

# The Use of Negation in Epicurean Philosophy Concepts

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## [Quote from Cassius](#)

Eikadistes while I will bow to the common view that Nietzsche is a mixed bag, I personally very much agree that a knowledge of Nietzsche is very helpful for understanding Epicurus, and I am not just talking about his pro-Lucretius and anti-Stoic comments.

The helpfulness of Nietzsche is a view shared by [Elli](#) in Greece, who I think has internalized the intensity of Epicurran philosophy so well at least in part because of her affinity for Nietzsche and also for the Greek version of Nietzsche, Dimitri Liantini.

Can we say then that "one cannot understand Nietzsche without understanding Epicurus"? I would see a hidden loop in there, though a failed one.