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Science ... is organized common sense.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

God is the Absolute Idea, a circle that returns upon itself, not a straight line projected indefinitely.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

Might does not make right, but right demands that those who hold to it should defend it with all their might.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

The state is the nursing mother of human culture.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

Life appears in a vast variety and innumerable succession of individual forms, since the most salient character of the universe is just that it ceaselessly gives birth to living individuals.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

Our obligation to the will of God is our obligation to the laws of practical reason.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

Metaphysics is the clearing house for all fundamental philosophical problems.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

The only religion which seems to have a function in time of war is the tribal religion which invokes a God as the exclusive protector of the nation which calls upon him.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

God is a wider consciousness than we are, a pure intelligence, spiritual life and actuality. He is neither one nor many, neither man nor spirit.

Such predicates belong only to finite beings.

~Joseph Alexander Leighton

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