S IDENTITY TEND TO DIVIDE BETWEEN THE POSTMODERN VIEW THAT ALL IDENTITY IS DETERMINED BY CONTEXT AND A FORMALIST EFFORT TO DEFINE THE FUNDAMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS OF PHOTOGRAPHY AS A MEDIUM BATCHEN CRITIQUES BOTH APPROACHES BY WAY OF A DETAILED DISCUSSION OF PHOTOGRAPHY S CONCEPTION IN THE LATE EIGHTEENTH AND EARLY NINETEENTH CENTURIES HE EXAMINES THE OUTPUT OF THE VARIOUS NOMINEES FOR FIRST PHOTOGRAPHER THEN INCORPORATES THIS INFORMATION INTO A MODE OF HISTORICAL CRITICISM INFORMED BY THE WORK OF MICHEL FOUCAULT AND JACQUES DERRIDA THE RESULT IS A WAY OF THINKING ABOUT PHOTOGRAPHY THAT PERSUASIVELY ACCORDS WITH THE MEDIUM S UNDENIABLE CONCEPTUAL POLITICAL AND HISTORICAL COMPLEXITY

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION 2017 THE EPICUREANS SKEPTICS AND STOICS PRACTICED PHILOSOPHY NOT AS A DETACHED INTELLECTUAL DISCIPLINE BUT AS A WORLDLY ART OF GRAPPLING WITH ISSUES OF DAILY AND URGENT HUMAN SIGNIFICANCE IN THIS CLASSIC WORK MARTHA NUSSBAUM MAINTAINS THAT THESE HELLENISTIC SCHOOLS HAVE BEEN UNJUSTLY NEGLECTED IN RECENT PHILOSOPHIC ACCOUNTS OF WHAT THE CLASSICAL TRADITION HAS TO OFFER BY EXAMINING TEXTS OF PHILOSOPHERS SUCH AS EPICURUS LUCRETIUS AND SENECA SHE RECOVERS A VALUABLE SOURCE FOR CURRENT MORAL AND POLITICAL THOUGHT AND ENCOURAGES US TO RECONSIDER PHILOSOPHICAL ARGUMENT AS A TECHNIQUE THROUGH WHICH TO IMPROVE LIVES WRITTEN FOR GENERAL READERS AND SPECIALISTS THE THERAPY OF DESIRE ADDRESSES COMPELLING ISSUES RANGING FROM THE PSYCHOLOGY OF HUMAN PASSION THROUGH RHETORIC TO THE ROLE OF PHILOSOPHY IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE LIFE

THE THERAPY OF DESIRE 2013-06-06 THIS VOLUME CONTAINS THREE BOOKS 1 VITAL BODY 2 DESIRE BODY 3 ARCHETYPE OR CONCRETE MENTAL BODY THE ABOVE BOOS ARE WRITTEN BY MAX HEINDEL THE FOUNDER AND MESSENGER OF THE ROSICRUCIAN FELLOWSHIP

VITAL BODY+DESIRE BODY+Archetype 2020-12-23 PEOPLE DO THINGS FOR REASONS BUT WHAT ARE REASONS AND HOW ARE THEY RELATED TO THE RESULTING ACTIONS BITTNER EXPLORES THIS QUESTION AND PROPOSES AN ANSWER A REASON IS A RESPONSE TO THAT STATE OF AFFAIRS

Doing Things for Reasons 2001 desire is a central concept in aristotle sethical and psychological works but he does not provide us with a systematic treatment of the notion itself this book reconstructs the account of desire latent in his various scattered remarks on the subject and analyses its role in his moral psychology topics include the range of states that aristotle counts as desires orexeis objects of desire orekta and the relation between desires and envisaging prospects desire and the good aristotle s three species of desire epithumia pleasure based desire thumos retaliatory desire and boul? Sis good based desire in a narrower notion of good than that which connects desire more generally to the good aristotle s division of desires into rational and non rational aristotle and some current views on desire and the role of desire in aristotle s moral psychology the book will be of relevance to anyone interested in aristotle s ethics or psychology

