

Episode One Hundred Thirty Eight - Letter to Menoeceus 5 - Pleasure Part One

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[Quote from Joshua](#)

I resist this formulation as well.

Most all of the comments in this thread I agree with and they are very productive to help us challenge ideas that we think are wrong.

I hope everyone will help us remember - however - that our goal should be to eventually emerge from these details with some high-level conclusions about what we think Epicurus was saying. We'll discuss as much of all this as we can on the podcast, but the goal eventually needs to be something in writing that summarizes the major distinctions between "desire" and "pleasure" in Epicurean philosophy.

Perhaps even a comparison chart with Desire and Pleasure as the column headings and as many lines as necessary for the major points about them and how they differ or are the same as to each point.