

# CONTENTS

Preface	xi
<b>ONE A PROBLEM ABOUT JUSTICE</b>	<b>3</b>
1.1 Introduction	3
1.2 Socrates	4
1.3 Cephalus and Polemarchus	5
1.4 Thrasymachus	9
1.5 Thrasymachus' First Argument	10
1.6 Thrasymachus' Second Argument	16
1.7 Socrates' Response and Its Effects	19
1.8 Plato's Purposes	22
1.9 Glaucon's Division of Goods	24
1.10 Glaucon's Defense of Injustice	25
1.11 Glaucon's Challenge	28
1.12 Why Glaucon?	33
1.13 The Aim of the <i>Republic</i>	41
<b>TWO EPISTEMOLOGY AND METAPHYSICS</b>	<b>43</b>
2.1 Introduction	43
2.2 The Divisions of Desires	43
2.3 Psychopathology	47
2.4 Education and Desire	49
2.5 The Cave	50
2.6 Prologue to the Line	52
2.7 The Line	53

## CONTENTS

	2.8 Knowledge and Opinion	58
	2.9 Science and Dialectic	71
	2.10 Mathematical Aspects of the Line	79
	2.11 The Sun	81
	2.12 Powers and Goods	95
	2.13 The Development of the Theory of Forms	101
	2.14 The Limits of Philosophy	110
	2.15 Agents and Spectators	115
<b>THREE</b>	<b>PSYCHOLOGY</b>	<b>118</b>
	3.1 Introduction	118
	3.2 The Tripartite Psyche	118
	3.3 Origins and Merits of Psychic Division	131
	3.4 The Core Conception of the Psychic Parts	135
	3.5 Psychic Rule	140
	3.6 Pleasures	144
	3.7 Happiness	153
	3.8 Immortality and Simplicity	159
	3.9 An Outline of Platonic Psychology	162
	3.10 Reason and Rationality	167
<b>FOUR</b>	<b>POLITICS</b>	<b>170</b>
	4.1 Introduction	170
	4.2 The Structure of the Account of the Kallipolis	170
	4.3 Specialization	172
	4.4 Producers	176
	4.5 Guardians	178
	4.6 Producers Again	186
	4.7 Philosopher-Kings	191
	4.8 Guardians Again	195
	4.9 Kallipolis	197

## CONTENTS

4.10	Unity and Political Awareness	204
4.11	The Lies of the Rulers	208
4.12	Invalids, Infants, Women, and Slaves	213
4.13	The Perils of Poetry	220
4.14	Freedom	231
<b>FIVE</b>	<b>THE PSYCHOPOLITICS OF JUSTICE</b>	<b>235</b>
5.1	Introduction	235
5.2	Conventional Justice	236
5.3	From Conventional Justice to Justice Itself	245
5.4	Justice Itself	250
5.5	Plato's Theory of Ethics	264
	Notes	275
	Bibliography	321
	General Index	329
	Index Locorum	337