

# A foodie ponders Epicurus the epicurean

Post by "Cassius" of February 9, 2020 at 6:09 PM

OK I finished it am and glad to see that he cites DeWitt, and I see several reflections of DeWitt in the text.

Yet i still can't shake the view that his praise of "Foodies" is largely un-serious.

I think you said it best Godfrey when you said:

[Quote from Godfrey](#)

This essay was a nice accompaniment to my tea and dark chocolate this morning

I'm not sure exactly what audience I would suggest this to, but I do agree that to the extent he is making a serious point, he shows a lot of influence from DeWitt and his points are consistent with a DeWitt view of Epicurus as not being an ascetic at all