

# Venus: Conceiving The Good

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And this is exactly on point: There are times to celebrate richly, rather than simply:

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To-morrow, dearest Pao, your friend, beloved by the *Muses*, who keeps our annual feast of the twentieth \* invites you to come after the ninth hour to his simple cottage. If you miss odors and draughts of *Chian* wine, you will see at least sincere friends and you will hear things far sweeter than the loaf of the *Phoebocides*. But if you ever cast your eyes on me, Pao, we shall celebrate the twentieth richly instead of simply.

\* The birthday of Epicurus, to whose sect Philodemus and Pao belonged.