

## **MILITARY ETHICS**

### A Working Bibliography of MHI Sources

#### **CONTENTS**

General Sources.....p.1  
Loyalty/Obedience.....p.3  
Policy Making & High Decisions.....p.4  
Other Special Aspects....p.4  
Specific Case Studies....p.5

#### **GENERAL SOURCES**

Axinn, Sidney. A Moral Military. Phila: Temple, 1989. 230 p. U22.A94.

Barrett, Clark C. Finding "the Right Way": Toward an Army Institutional Ethic. Carlisle, PA: USAWC, SSI, 2012. 64 p. U413.R366.B37.

Best, Geoffrey. Humanity in Warfare. NY: Columbia, 1980. 400 p. JX4511.B4.

\_\_\_\_\_. "Civilians in Contemporary Wars: A Problem in Ethics, Law, and Fact." Air University Review (Mar/Apr 1984): pp. 29-40. Per.

Brummitt, Malcolm J. "The Army's Ethical Dilemma." Military Review (Jul 1981): pp. 44-47. Per.

Bryant, Clifton D. Khaki-Collar Crime: Deviant Behavior in the Military Context. NY: Free Press, 1979. 388 p. UB780.B79.

Caslen, Robert L. "The Army Ethic, Public Trust, and the Profession of Arms." Military Review (Sep 2011): pp. 13-20. Per.

Challans, Timothy L. Awakening Warrior: Revolution in the Ethics of Warfare. Albany, NY: U NY, 2007. 227 p. U22.C49.

Christopher, Paul. The Ethics of War and Peace: An Introduction to Legal and Moral Issues. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall, 1999. 259 p. U22.C57.

- Cone, Robert W. "Enduring Attributes of the Profession: Trust, Discipline, Fitness." Military Review (Sep 2011): pp. 5-9. Per.
- Doleman, Edgar C., Jr. "Human Values in War." Army (Nov 1986): pp. 26-31. Per.
- Doty, Joe, & Sowden, Walter. "Competency vs. Character? It Must be Both!" Military Review (Nov/Dec 2009): pp. 69-83. Per.
- Dupuy, Trevor N., editor-in-chief. International Military and Defense Encyclopedia. 6 vols. Wash, DC: Brassey's, 1993. pp. 890-96. U24.I58.
- Dyck, Arthur J. "Ethical Bases of the Military Profession." Parameters (Mar 1980): pp. 39-46. Per.
- Ficarrotta, J. C. Kantian Thinking about Military Ethics. Burlington, VT: Ashgate, 2010. 135 p. U22.F525.
- Glover, James. "A Soldier and His Conscience." Parameters (Sep 1983): pp. 53-58. Per.
- Greenspan, Morris. The Soldier's Guide to the Laws of War. Wash, DC: Public Affairs, 1969. 87 p. JX4521.G68.
- Harrigan, Anthony. "War and Morality." Military Review (Jun 1964): pp. 80-84. Per.
- Hargreaves, Reginald. "Twixt the Devil and the Deep Blue Sea." Military Review (Feb 1958): pp. 3-11. Per.
- Johnson, Kermit D. "Ethical Issues of Military Leadership." Parameters (No 2, 1974): pp. 35-39. Per.
- Johnson, Thomas M. "'To the Victor Belong the Spoils?'" Army (Jul 1980): pp. 42-45. Per.
- Karsten, Peter. Law, Soldiers, and Combat. Westport, CT: Greenwood, 1978. 204 p. JX6731.W3.K27.
- Kiel, John L, Jr. "When Soldiers Speak Out: A Survey of Provisions Limiting Freedom of Speech in the Military." Parameters (August 2007): pp. 69-82. Per.
- Kroger, Daniel P. "Revolutionary Warfare and the Just War Tradition: A Critical Review of the Literature since 1945, Including Consideration of the Law of War." PhD dss, Notre Dame, 1992. 416 p. U21.2.K76.
- Lane, Jack F., Jr. "Military Code of Ethics: A Proposal." Military Review (Oct 1979): pp. 64-72. Per.
- Longley, A.C. "Military Ethics." Military Review (Feb 1949): pp. 56-62. Per.
- Military Ethics. Wash, DC: NDU, 1987. 251 p. U22.M48.  
Collection of articles selected from NDU's Journal of Military Ethics.
- Moral Obligation and the Military: Collected Essays. Wash, DC: NDU, 1988. 245 p. U22.M594.

Paskins, Barrie, & Dockrill, Michael. The Ethics of War. Minneapolis: U MN, 1979. 332 p. U22.P37.

