

Welcome Max Duboff

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I'm not aware of the accepted interpretation of [PD20](#). My personal understanding is that Epicurus is simply pointing out that every human life has a natural limit. If we understand that our lives are finite, then infinity becomes irrelevant and wishing for infinite time is an unnatural desire. In my mind this is a continuation and elaboration of [PD19](#).

Of course pondering infinity is a useful philosophical pursuit. But understanding that our lives are just little blips in time is key for a proper perspective of the limits of our lives. Particularly in a world with nothing supernatural and no afterlife.