ARISTOTLE ON DESIRE 2012-08-30 DESIRES MATTER WHAT ARE DESIRES MANY BELIEVE THAT DESIRE IS A MOTIVATIONAL STATE DESIRING IS BEING DISPOSED TO ACT THIS CONCEPTION ALIGNS WITH THE FUNCTIONALIST APPROACH TO DESIRE AND THE STANDARD ACCOUNT OF DESIRE S ROLE IN EXPLAINING ACTION ACCORDING TO A SECOND INFLUENTIAL APPROACH HOWEVER DESIRE IS FIRST AND FOREMOST AN EVALUATION DESIRING IS REPRESENTING SOMETHING AS GOOD AFTER ALL WE SEEM TO DESIRE THINGS UNDER THE GUISE OF THE GOOD WHICH UNDERSTANDING OF DESIRE IS MORE ACCURATE IS THE GUISE OF THE GOOD EVEN RIGHT TO ASSUME SHOULD WE ADOPT AN ALTERNATIVE PICTURE THAT EMPHASIZES DESIRE S DEONTIC NATURE WHAT DO NEUROSCIENTIFIC STUDIES SUGGEST ESSAYS IN THE FIRST SECTION OF THE VOLUME ARE DEVOTED TO THESE QUESTIONS AND TO THE PUZZLE OF DESIRE S ESSENCE IN THE SECOND PART OF THE VOLUME ESSAYS INVESTIGATE SOME IMPLICATIONS THAT THE VARIOUS CONCEPTIONS OF DESIRE HAVE ON A NUMBER OF FUNDAMENTAL ISSUES FOR EXAMPLE WHY ARE INCONSISTENT DESIRES PROBLEMATIC WHAT IS DESIRE S ROLE IN PRACTICAL DELIBERATION HOW DO WE KNOW WHAT WE WANT THIS VOLUME WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE EMERGENCE OF A FRUITFUL DEBATE ON A NEGLECTED ALBEIT CRUCIAL DIMENSION OF THE MIND

THE NATURE OF DESIRE 2017-06-01 THE FATE OF DESIRE EXAMINES THE PROBLEMS OF LIVING IN A DECENTERED WORLD ASSUMING THAT THE POSTSTRUCTURALIST DECLARATION OF THE END OF MAN IS AN ESSENTIAL ASPECT OF OUR CURRENT WAYS OF THINKING THE BOOK FOCUSES ON THE POSITIVE VALUES INHERENT IN THIS SHIFT IN SUBSTITUTING MULTIPLICITY AND FIELDS OF PLAY FOR IDENTITY AND HIERARCHY AND IN DISTINGUISHING BETWEEN DESIRE AS FULLNESS AND DESIRE AS LACK HANS ARGUES FOR A VISION OF EXISTENCE THAT IS BASED ON THE DIFFICULTIES NIETZSCHE POSITED AS AN INEVITABLE PART OF FULLY AFFIRMING THE RICH BUT TRAGIC NATURE OF LIFE THESE RECONCEPTIONS OF THE HUMAN SCENE REDEFINE SELF DISCIPLINE IN TERMS OF UNDERSTANDING AND LOVING ONE S FATE INSTEAD OF PROVIDING YET ONE MORE CRITIQUE OF THE FLAWED VALUES THROUGH WHICH THE WESTERN WORLD HAS CONSTITUTED ITSELF THE FATE OF DESIRE TAKES UP THE TASK OF WEIGHING THE THINGS OF THE WORLD ANEW REVALUING THEM IN TERMS OF OUR PRESENT UNDERSTANDING OF OUR POSITIONS IN THE WORLD HANS SUGGESTS THAT IF WE ARE FATED TO BE DRIVEN BY DESIRE AND IF WE ARE LED TO ACCEPT THE WAYS IN WHICH OUR DESIRE MANIFESTS ITSELF ACCORDING TO OUR OWN INDIVIDUAL FATES THERE IS STILL EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE THAT HUMANS CAN FIND A PRODUCTIVE WAY OF UNDERSTANDING AND FULLY OCCUPYING THEIR PLACE IN THE WORLD

THE FATE OF DESIRE 1990-07-05 THESE ARE RECOLLECTIONS ABOUT FINDING THE PASSION AND JOY OF ONE S LIFE AND BREAKING THOSE TIES THAT KEEPS A PERSON FROM FULFILLING DREAMS NO MATTER HOW INSANE THE DESIRES OF THE HEART MAYBE TO NOT TRY MAY PROVE MORE DETRIMENTAL TO THE SOUL THAN ALL OF THE FAILURES ENCOUNTERED ALONG THE WAY

