

Summary of thesis

The major idea of this thesis is the study of the major ideas and tenets of a contemporary Australian philosopher called " Peter Singer". He was born in 1946. Singer is an ethical, Evolutionary and utilitarian philosopher. His major principle is to achieve happiness for all of the human beings. This principle aims at relieving human's pains and sufferings. So, he approved and accepted the law of euthanasia for patients who can't be treated. Singer also suggests the principle of equality given to the concerns and affairs not only the human affairs, but also to the animals' affairs. This idea comes from his Darwinian thoughts which suggest that, the source or origin of the human being was animals. Singer also believed in the principle of redistribution of wealth to ease the suffering of poor people. From all these last ideas, Singer wanted to build a Utopian world. He suggests that the basics of this world are the interpretation of the ethics meaning, origin and aims. His major subjects are the practical and biological ethics, and the standard and subjectivity of ethics. Singer focused on the biological origin of ethics. He asserted the reflection of biology on the human nature. But, according to ethics' aim, he proposes the building of a utopian world in which the virtues appear and the vices disappear. A world in which only the co-operative person survives. At the end, we can conclude by saying that, we agree with him in his aims or target, but differ with him in the way of achieving this target.