Perez, Celestino, Jr. "The Embedded Morality in *FM 3-24: Counterinsurgency*." Military Review (May/Jun 2009): pp. 24-32. Per.

\_\_\_\_\_. "The Soldier as Lethal Warrior and Cooperative Political Agent: On the Soldier's Ethical and Political Obligations toward the Indigenous Other." Armed forces & Society Vol. 38, No. 2: pp. 177-204. Per.

Perry, David L. Partly Cloudy: Ethics in War, Espionage, Covert Action, and Interrogation. Lanham, MD: Scarecrow, 2009. 247 p. U22.P47.

Rehm, Thomas A. "Ethics and the Military Establishment." Military Review (Sep 1970): pp. 9-14. Per.

Swartz, James E. "Morality: A Leadership Imperative." Military Review (Sep 1992): pp. 77-83. Per. Includes historical examples.

Toner, James H. "Sisyphus as a Soldier: Ethics, Exigencies, and the American Military." Parameters (No 4, 1977): pp. 2-12. Per.

\_\_\_\_\_. Truth Faith and Allegiance: The Burden of Military Ethics. Lexington, KY: U KY, 1995. 202 p. U22.T652.

U.S. Dept of Army. Our Moral Heritage: Character Guidance Discussion Topics: Department of the Army Pamphlet 165-6, dated Feb 1970. ca 200 p. MilPub-Pam.

U.S. Dept of Defense. Joint Ethics Regulation. Wash, DC: DoD, 1993. U22.U55.

Wakin, Malham M., editor. War, Morality, and the Military Profession. Boulder, CO: Westview, 1979. 531 p. U22.W36. Collected articles.

Wermuth, Anthony P. "The Relevance of Ethics." Army (Jun 1962): pp. 17-24. Per.

## **LOYALTY/OBEDIENCE**

Blumenson, Martin. "Military Obedience." Army (Nov 1966): pp. 68-74. Per. On the Vichy French forces, Tunisia, 1940.

Bruce-Briggs, Bradley. "Showdown at Newburgh." Army (Jul 1984): pp. 58-61 & 65. Per.

Denton, Edgar, III, editor. Limits of Loyalty. Waterloo, Canada: Laurier U, 1980. 128 p. U22.L55. Six essays on situations involving officers' obedience to their governments.

## **Military Ethics**

**p.4**

Patterson, Gerard A. Rebels from West Point. NY: Doubleday, 1987. 194 p. E545.P38.  
USMA graduates who served the Confederate cause.

Wenker, Kenneth H. "Morality and Military Obedience." Air University Review (Jul/Aug 1981):  
pp. 76-83. Per.

### **See also:**

-Bibliographies on Civil-Military Relations; Desertion in Military Service; Mutinies; Codes & Creeds in Ethics & Oaths

## **POLICY MAKING & HIGH DECISIONS**

Atkeson, Edward B. "When Duty Demands: Resigning in Protest." Army (Dec 1992): pp. 23-26. Per.

Bok, Sissela. "Secrets and Deception: Implications for the Military." Naval War College Review  
(Mar/Apr 1985): pp. 73-80. Per.

Graham, James J. Military Ends and Moral Means.... London: Smith, Elder, 1864. 475 p. U19.G73.

Huffman, Cloma A. "Ethical Bases for Military Decisions." Military Review (Aug 1961): pp. 82-89.  
Per.

Winters, Francis X. "Ethical Considerations and National Security Policy." Parameters (No 1, 1975):  
pp. 16-25. Per.

### **See also:**

-Bibliographies on Decision-Making in Command; National Military Policy; & Resignation in Protest in Ethics.

## **OTHER SPECIAL ASPECTS**

Bayles, William J. "The Ethics of Computer Network Attack." Parameters (Spring 2001): pp. 44-58.  
Per.

Brinsfield, John W., Jr. "Developing a Ministry of Teaching the History of Ethics and World Religions  
at the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York." D Min, Drew, 1983. 232 p.  
U410.C9.B755.

- Golden, John C., III. "Doctrine of Immunity Regarding Military Personnel and Federal Employees for Official Acts." Thesis, US Army Judge Advocate General's School, 1973. 68 p. UB773.G64.
- Gross, Michael I. Bioethics and Armed Conflict: Moral Dilemmas of Medicine and War. Cambridge, MA: MIT Pr, 2006. 384 p. R724.G76.
- Hartigan, Richard S. The Forgotten Victim: A History of the Civilian. Chicago: Precedent, 1982. 173 p. JX5144.H35.
- Inghilterra, Vincent J. "Developing a Theological Paradigm on the Communion of Saints for Soldiers Facing Death in Battle." DDM, Princeton Theological Seminary, 1996. 157 p. BV4457.I54.
- O'Connell, Robert L. "Coverage." MHQ (Autumn 1990): pp. 61-67. Per.  
Connects weapons technology to courage.
- Panko, Stephen M. "Reinhold Niebuhr and the Issues of War and Peace." PhD dss, Syracuse U, 1973. 222 p. BX48427.N5.P36.Microfilm.
- Robinson, Paul. "Ethics Training and Development in the Military." Parameters (Spring 2007): pp. 23-36. Per.
- Tracy, Jared. "Ethical Challenges in Stability Operations." Military Review (Jan/Feb 2009): pp. 86-94. Per.

