

20.1 : *Self- Help (Samuel Smiles, 1859)*

1. In what ways does Smiles' advice apply more to an industrial-Era fluid social sphere than to a rigid agrarian-Era pyramid?

The way Smiles' advice applies more to an industrial-Era fluid social sphere than a rigid agrarian-era pyramid is by him explaining that the working class needed to be taken out of the state's charities which forces them to need education. This is where Self-Help came into action.

2. What is the role of nationalism in shaping Smiles' advice? What is the relationship between nations and individuals that Smiles' put forth? Is his argument about nations consistent?

The role of nationalism in shaping Smiles' advice was to give the working class some human enjoyment in their lives instead of working everyday of their lives. The relationship between nations and individuals that Smiles' put forth was excitement. His argument is not about the nation's consent, it is about the people he is trying to help.