

PD01 - Blessed and Imperishable?

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In this PD 1, Epicurus does not mention for gods any kind of characteristics with words such as imperishable or deathless or immortals. For Epicurus, Gods are such beings as "**ἀφάρτα**", and in english the right word is given with "**incorruptible**" which and in greek also means "**untouched**" or else "**without having any communication at all**" by us the humans. And that also means that gods are such beings that can't be touched by our corruptible "virtues" that are synonym with our hypocritical morality which indicates that from the morning till the late hours at night, the hypocritical moralists (usually the believers of Abrahamic religions) in their prayers are throwing curse to each other and to all the infidels of this world, being always ready to make wars in the name of their absolute true god.

So, the fact for Epicurus and epicureans is that humans can't overpass their chimpanzee and gorillas DNA. For **all humanity** living totally in bliss/makarioi and pleasantly or else like gods among men, it is a mission impossible since from Epicurus era ==2400 years have passed == and our species still is doing wars without end. And for being a little pessimistic this will never happen forever and ever and till all the things on this planet will collapse and will be created again by **atoms/ particles and the void (quantum field)** and this is our **FIRST** and the most important **PRINCIPLE**.