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Hector and the search for happiness

1. How did Hector learn to love and what did he do for it?

Hector learnt to love only when he had learnt of his own happiness. But to learn of it he had to experience all different sorts of happiness from all the people he had met during the journey. He also had to pass some trials to experience particular sorts of happiness. For example, Hector experienced happiness of being “completely alive” after he had been released from custody.

1. How can we measure happiness?

It might be said that, according to the film, the happiness worth can be measured by the aftermath it brings. But to me happiness itself is immeasurable due to everyone has their own happiness.

1. Does everybody have a right to be happy?

Everyone has a right to be happy indeed, but moreover, being happy can be rather considered an obligation.

1. What is the message of the film?

“We all have an obligation to be happy.”