

# Welcome Max Duboff

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Since [Cassius](#) brings up [PD27](#), I thought it might be instructive if we all refresh our minds on what it says (using St. Andre English trans):

Of all the things that wisdom provides for *the complete happiness of one's entire life*, by far the greatest is friendship.

ὦν ἡ σοφία παρασκευάζεται εἰς τὴν τοῦ ὅλου βίου μακαριότητα πολὺ μέγιστόν ἐστιν ἡ τῆς φιλίας κτῆσις.

The original does use μακαριότητα "blessedness" (directly related to μακάριος etc.)

This could be referring to friendship as a result of one's wise choices. The PD could be reworded/paraphrased as "Friendship is the greatest thing that wisdom provides for one's entire blessed life."