

RELIGION STUDY

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Epicureanism Celsus and Origen

Celsus and Origen open up a new direction in the history of the controversy between Epicureanism and Christianity. The central idea of this controversy is the claim that Christianity is nothing new, except for the doctrine of the incarnation of the Son of God and the resurrection of the body - the doctrine that, in terms of Epicurean unacceptable. In the face of Celsus, Christianity became the object of attention and criticism from the Roman philosophy. In apology for Origen of Alexandria was a clash between Christianity and epicurean syncretism fading Roman culture represented Celsus.

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