

# Epicureanism as the spiritual essence or 'religion' of an entire community

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What would a 'holy book' of Epicureanism look like and what would it contain other than the letters of Epicurus and the poem of Lucretius?

I *believe* it would look something like this:

<https://www.amazon.com/Hedonicon-Holy...s/dp/BOCNTN6KH6> 😊

I aim to include Philodemus' prose and Diogenes of Oinoanda's etching in future editions.

That's awesome! Maybe the Epicurean community could expand the hedonicon in the future with texts written today by living Epicureans such as yourself. Would you consider authoring an essay or maybe a literary letter for inclusion in future editions?