

An Epicurean Study of Aristotle's Nichomachean Ethics

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I have to agree with Gray that Aristotle "often loses himself in little trifling Distinctions & verbal Niceties, & what is worse leaves you to extricate yourself as you can."

I expected to be overwhelmed and intimidated by *Nichomachean Ethics*, but I've just been disappointed. Aristotle has been this all-powerful bugaboo of Western Civilization, I expected to be in awe or something. I'm not getting that vibe. It's just a slog sometimes to work through his verbage.

Oh, and Socrates is still a jerk in my opinion. Just saying.