

How do we know that we only get one life?

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I conducted similar thought experiment some time ago and tried to imagine how Epicureans in antiquity could tackle this problem. I hope you find it interesting:

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[Ancient Epicurean worldview \(classes of compounds of atoms\)](#)

A few of the recent conversations got me thinking and as a result a new perspective on ancient Epicurean worldview emerged in my mind. I'm curious how viable you think the perspective is, my dear EpicureanFriends.

Firstly, the required Epicurean foundations:

- 1) The universe is infinite. (both is geometry and duration)
- 2) Atoms and void are infinite (atoms in quantity (but not quality!) and duration, the void in geometry and duration)
- 3) Compounds of atoms are finite in quality (there are limits to...



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