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   3. Fundamental Assumption
      1. The general happiness is desirable / valuable
      2. Happiness per se is desirable / valuable regardless of who is experiencing it
      3. Happiness is a value, even when it’s not yours
      4. Can we prove this assumption?
         1. No, not in the ordinary sense of proof.
         2. The only proof at this fundamental level that something is desirable or valuable is that people do, in fact desire or value it.
         3. And, we do value general happiness