The “Hemingway Code” Hero lives by the following criteria:

* Live passionately-Eat well, drink much and often, have many romantic encounters
* Do not be controlled by anyone (especially women)
* Maintaining self control and discipline
* Honesty
* Take risks, have courage
* Persistence
* No self pity—endure life and accept fate without being overly sentimental or emotional.
* Accept death / disappointment (“*nada*”) on one’s own terms and with dignity.