Imagery On The Interplay Between "Pursue Pleasure" and 'Avoid Pain"

Post by “Kalosyni” of March 30, 2023 at 10:21 AM

> Quote from Don
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> There is no absolute quantification of pleasure points or pain values. Choice and rejection is an art, not a science.
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> Maybe it *would* be better to retire that phrase. "Calculus" implies some kind of single answer to the calculation.
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> "Choice and rejection" is not a math problem. It's a personal decision

I like the phrase "choices and avoidances"...and even if it is a long phrase, it is very clear what is being talked about.

> Quote from Cassius
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> > Quote from Nate
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> > Symmetresis" is the word I prefer to use in the place of "hedonic calculus."
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> That post cries out for explanation, Nate! 😉

I Googled that word, and see it on several site's index listings, but when I click on those pages cannot find a direct translation or reference as to where that word originates, so I am very curious @Nate 🙂