

# Odyssey's example of a drug for mental pains

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## [Quote from Kalosyni](#)

The correct understanding is to think about how Epicureans aim to live as blissfully as the gods. Do the ancient gods sit alone in quietude? No, they are always sitting or dancing blissfully together in a long and enjoyable feast. So they need people, and they need friends.

Thanks for that observation, [Kalosyni](#) . Maybe I was a little excited yesterday 😄 , you're right: friends not only help in facing pain, but they give color to our life and pleasures.