



Rights and Responsibilities: Thomas Jefferson

- “No man has a natural right to commit aggression on the equal rights of another. This is all from which the laws ought to restrain him; every man is under the natural duty of contributing to the necessities of the society; and this is all the laws should enforce on him and, no man having a natural right to be the judge between himself and another, it is his natural duty to submit to the umpirage of an impartial third.” – Thomas Jefferson (1816)