**SPECIFIC CASE STUDIES**

- Bein, Peter J. "General MacArthur and the Yamashita Decision, September 1944-February 1946." AWC student paper, 1989. 38 p. Arch.
- Chagniot, Jean. "The Ethics and Practice of War amongst French Officers during the Seventeenth Century." War & Society (May 1992): pp. 19-36. Per.
- Cook, Martin L. "Revolt of the Generals: A Case Study in Professional Ethics." Parameters (Spring 2008): pp. 4-15. Per.
- Cubbage, T.L. "Westmoreland vs. CBS: Was Intelligence Corrupted by Policy Demands?" In Leaders and Intelligence. Totowa, NJ: Cass, 1989. pp. 118-80. UB250.L43.
- Grimsley, Christopher M. "A Directed Severity: The Evolution of Federal Policy toward Southern Civilians and Property, 1861-65." PhD dss, OH State, 1992. 536 p. E468.9.G74.
- Johnson, Harold K. Papers & oral history transcripts. Arch.  
Reveal his crisis whether to resign as Army C/S over Administration's Vietnam War policy.

Kern, Paul B. "Military Technology and Ethical Values in Ancient Greek Warfare: The Siege of Plataea." War & Society (Sep 1988): pp. 1-20. Per.

Klimow, Matthew S. "The Ethical Dilemma of Surrender." Military Review (Oct 1990): pp. 41-55. Per.

\_\_\_\_\_. "Lying to the Troops: American Leaders and the Defense of Bataan." Parameters (Dec 1990): pp. 48-60. Per.

Focuses on false assurances of imminent relief.

Lynn, John A. "Soldiers on the Rampage." MHQ (Winter 1991): pp. 92-101. Per.  
Living off land & pillaging, 17<sup>th</sup> century.

Parks, Stanley R. "The United Methodist Conscientious Objector in the Vietnam War Era: A Study of Ethical Formulation and Implementation." PhD dss, Drew, 1992. 210 p. DS557.7.C63.P37.

Scales, Robert H., Jr. Firepower in Limited War. Wash, DC: NDU, 1990. pp. 23-24. UA11.7.S3.  
Relates how Col Poroth, cmdr of French arty at Dien Bien Phu, committed suicide after his fateful judgment re Viet Minh artillery's inferiority.

Starkey, Armstrong. "Paoli to Stony Point: Military Ethics and Weaponry during the American Revolution." Journal of Military History (Jan 1994): pp. 7-27. Per.

Summers, Harry G., Jr. "...Harold K. Johnson's Undoing Was the War in Vietnam." Vietnam (Dec 1990): pp. 10 & 55-56. Per.

Trooboff, Peter D., editor. Law and Responsibility in Warfare: The Vietnam Experience. Chapel Hill, NC: U NC, 1975. 280 p. JX5001.L38.

U.S. Army Military History Institute. Experiences in Division Command. Carlisle Barracks, PA, 1985-. Arch.

Annual compilation of extracts from debriefings of recently departed division commanders. Offshoot of DCSOPS's Division Command Lessons Learned Program: 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988.

U.S. Comptroller General. Unauthorized Use of Military Personnel and Government Property at Fort Gordon, Georgia, For Activities Related to the Masters Golf Tournament. Report to Congress, Dec 1964. 21 p. UA26.G55.U52.

Van Creveld, Martin. "The Persian Gulf Crisis of 1990-91 and the Future of Morally Constrained War." Parameters (Summer 1992): pp. 21-40. Per.

Whalen, Robert W. Assassinating Hitler: Ethics and Resistance in Nazi Germany. Selinsgrove, PA: Susquehanna, 1993. 178 p. DD256.35.W47.

**Military Ethics**

**p.7**

Zwygart, Ulrich F. "Integrity and Moral Courage: Beck, Tresckow and Stauffenberg." Military Review (May 1994): pp. 4-11. Per.

**See also:**

-Bibliography on My Lai in Law-War Crimes