

# Principal Doctrines by Odysseus Makridis

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I found his translation of PD6 interesting because it's significantly longer than other translations and seems to convey some of the points (specifically "kingship") that Elli contextualizes in a separate thread:

Quote

**“This <human ability to lead a good life> originally became possible by nature and for the sake of imparting courage in human beings <who were then living in a pre-social condition.> And this is the natural origin and principle on which all authority—be it even kingship—is based. And it is from the same <natural propensities> that a human being is able also to arrange a good and pleasant life.”** Makridis (2005)