The thesis deals with the relationship of men to their own body, the changes of this relationship in the history and the form it takes today. It tries to clear what stays behind contemporary attitudes to the corporality and to show the very different points of view in situations, when it's decided about the acceptability of dealing with body, in medical backround or in everyday life.

It's concerned especially with the problem of identification with our own body. This influences, how we take care of the body and what we use it for. There is

also discussed the importance of a good relation to our own body as a prevention of its abuse and as an important aspect of people's health.