

# **Epicurus' Warning To the Young Man Who Was "Too Prone To The Pleasures Of Love"**

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I think Origen was a pretty inspired writer that fused his philosophical views with his scriptural interpretation. That caused his anti-philosophical rivals to dismiss him and ridicule him. Whether or not he actually castrated himself, no idea, but his writing is attended by a spiritual interpretation of things as opposed to a literal one. I would imagine someone who understood the meaning of the parable probably *more likely* did not perform that action.