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Thanks [Don](#), turns out that we covered this in last night's Zoom (but I had forgotten you had posted your translation on it) and so hoping [kochiekoch](#), [TauPhi](#), [Martin](#), [Cassius](#) take note of this thread. (and [Onenski](#) also).

[Quote from Don](#)

Parcus has a connotation of frugality and thriftiness. I can see Epicurus hammering that home, that we don't need great wealth to find pleasure, to be happy.

It reads from this that we can think of the goal of nature is to live a pleasant life -- and this would be more like quiet pleasure rather than over-the-top pleasure (which requires wealth).