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Desire in Eastern Orthodox Praxis
Orthodox Anaphora

Beati in Eastern Orthodox Praxis
The effects of communal myopia

The term "communal myopia" refers to the tendency of groups or communities to have a limited perspective, focusing on short-term gains at the expense of long-term interests. This phenomenon is particularly pronounced in social and economic decisions, where individuals prioritize immediate benefits over collective welfare. The term was coined by social psychologists to describe the collective blindness to the long-term consequences of certain actions, leading to a failure of the group to act in its own best interest.

This concept is closely related to social loafing and social facilitation, which describe how individuals may reduce their effort when working in a group compared to when working alone. Communal myopia can result in suboptimal outcomes for the group, as each member may prioritize their own interests over the collective good.

Understanding and addressing communal myopia is crucial for fostering cooperative and sustainable behaviors in society. This involves promoting a long-term perspective, enhancing group cohesion, and encouraging collective decision-making processes that consider the well-being of all members.

References:
Table 1: Three Stages of Spiritual Myopage (mainly on the basis of Long 1981)

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Personal Myopage

We will see in the next section:

Fig 2: Movements during Personal Myopage

![Diagram of movements during Personal Myopage]

Fig 3: Three Stages of Personal Myopage

![Diagram of three stages of Personal Myopage]

The three stages of communal myopage have parallel stages in personal myopage, as shown in the diagram.
The management of desire is part of Fears. Desires are representations of our innermost feelings and are often rooted in our past experiences. When these desires are not met, they can lead to an emotional state of anxiety and fear. In the excerpt, the author discusses the importance of understanding and addressing these desires, as they are fundamental to our mental health and well-being.

References


Epilogue

The power of desire is often underestimated. It is a driving force in our lives, shaping our actions and decisions. The key to managing desire is to recognize it for what it is, and then to work towards fulfilling it in a healthy and positive way. By doing so, we can cultivate a sense of peace and tranquility, and live a more fulfilling life.

Discussion questions:

1. How do you manage your desires? What strategies have you found to be effective?
2. How do you balance the pursuit of your desires with the need to be mindful of your actions and decisions?
3. In what ways do your desires influence your daily life? How do you cultivate a sense of balance?

Exercises:

1. Keep a journal of your desires. Write down three desires you have each day, and reflect on how you are working towards fulfilling them.
2. Practice mindfulness exercises to help you stay present and aware of your thoughts and feelings.
3. Seek out opportunities to engage in activities that align with your desires and bring you joy.

For further reading, see the following resources:

Interfaith engagement, without clear understanding and respect for religious and cultural differences, can lead to misunderstanding and conflict. In many contexts, religious and cultural differences are seen as barriers to understanding and cooperation. However, when approached with a genuine desire for understanding and respect, these differences can become opportunities for growth and mutual learning.

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An Interfaith Approach

Consensus, Desire, and Human Fulfillment