PRODUCTS OF CONCEPTION PART ONE ELLEGY 2008-04 THE CONCEPTION IS A NOVEL BASED ON THE REAL LIFE DESIRE OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN NIGERIA TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE THEIR COUNTRY BY ANY MEANS NECESSARY TO BECOME RICH SOME FORCEFULLY SEIZE CONTROL AND SELL OFF THEIR PARENTS PROPERTIES TO FULFILL THEIR DESIRES BUT THE RESULTS CAN LEAVE AGED PARENTS HOMELESS FRANK IS ONE SUCH AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN TALL AND HANDSOMELY BUILT HE IS THE YOUNGEST CHILD OF PA EDOMWONYI FRANK HAS A STRONG DESIRE TO SUCCEED CONVINCING HIMSELF THAT HE CAN LIFT HIS FAMILY OUT OF A LIFE OF POVERTY AND NO LONGER JUST BE SEEN AS THE BABY OF THE FAMILY THROUGH HIS BEST FRIEND FRANK HEARS OF AN EASY WAY TO TRAVEL FROM NIGERIA TO EUROPE WITHOUT FEAR OF REPATRIATION OR IMPRISONMENT BUT THE SNAG IN THEIR PLANS IS HOW TO RAISE THE MONEY TO EMBARK ON THE JOURNEY THE ONLY WAY IS TO CONVINCE THEIR FATHERS TO SELL OFF THEIR HOMES TO RAISE THE MONEY FOR THE TRIP HOWEVER THE PATH TO EUROPE IS STREWN WITH YOUNG MEN S BLOOD AND YOUNG WOMEN IMMIGRANTS BEING FORCED INTO PROSTITUTION THE CONCEPTION IS AN EXTRAORDINARY STORY THAT SHOWS THE DREAMS AND DESIRES OF THE YOUNG CANNOT ALWAYS BE FULFILLED FIRST TIME AUTHOR OMORAGBON OSASUMWEN EGBE IS NOW WRITING THE BOOK S SEQUEL HE WORKS FOR THE GOVERNMENT IN NIGERIA AND HOPES HIS BOOK S LEGACY WILL REDUCE THE SCOURGE OF ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS AS WELL AS WOMEN AND CHILD TRAFFICKING PUBLISHER S WEBSITE SBPRA COM OMORAGBONOSASUMWENEGB

THE PHYSIOLOGY OF MIND 1889 THIS VOLUME PRESENTS AN INTERCONNECTED SET OF SIXTEEN ESSAYS FOUR OF WHICH ARE PREVIOUSLY UNPUBLISHED BY ALLAN GOTTHELF ONE OF THE LEADING EXPERTS IN THE STUDY OF ARISTOTLE S BIOLOGICAL WRITINGS GOTTHELF ADDRESSES THREE MAIN TOPICS ACROSS ARISTOTLE S THREE MAIN BIOLOGICAL TREATISES STARTING WITH HIS OWN GROUND BREAKING STUDY OF ARISTOTLE S NATURAL TELEOLOGY AND ITS ILLUMINATING RELATIONSHIP WITH THE GENERATION OF ANIMALS GOTTHELF PROCEEDS TO THE AXIOMATIC STRUCTURE OF BIOLOGICAL EXPLANATION AND THE FIRST PRINCIPLES SUCH EXPLANATION PROCEEDS FROM IN THE PARTS OF ANIMALS AFTER AN EXPLORATION OF THE IMPLICATIONS OF THESE TWO TREATISES FOR OUR UNDERSTANDING OF ARISTOTLE S METAPHYSICS GOTTHELF EXAMINES IMPORTANT ASPECTS OF THE METHOD BY WHICH ARISTOTLE ORGANIZES HIS DATA IN THE HISTORY OF ANIMALS TO MAKE POSSIBLE SUCH A SYSTEMATIC EXPLANATORY STUDY OF ANIMALS OFFERING A NEW VIEW OF THE PLACE OF CLASSIFICATION IN THAT ENTERPRISE IN A CONCLUDING SECTION ON ARISTOTLE AS THEORETICAL BIOLOGIST GOTTHELF EXPLORES THE BASIS OF CHARLES DARWIN S GREAT PRAISE OF ARISTOTLE AND IN THE FIRST PRINTING OF A LECTURE DELIVERED WORLDWIDE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF ARISTOTLE AS A PHILOSOPHICALLY ORIENTED SCIENTIST AND A PROPER VERDICT ON HIS GREATNESS AS SCIENTIST

The Conception $20\,12-08$ it seems the mind has evolved into such a powerful form that we are able to go beyond knowing the world and move towards knowing the mind itself being able to comprehend the mind permits smooth social interaction since it allows us to anticipate the future actions of those around us the apparently effortless quality of social co ordination belies the complex process of conceptualization and inference that is actually at work the odyssey of childhood especially in

