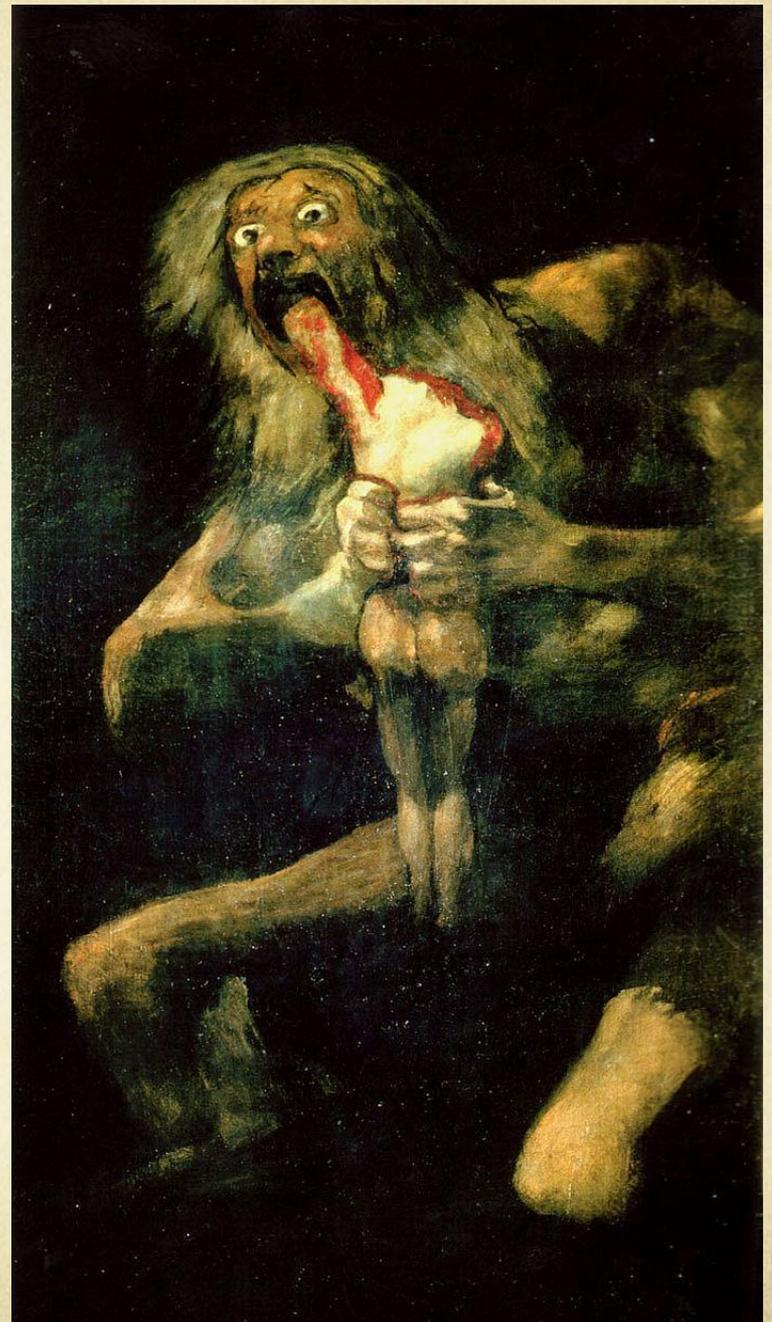




Liberal Tradition II

- The Enlightenment gave us reason and rationality. What did the best of the Enlightenment have to do with the worst of the Enlightenment.
- Immanuel Kant

- Romanticism draws us to the dark side (anxiety, horror, irrationality). Romanticism offered an alternative to enlightenment and reason.



- Elizabeth focused on the restoration of the old order and yet people were still pouring into urban centers. Death, disease and pestilence were never far away.
- What was the importance of Utilitarianism?
 - Its strengths
 - Its weaknesses

Mill writes both Utilitarianism and On Liberty. Is there a tension between these two texts? Notice doing the greatest good for the greatest number can be used to deny liberty.