

Robert Owen, *Constitution of the Preliminary Society of New Harmony*, 1825

The sole objects of these communities will be to procure for all their members the greatest amount of happiness, to secure it to them, and to transmit it to their children to the latest posterity.

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The members shall receive such advantages, living, comfort and education for their children as this society, and the present state of New Harmony affords.

The living shall be upon equal terms for all ...

In old age, in sickness, or when an accident occurs, care shall be taken of all parties, medical aid should be afforded, and every attention shown to them that kindness can suggest.

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All the members shall enjoy complete liberty of conscience, and be afforded every facility for exercising those practices of religious worship and devotion which they may prefer.