THE EARLY YEARS PRESENTS A TOPIC FOR INVESTIGATION AND SPECULATION A PURPOSE OF THIS BOOK IS TO PROVIDE A THOROUGHLY READABLE IN DEPTH REVIEW OF RECENT FINDINGS AND THEORIES ABOUT THE DEVELOPMENT OF UNDERSTANDING MIND IN PREPARING THIS A MAJOR GOAL WAS SEEN AS COMPOSING TEXT THAT IS APPEALING IN ITSELF AS A PIECE OF WRITING THIS BOOK COVERS DEVELOPMENT FROM INFANCY TO ADULTHOOD AND ALSO CONSIDERS RELATED DISORDERS OF DEVELOPMENT ESPECIALLY AUTISM IT GOES BEYOND THE NARROW FOCUS ON THE PRESCHOOL YEARS TYPICAL OF MOST WRITINGS ON THE TOPIC ONE OF THE MAIN THEMES IN THE BOOK CONCERNS THE ROLE OF LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION IN DEVELOPMENT LANGUAGE COULD SERVE AS A TOOL THAT HELPS THE CHILD TO THINK MORE IN THE ABSTRACT AND THE HYPOTHETICAL ONCE REMOVED FROM REALITY BEING ABLE TO COMMUNICATE WITH LANGUAGE VIRTUALLY MEANS THAT WE ARE ABLE TO HEAR THE THOUGHTS OF THOSE AROUND US WE HEAR WHAT THEY THINK FROM WHAT THEY SAY COMMUNICATION COULD THUS PROVIDE A MAJOR CATALYST IN PROMOTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN UNDERSTANDING OF MIND PERHAPS IT IS NO COINCIDENCE THAT CHILDREN WITH AUTISM WHO SUPPOSEDLY HAVE AN IMPAIRED UNDERSTANDING OF MIND ALSO HAVE IMPAIRMENTS IN LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION

TELEOLOGY, FIRST PRINCIPLES, AND SCIENTIFIC METHOD IN ARISTOTLE'S BIOLOGY 2012-02-23 PEOPLE ARE MINDED CREATURES WE HAVE THOUGHTS FEELINGS AND EMOTIONS MORE INTRIGUINGLY WE GRASP OUR OWN MENTAL STATES AND CONDUCT THE BUSINESS OF ASCRIBING THEM TO OURSELVES AND OTHERS WITHOUT INSTRUCTION IN FORMAL PSYCHOLOGY HOW DO WE DO THIS AND WHAT ARE THE DIMENSIONS OF OUR GRASP OF THE MENTAL REALM IN THIS BOOK ALVIN I GOLDMAN EXPLORES THESE QUESTIONS WITH THE TOOLS OF PHILOSOPHY DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY AND COGNITIVE NEUROSCIENCE HE REFINES AN APPROACH CALLED SIMULATION THEORY WHICH STARTS FROM THE FAMILIAR IDEA THAT WE UNDERSTAND OTHERS BY PUTTING OURSELVES IN THEIR MENTAL SHOES CAN THIS INTUITIVE IDEA BE RENDERED PRECISE IN A PHILOSOPHICALLY RESPECTABLE MANNER WITHOUT ALLOWING SIMULATION TO COLLAPSE INTO THEORIZING GIVEN A SUITABLE DEFINITION DO EMPIRICAL RESULTS SUPPORT THE NOTION THAT MINDS LITERALLY CREATE OR ATTEMPT TO CREATE SURROGATES OF OTHER PEOPLES MENTAL STATES IN THE PROCESS OF MINDREADING GOLDMAN AMASSES A SURPRISING ARRAY OF EVIDENCE FROM PSYCHOLOGY AND NEUROSCIENCE THAT SUPPORTS THIS HYPOTHESIS

North American Journal of Homoeopathy 1873 the essays collected in this volume by paul guyer one of the world s foremost kant scholars explore kant s attempt to develop a morality grounded on the intrinsic and unconditional value of the human freedom to set our own ends when regulated by the principle that the freedom of all is equally valuable the freedom to set our own ends what kant calls humanity becomes what he calls autonomy these essays explore kant s strategies for establishing the premise that freedom is the inner worth of the world or the essential end of humankind as he says and for deriving the specific duties that fundamental principle of morality generates in the empirical circumstances of human existence the virtues of freedom further investigates kant s attempts to prove that we are always free to live up to this moral ideal that is that we have free will no matter what as well as his more successful explorations of the ways in which our natural tendencies to be moral dispositions to the feeling of respect and more specific feelings such as love and self esteem can and must be cultivated and educated guyer finally examines the various models of human community that kant develops from his premise that our associations must be based on the value of freedom for all the contrasts but also similarities of kant s moral philosophy to that of david hume but many of his other predecessors and contemporaries such as stoics and epicureans pufendorf and wolff hutcheson kames and smith are also explored

