

PHL 308
Elementary
Ethics

Lecture Sixteen
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Margo, again

- Pre-dementia Margo
- Post-dementia Margo
- Does post-dementia Margo meet the threshold of authority?
- Is post-dementia Margo still a person?
- Is post-dementia Margo still the same person as pre-dementia Margo?
 - Common sense
 - Ordinary language
 - Biological criteria

My Story

- Me in high school
 - Appearance
 - Basketball
- The party
- Waking up
- Visit to my girlfriend
- What the hell happened?

Personal Identity

- Locke's prince and cobbler
- My story
- Hollywood movies
- Bodily identity
- Memory criterion

Contemporary Discussions

- ◉ Languishing since Locke
- ◉ Twentieth century analysis
- ◉ Triumph of the memory criterion
- ◉ The reduplication problem
- ◉ Bodily criteria, again?