

**Preliminary Inventory**  
**Oscar Kuhns Manuscript of *The Peaceful Life*, 1916-1917**  
**Collection Number: 1000-272**

Date: 1916-1917

Number of containers: 1 envelope

Brief description of collection:

The Oscar Kuhns Manuscript of *The Peaceful Life* is the typed manuscript of *The Peaceful Life: A Study in Spiritual Hygiene* (1917), written by Wesleyan Romance Languages Professor and Psi Upsilon brother Oscar Kuhns Class of 1885.

The manuscript consists of Kuhns' musings on the attainment of peace of mind and lifelong happiness, which draws on the work of many of Kuhns' favorite thinkers and advocates a devotion to intellectual pursuits, quiet reflection, and religion.

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