

d) Better to be Socrates dissatisfied than a fool satisfied.

The above statement is by J.S. Mill in context of his revision of Bentham's idea of utilitarianism.

Bentham who is known as father of utilitarianism held that pleasure and pain are the ultimate ~~yardsticks~~ of human conduct.

He held Pleasure do not differ in quality. They only differ in quantity. There is no higher or lower pleasure. Pushpin is as good as poetry.

Thus humans do not differ in quality - no higher or lower soul (as held by Plato and Aristotle - who justified Natural Inequality)

Remarks