ACQUIRING A CONCEPTION OF MIND 2021-04-14 IN THIS PROFOUND AND YET ACCESSIBLE BOOK JOHN KEKES DISCUSSES MORAL WISDOM A VIRTUE ESSENTIAL TO LIVING A MORALLY GOOD AND PERSONALLY SATISFYING LIFE HE ADVANCES A BROAD NONTECHNICAL ARGUMENT THAT CONSIDERS THE ADVERSITIES INHERENT IN THE HUMAN CONDITION AND ASSISTS IN THE ACHIEVEMENT OF GOOD LIVES THE POSSESSION OF MORAL WISDOM KEKES ASSERTS IS A MATTER OF DEGREE MORE OF IT MAKES LIVES BETTER LESS MAKES THEM WORSE EXACTLY WHAT IS MORAL WISDOM HOWEVER AND HOW SHOULD IT BE SOUGHT ANCIENT GREEK AND MEDIEVAL CHRISTIAN PHILOSOPHERS WERE CENTRALLY CONCERNED WITH IT BY CONTRAST MODERN WESTERN SENSIBILITY DOUBTS THE EXISTENCE OF A MORAL ORDER IN REALITY AND BECAUSE WE DOUBT IT AND HAVE DEVELOPED NO ALTERNATIVES WE HAVE GROWN DUBIOUS ABOUT THE TRADITIONAL IDEA OF WISDOM KEKES RETURNS TO THE CLASSICAL GREEK SOURCES OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY TO ARGUE FOR THE CONTEMPORARY SIGNIFICANCE OF MORAL WISDOM HE DEVELOPS A PROPOSAL THAT IS EUDAIMONISTIC SECULAR ANTHROPOCENTRIC PLURALISTIC INDIVIDUALISTIC AND AGONISTIC HE UNDERSTANDS MORAL WISDOM AS FOCUSING ON THE HUMAN EFFORT TO CREATE MANY DIFFERENT FORMS OF GOOD LIVES ALTHOUGH THE APPROACH IS ARISTOTELIAN THE AUTHOR CONCENTRATES ON FORMULATING AND DEFENDING A CONTEMPORARY MORAL IDEAL THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS IDEAL HE SHOWS LIES IN INCREASING OUR ABILITY TO COPE WITH LIFE S ADVERSITIES BY IMPROVING OUR JUDGMENT IN CHAPTERS ON MORAL IMAGINATION SELF KNOWLEDGE AND MORAL DEPTH KEKES CALLS ATTENTION TO ASPECTS OF OUR INNER LIFE THAT HAVE BEEN NEGLECTED BECAUSE OF OUR CULTURAL INATTENTION TO MORAL WISDOM HE DISCUSSES THESE INNER PROCESSES THROUGH THE TRAGEDIES OF SOPHOCLES WHICH CAN INSPIRE US WITH THEIR ENDURING MORAL SIGNIFICANCE AND HELP US TO UNDERSTAND THE IMPORTANCE OF MORAL WISDOM TO LIVING A GOOD LIFE

SIMULATING MINDS 2006-07-06 ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED 1999 WITH NEW FOREWORD

