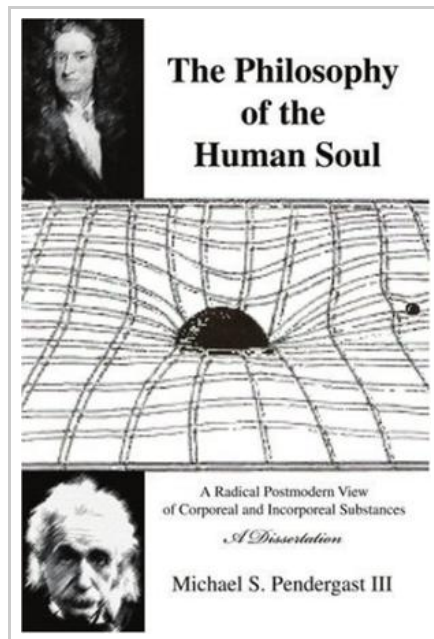




The Philosophy of the Human Soul: A Radical Postmodern View of Corporeal and Incorporeal Substances

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