

"Medicine" of Epicurus: Removing Fear and Finding Freedom

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the well-known "Captain Kirk" alternative of changing the rules of the game rather than giving in to defeat without every last possible exertion.

Ah, the Kobayashi Maru...

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Also to the tiger example, and Epicurean might say: "What the heck are you doing hanging out around cliffs where tigers are everywhere?"

Well, if you live somewhere where tigers are an actual not uncommon danger (which is I believe the origin of this story), you don't really get a choice of hanging around where tigers are a danger. You're already there.

(I realize your comment was mostly tongue in cheek, but just saying.)