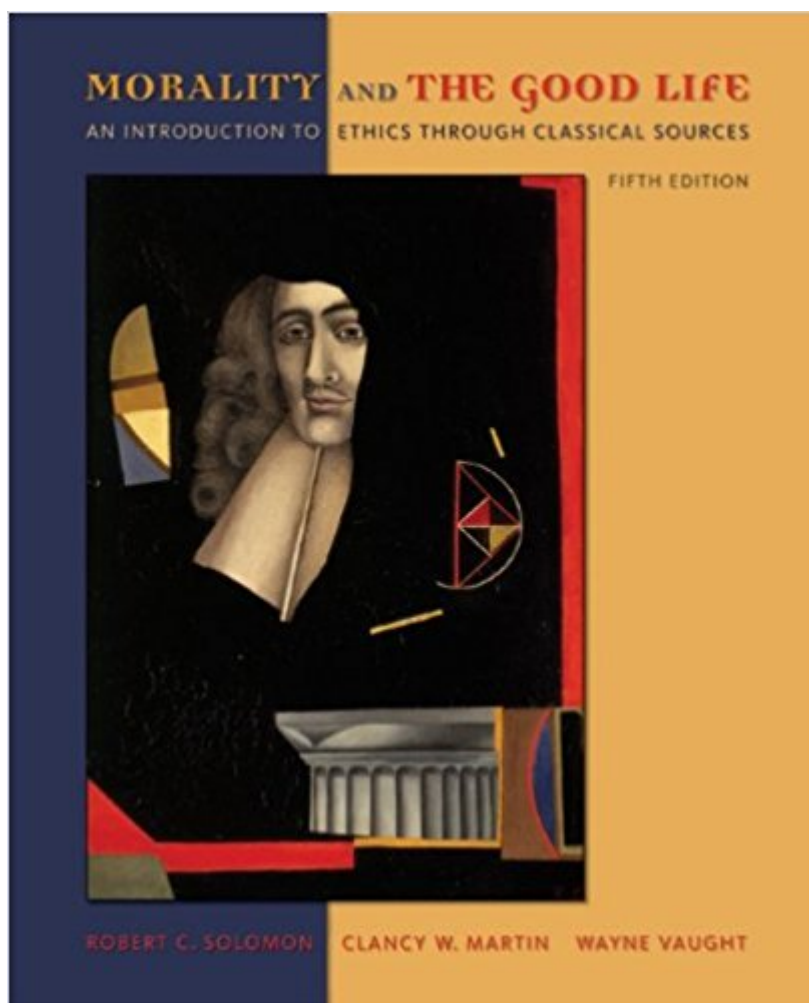


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# Morality And The Good Life: An Introduction To Ethics Through Classical Sources



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