

Continuous Life Improvement

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Yes those would be categories, but just as we can list specific aspects of bodily pains being replaced by pleasures, we ought also to be able to do the same with mental -- and since mental pains and pleasures are specifically mentioned by Torquatus as being capable of being more intense than physical/bodily ones, they are probably from many perspectives as important or more important than bodily.

I hedge by saying "from many perspectives" mainly because I know that sustaining bodily life is a requirement for any other kind of pleasures, but for most of us, sustaining bodily life really doesn't require all that much effort nowadays - or, at least, we generally have a lot of time to devote to mental issues in addition to bodily ones.