VIRTUES OF FREEDOM 2016 IN THIS BOOK PROFESSOR JEANINE GRENBERG DEFENDS THE IDEA THAT KANT S VIRTUE THEORY IS BEST UNDERSTOOD AS A SYSTEM OF EUDAEMONISM INDEED AS A DISTINCTIVE FORM OF EUDAEMONISM THAT MAKES IT PREFERABLE TO OTHER FORMS OF IT A SYSTEM OF WHAT SHE CALLS DEONTOLOGICAL EUDAEMONISM IN DEONTOLOGICAL EUDAEMONISM ONE ACHIEVES HAPPINESS BOTH RATIONALLY CONCEIVED AS NON FELT PLEASURE IN THE VIRTUALLY UNIMPEDED HARMONIOUS ACTIVITY OF ONE S WILL AND CHOICE AND EMPIRICALLY CONCEIVED AS PLEASURABLE FULFILMENT OF ONE S DESIRES ONLY VIA AUTHENTIC COMMITMENT TO AND FULFILMENT OF WHAT IS DEMANDED OF ALL RATIONAL BEINGS MAKING PERSONS AS SUCH ONE S END IN ALL THINGS TO TELL THIS STORY OF DEONTOLOGICAL EUDAEMONISM GRENBERG FIRST DEFENDS THE NOTION THAT KANT S DEONTOLOGICAL APPROACH TO ETHICS IS SIMULTANEOUSLY AND INDEED FOUNDATIONALLY AND MOST BASICALLY TELEOLOGICAL SHE THEN SHOWS THAT THE REALIZATION OF AN APTITUDE FOR THE VIRTUOUS FULFILMENT OF ONE S OBLIGATORY ENDS PROVIDES THE SOLID BASIS FOR SIMULTANEOUS REALIZATION OF HAPPINESS BOTH RATIONALLY AND EMPIRICALLY CONCEIVED ALONG THE WAY SHE ARGUES BOTH THAT KANT S NOTION OF HAPPINESS RATIONALLY CONCEIVED IS ESSENTIALLY IDENTICAL TO ARISTOTLE S CONCEPTION OF HAPPINESS AS UNIMPEDED ACTIVITY AND THAT HIS NOTION OF HAPPINESS EMPIRICALLY CONCEIVED IS BEST REALIZED VIA AN UNWAVERING COMMITMENT TO THE FULFILMENT OF ONE S OBLIGATORY ENDS

Works of Thomas Hill Green ...: Philosophical works 1885 this is the first comprehensive text to address addiction and its multiple effects on and extensions into art literature philosophy and psychology most research into addiction has taken place within the disciplines of medicine criminology politics and social psychology when seen from a broad cultural perspective however addiction emerges directly alongside modernity haunting its various discourses of digression dissent and the transcendence of the commonplace who could even imagine modern writing without the addictive visionary excesses of writers like baudelaire dequincey poe burroughs or artaud or for that matter modern culture without its outsiders its incorrigible addicts its defaced subjects smokers users overeaters alcoholics the insane taking a cultural studies approach to addiction high culture offers a readable and accessible collection of essays on these socially marginalized practices and discourses so central to modernity

PHILOSOPHICAL WORKS.- VOL. III. MISCELLANIES AND MEMOIR 1894 RECENT DECADES HAVE SEEN A FLOURISHING INTEREST IN AND SPECULATION ABOUT THE ORIGINS OF PHOTOGRAPHY SPURRED BY REDISCOVERIES OF FIRST PHOTOGRAPHS AND PROCLAMATIONS OF PHOTOGRAPHY S DEATH IN THE DIGITAL AGE SCHOLARS HAVE BEEN RETHINKING WHO AND WHAT INVENTED THE MEDIUM PHOTOGRAPHY AND ITS ORIGINS REFLECTS ON THIS INTEREST IN PHOTOGRAPHY S BEGINNINGS BY REFRAMING IT IN CRITICAL AND SPECIFICALLY HISTORIOGRAPHICAL TERMS HOW AND WHY DO WE WRITE ABOUT THE ORIGINS OF THE MEDIUM WHOM OR WHAT DO WE RELY ON TO CONSTRUCT THOSE NARRATIVES WHAT S AT STAKE IN CHOOSING TO TELL STORIES OF PHOTOGRAPHY S GENESIS IN ONE WAY OR ANOTHER AND WHAT KIND OF WORK CAN THOSE STORIES DO EDITED BY TANYA SHEEHAN AND ANDR S MARIO ZERVIG N THIS COLLECTION OF 16 ORIGINAL ESSAYS ILLUSTRATED WITH 32 COLOUR IMAGES SHOWCASES PROMINENT AND EMERGING VOICES IN THE FIELD OF PHOTOGRAPHY STUDIES THEIR RESEARCH CUTS ACROSS DISCIPLINES AND METHODOLOGIES SHEDDING NEW LIGHT ON OLD QUESTIONS ABOUT HISTORIES AND THEIR WRITING PHOTOGRAPHY AND ITS ORIGINS WILL SERVE AS A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS IN ART HISTORY VISUAL AND MEDIA STUDIES AND THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

