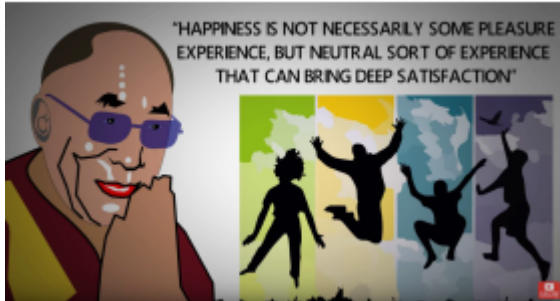


Video: Hedonism and the art of happiness

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This video encapsulates just about every modern popular notion of Epicurus that exists. Everyone has to make up their own mind about each one, but I've made up my mind and I label virtually every major point of this video "WRONG"



"In Epicureanism desire itself was considered to be a form of pain...." WHAT?????

And of course where does this line of thought end up? MINIMALISM!!!



And one of Epicurus' key thoughts was to "live an analyzed life"?????????

OK I finished it. This is seven minutes of the most densely-packed set of errors about Epicurus I have ever seen. From that point of view it serves an excellent purpose. Only by confronting issues and explaining a better alternative can the discussion advance.