



The Ideal and the Reality of Classical Athens

By Christina Gieseler

GRIN Verlag. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 16 pages. Dimensions: 10.0in. x 7.0in. x 0.0in. Essay from the year 2007 in the subject History - World History - Early and Ancient History, grade: 1, 0, Hawaii Pacific University, course: Introduction to Greco-Roman Civilization, language: English, comment: Der 8-seitige wissenschaftliche Essay bezieht sich auf die Quellen wie dargestellt sind in: Wiesner, Merry E. , Julius R. Ruff, Franklin M. Doeringer and William Bruce Wheeler. Discovering The Ancient Past: A Look At The Evidence. Boston New York: Houghton Mifflin, 2004. , abstract: 19th century historians such as Edith Hamilton believed that Classical Athens was an ideal society of law and freedom, truth and religion, beauty and goodness (Wiesner et al. 127). However, not all historical evidence supports this opinion, and it has to be taken care about the intentions and contexts of each literary evidence. Some might be realistic approaches, others might convey idealized or even purely ideal viewpoints. This essay intends to examine the ideal conceptions which Pericles, Aristotle, and Xenophon set forth for the individual, the household and the government; also, these views will be compared and contrasted with more realistic descriptions such as The Melian Debate, the opinion of an unknown...



READ ONLINE
[1.92 MB]

Reviews

If you need to adding benefit, a must buy book. It can be loaded with wisdom and knowledge I discovered this ebook from my dad and i encouraged this pdf to discover.

-- **Darrin Kutch**

Completely essential study ebook. This is for all those who statte there was not a well worth reading. I realized this book from my dad and i recommended this publication to find out.

-- **Jarrell Kovacek**