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Nagel, which discusses their relation to Rawls's published work, and an

essay by Robert Merrihew Adams, which places the thesis in its

theological context.