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The psychological causes of unhappiness may be numerous but an unhappy man may be the one who is deprived in youth of some satisfaction - that which he values the most. He then develops ways to achieve that satisfaction. If he fails to achieve this satisfaction, he then rely on 'pleasures' to satisfy himself. He should understand that happiness is desirable. Few men will choose 'unhappiness' if they find a way to seek happi-

ness. The man who enjoys being miserable is not miserable.

TITLE: Seeking pleasures have no relation with happiness

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The most unflattering human nature is being envious. Envy is an obstacle to person's growth & excellence. It deprives a person of happiness. He does not admire what he has & feels jealous of what others have. If it was possible for him, he would have deprived others of their disadvantages. If one wish to be happy he should have to increase admiration & decrease envy. The cure to envy lies in selflessness & contentment, because envy is an obstacle to happiness.

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Envy deteriorates contentment

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Art has been assigned the duty of controlling our negative emotions. According to Plato, poetry eradicates negative feelings such as lust, anger, pain. Tolstoy compares art with infection. Wordsworth

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defines poetry as "Recollection of emotions", but great poetry does not rely on just "recollection of emotions, but depends more on emotion which are aroused by the poet in present circumstances. Shakespeare does not speculate about the nature of art.

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