A TREATISE ON HUMAN NATURE 1878 TRADITIONAL CHRISTIAN THEOLOGY HAS GENERALLY TREATED DESIRE AS A DARK AND NEGATIVE FORCE INTIMATELY RELATED TO SIN SOMETHING TO BE RESTRICTED AND REPRESSED CLOSETED AND CONTROLLED BUT ACCORDING TO LERON SHULTS AND JAN OLAV HENRIKSEN S SAVING DESIRE WE SEE ONLY PART OF THE PICTURE IF WE DO NOT ALSO PERCEIVE THAT DESIRE CAN BE A POWERFUL FORCE FOR GREAT GOOD GROUNDING THEIR WORK FIRMLY IN THE EXPERIENTIAL REALM OF HUMAN LIFE THE EIGHT EMINENT THEOLOGIANS CONTRIBUTING TO THIS VOLUME CELEBRATE TOGETHER THE POSITIVITY THE SOCIALITY AND THE PHYSICALITY OF SAVING DESIRE THAT IS HUMANKIND S INNATE DESIRE NOT ONLY FOR THE GOOD LIFE BUT ALSO MORE VITALLY FOR THE LIFE TRANSFORMING GOODNESS OF GOD

MORAL WISDOM AND GOOD LIVES 2018-10-18 ESSAYS ON FREEDOM OF ACTION FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1973 BRINGS TOGETHER ORIGINAL PAPERS BY CONTEMPORARY BRITISH AND AMERICAN PHILOSOPHERS ON QUESTIONS WHICH HAVE LONG CONCERNED PHILOSOPHERS AND OTHERS THE QUESTION OF WHETHER PERSONS ARE WHOLLY A PART OF THE NATURAL WORLD AND THEIR ACTIONS THE NECESSARY EFFECTS OF CAUSAL PROCESSES AND THE QUESTION OF WHETHER OUR ACTIONS ARE FREE AND SUCH THAT WE CAN BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR THEM EVEN IF THEY ARE THE NECESSARY EFFECTS OF CASUAL PROCESSES THIS VOLUME WILL BE OF INTEREST NOT ONLY TO THOSE WHO ARE PRIMARILY CONCERNED WITH PHILOSOPHY BUT ALSO TO STUDENTS IN THOSE MANY OTHER DISCIPLINES IN WHICH FREEDOM AND DETERMINISM ARISE AS PROBLEMS Subjects of Desire 2012 what duties do liberal democratic states owe to refugees does international refugee law impose UNFEASIBLE DEMANDS ON STATES THIS HIGHLY ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTION EXPLORES WHAT THEORIES OF INTERNATIONAL ETHICS HAVE TO SAY ABOUT REFUGEE POLICY IT ADVANCES AN INNOVATIVE CRITIQUE OF PREVALENT LIBERAL APPROACHES SHOWING HOW THEIR ASSUMPTIONS ABOUT MORAL AGENCY CREATE UNFEASIBLE EXPECTATIONS ABOUT INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE IT SETS OUT AN ALTERNATIVE THEORY SHOWING HOW THIS COULD BE MORE ADEPT AT MOBILIZING COMMITMENT TO REFUGEE RIGHTS THE VOLUME WILL BE OF INTEREST NOT JUST TO SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS OF APPLIED ETHICS BUT ALSO TO THOSE MORE GENERALLY INTERESTED IN DEBATES ON REFUGEE AND MIGRATION POLICY IT PRESENTS A CLEAR AND THOROUGH DISCUSSION OF LIBERAL POLITICAL THEORY AND ITS APPLICATION TO QUESTIONS OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE AND PROVIDES INSIGHTS INTO THE PHILOSOPHICAL SOURCES OF DEBATES ON LIBERAL VERSUS RESTRICTIVE APPROACHES TO REFUGEE POLICY PROBLEMS OF FERTILIZATION 1919 CONCEPTION CONTROL AND ITS EFFECTS ON THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE NATION BY FLORENCE E BARRETT THE PROBLEM OF TO DAY IN THE LATE SEVENTIES OF LAST CENTURY A PAMPHLET ENTITLED THE FRUITS OF PHILOSOPHY WAS REPUBLISHED BY MRS ANNIE BESANT AND MR CHARLES BRADLAUGH IN THEIR DESIRE TO MITIGATE THE SUFFERING OF POOR WOMEN WHO WERE OVERBURDENED BY WORK AND FURTHER WEAKENED BY FREQUENT CHILD BEARING THEY RESOLVED TO FACE PUBLIC OBLOQUY AND EVEN LEGAL PROSECUTION IN ORDER TO BRING TO THESE WOMEN KNOWLEDGE OF HOW TO PREVENT CONCEPTION WHICH IN THEIR OPINION WOULD GIVE THE RELIEF THEY SO SORELY NEEDED AS IS WELL KNOWN THE LATER PAMPHLET ON THE SAME SUBJECT WRITTEN BY THEMSELVES WAS WITHDRAWN FROM PUBLICATION BY MRS BESANT IN 1886 ON RELIGIOUS GROUNDS DURING THE LAST FEW YEARS THE IDEA OF THE NEED FOR CONCEPTION CONTROL HAS AGAIN BECOME PROMINENT PARTLY AS A REVOLT AGAINST THE BONDAGE OF WOMEN IN CHILD BEARING PARTLY ACCENTUATED BY THE DIFFICULTIES AND UNCERTAINTIES OF AN ADEQUATE LIVELIHOOD AND THE DESIRE TO HAVE A FEW CHILDREN WELL EDUCATED AND CARED FOR RATHER THAN MANY WHO SHIFT MORE OR LESS FOR THEMSELVES WE ARE DELIGHTED TO PUBLISH THIS CLASSIC BOOK AS PART OF OUR EXTENSIVE CLASSIC LIBRARY COLLECTION MANY OF THE BOOKS IN OUR COLLECTION HAVE BEEN OUT OF PRINT FOR DECADES AND THEREFORE HAVE NOT BEEN ACCESSIBLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC THE AIM OF OUR PUBLISHING PROGRAM IS TO FACILITATE RAPID ACCESS TO THIS VAST RESERVOIR OF LITERATURE AND OUR VIEW IS THAT THIS IS A SIGNIFICANT LITERARY WORK WHICH DESERVES TO BE BROUGHT BACK INTO PRINT AFTER MANY DECADES THE CONTENTS OF THE VAST MAJORITY OF TITLES IN THE CLASSIC LIBRARY HAVE BEEN SCANNED FROM THE ORIGINAL WORKS TO ENSURE A HIGH QUALITY PRODUCT EACH TITLE HAS BEEN METICULOUSLY HAND CURATED BY OUR STAFF OUR PHILOSOPHY HAS BEEN GUIDED BY A DESIRE TO PROVIDE THE READER WITH A BOOK THAT IS AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE TO OWNERSHIP OF THE ORIGINAL WORK WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL ENIOY THIS WONDERFUL CLASSIC WORK AND THAT FOR YOU IT BECOMES AN ENRICHING EXPERIENCE

