

# Reducing "Tranquilism" to its Absurd Conclusion

Post by "Cassius" of March 7, 2020 at 6:35 AM

Yes is it very hostile. I only got through the first part.

I can sympathize and agree with him if he is attacking "tranquilism" if he interprets it as running from pain, but I gather that his deeper disagreement is his preference for "reason" over feeling:

*To discover substance, then, is a great step **in the life of reason**, even if substance be conceived quite negatively as a term that serves merely to mark, by contrast, the unsubstantiality, the vanity, of all particular moments and things.*