

# **Episode 227 - Cicero's OTNOTG - 02 - Velleius Begins His Attack On Traditional Views Of The Gods**

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Some simplified ideas:

1. All cultures have had conceptions of gods that they worshipped.
2. The gods have no influence on our lives.
3. Since the conception of gods is everywhere (especially so in Epicurus' time), we should take it upon ourselves to think about them as living blessed lives as a result of their perfectly virtuous and incorruptible nature.