KANT'S DEONTOLOGICAL EUDAEMONISM 2022-07-28 IN THIS SUCCINCT AND WELL WRITTEN BOOK ONE OF OUR MOST EMINENT PHILOSOPHERS PROVIDES A FRESH READING OF THE VIEW OF FREEDOM AND MORALITY DEVELOPED BY THOMAS REID 1710 1796 ALTHOUGH CONTEMPORARY THEORISTS HAVE WRITTEN EXTENSIVELY ABOUT THE SCOTTISH PHILOSOPHER S CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE THEORY OF KNOWLEDGE THIS IS THE FIRST BOOK LENGTH STUDY OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CONTROVERSY OVER FREEDOM AND NECESSITY WILLIAM L ROWE ARGUES THAT REID DEVELOPED A SUBTLE SYSTEMATIC THEORY OF MORAL FREEDOM BASED ON THE IDEA OF THE HUMAN BEING AS A FREE AND MORALLY RESPONSIBLE AGENT HE CAREFULLY RECONSTRUCTS THE THEORY AND EXPLORES THE INTELLECTUAL BACKGROUND TO REID S VIEWS IN THE WORK OF JOHN LOCKE SAMUEL CLARKE AND ANTHONY COLLINS ROWE DEVELOPS A NOVEL ACCOUNT OF REID S CONCEPTION OF FREE ACTION AND RELATES IT TO CONTEMPORARY ARGUMENTS THAT MORAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AN ACTION IMPLIES THE POWER TO HAVE DONE OTHERWISE DISTILLING FROM REID S WORK A VIABLE VERSION OF THE AGENCY THEORY OF FREEDOM AND RESPONSIBILITY HE SUGGESTS HOW REID S THEORY CAN BE DEFENDED AGAINST THE MAJOR OBJECTIONS BOTH HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY THAT HAVE BEEN ADVANCED AGAINST IT BLENDING TO GOOD EFFECT HISTORICAL AND PHILOSOPHICAL ANALYSIS THOMAS REID ON FREEDOM AND MORALITY SHOULD INTEREST PHILOSOPHERS POLITICAL THEORISTS AND INTELLECTUAL HISTORIANS

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