

# Discussion of the Society of Epicurus' 20 Tenets of 12/21/19

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[Quote from Elayne](#)

and Hiram, also, I am not opposed to people disagreeing with Epicurus on things that don't bring down the whole structure of the philosophy.

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Ideas that are inconsistent with an entirely material universe, lacking any absolute morality or supernatural agents; with the method of knowing what is true, through the Canon (more so than the particular facts asserted, the method itself is the critical part); and that the goal of our lives is the feeling of pleasure, felt purely subjectively and specific to each individual? Not Epicurean.

Cool. That's why I keep citing the @Ilkka essay, because he goes back to the canon to argue the atheistic interpretation.

(<http://menoceus.blogspot.com/2014/08/epicurean-gods.html>)