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by J. Daryl Charles, Ph.D., Director and Senior Fellow of the Bryan Institute for Critical Thinking and Practice, Chattanooga, Tennessee

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, by Reverend Daniel M. Bell, Jr., Ph.D., Professor of Theological Ethics, Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary, Columbia, South Carolina

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**Spring 2012 GOD, MAN and WAR / History of War** [Why I Am Not a Pacifist](#) by Daniel R. Heimbach, Senior Professor of Ethics at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, North Carolina

### NATIONAL SECURITY /

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[Pursuing Strategy in the Wrong Language: The Consequences of Political Correctness](#)

By Reverend Wylie W. Johnson, D.Min., Chaplain (Colonel), U.S. Army Reserve, Senior Pastor of Springfield Baptist Church, Springfield, Pennsylvania and Command Chaplain for Military Intelligence Readiness Command

### LEADERSHIP /

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by Dr Peter Lee, Ph.D., Senior Lecturer in Airpower Studies (Academic) at Royal Air Force College Cranwell in Lincolnshire, United Kingdom

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## Winter 2012

**Commentaries on current events:** [A Lesson on Apology for Soldiers and Diplomats](#), by Chaplain (Major) Bruce Sidebotham, U.S. Army Reserve, D.Min.,

**Why it's**

**essential**

**for political and military leaders to understand the rituals of apology in Muslim cultures--and the potentially disastrous results of not following those customs**

[Use the Koran to Control Afghan Anger](#) by Dr. Tawfik Hamid, Senior Fellow and Chair of the Study of Islamic Radicalism at the Potomac Institute for Policy Studies, Arlington, Virginia, *Why U.S. political and military leaders must know and use the passages in the Koran that could restrain Afghans from attacking and killing Coalition and Afghan Forces after the recent burning of the Koran in their country*

## **GOD, MAN and WAR** □ **God and Human Nature**

[Conservatism, Christianity, and the Revitalization of Europe](#) by Lee Congdon, Professor Emeritus of History at James Madison University, Virginia (This paper was published in the Summer 2011 edition of this Journal and is listed again here because it relates so directly to the book reviews that follow.)

[The Fall of the Modern Age?](#) by Neil G. Robertson, Associate Professor at University of King's College, Halifax, a review of *Icarus Fallen: The Search for Meaning in an Uncertain World*, by Chantal Delsol

[Republican Virtue, Imperial Temptations](#), by Richard M. Gamble, Associate Professor of History at Hillsdale College, Michigan, a review of *America the Virtuous: The Crisis of Democracy and the Quest for Empire*, by Claes G. Ryn

[The Moral Meaning of America](#), by Joseph R. Fornieri, Professor of Political Science at the Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, New York, a review of *Lincoln at Peoria: The Turning Point: Getting Right with the Declaration of Independence*, by Lewis E. Lehrman

[Equally Not Nothing](#) by Peter Augustine Lawler, Professor of Government at Berry College, Georgia, a review of *Atheist Delusions: The Christian Revolution and Its Fashionable Enemies*, by David Bentley Hart

**GOD, MAN and WAR** □ **History of War** [Ancient Asymmetry in "Ways of War" Resurfaces in Clash with Political Islam](#), by Chaplain (Major) Bruce Sidebotham, D.Min.

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a commentary by Dr. Tawfik

Hamid, Senior Fellow and Chair of the Study of Islamic Radicalism, Potomac Institute for Policy Studies

**LEADERSHIP / Practicing and Mentoring Leadership** [The Great Omission](#) a commentary on praying for our troops and allies, by Major Kevin Cutright, U.S.Army

[JFW Blog...When Loyalties Compete: Making the Right Choice](#) , by the editor...What guides members of the armed forces when they face the dilemma of choosing between competing loyalties? At the Leavenworth Ethics Seminar in November 2011, two participants presented a paper on competing loyalties. They defined loyalty as...(select the link above to read the entire blog entry.)

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## Fall 2011

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[J'Accuse III--Responding to Growing Anti-Semitism](#) Why Israel's naval blockade of Gaza is justified under international law, by Robert W. Ash, D.Jur., Lieutenant Colonel, U.S. Army, Retired, Associate Professor of Law, Regent University School of Law, Virginia Beach, Virginia

[A Communique in Response to the U.S. 2011 National Strategy on Counterterrorism](#) by the American Islamic Leadership Council (AILC)

**NATIONAL SECURITY / Strategic Leadership** [Understanding the Religion Clauses in the First Amendment of the U.S. Constitution](#) by John Harmon McElroy, Ph.D., Professor Emeritus of English, Arizona University

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### **LEADERSHIP/Developing and Teaching Leadership Doctrine** [Why Modern, Liberal, Pluralistic, Secularist Democracies Cannot Educate Themselves](#)

by Thaddeus J. Kozinski, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Humanities and the Trivium, Wyoming Catholic College, Lander, Wyoming

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by Colonel Al Shine, U.S. Army, Retired, and Colonel Don M. Snider, U.S. Army, Retired, Ph.D.

**NATIONAL SECURITY / Strategic Leadership** [The Religious Rights of Those in Uniform](#) by Jay Alan Sekulow, D.Jur., Chief Counsel, American Center for Law and Justice (ACLJ) and Robert W. Ash, D.Jur., Lieutenant Colonel, U.S. Army, Retired, Associate Professor of Law, Regent University School of Law, Virginia Beach, Virginia

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[Qur'anic Concepts of the Ethics of War: Challenging the Claims of Islamic Aggressiveness](#) by

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Joel Hayward, Ph.D., Dean of the Royal Air Force College and Head of the Air Power Studies Division of London College

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**GOD, MAN and WAR / The History of War** [The Boys of Pointe du Hoc](#) , by Ronald Reagan, 40th President of the USA, remarks presented in Normandy at services on the 40th anniversary of D-Day

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**NATIONAL SECURITY / Strategic Decision Making** [The Role of Religion in National Security Policy since 9/11](#) , by Chaplain (Colonel) Jonathan E. Shaw, U.S. Army, M.Div., S.T.M., Command Chaplain, U.S. Army Combined Arms Center and Fort Leavenworth

**NATIONAL SECURITY / Strategic Leadership** [Religious Expression or Religious Coercion: Commanders Caught in the Crossfire](#) , by Chaplain (Colonel) Jimmy M. Browning, U.S. Air Force, M.Div., D.Min., M.S., Deputy Commandant, U.S. Air Force Chaplains' Corps College

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