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GREEK TEXT · TRANSLATION · INTERLINEAR · DISCOURSE STRUCTURE

The Wisdom of Solomon, Chapter 6

ΣΟΦΙΑ ΣΟΛΟΜΩΝΤΟΣ ζ'

Each verse opens with the running Greek, an English translation, and a **discourse note** (its connective, relation, and role in the argument). Below follows the word-by-word breakdown in six tiers: gloss, case (color), parsing, *syntax*, **semantic force**, and a | lexical note.

CASE ■ Nominative ■ Genitive ■ Dative ■ Accusative ■ Vocative ■ Verb (no case) ■ Indeclinable

Discourse notes head each verse: **relation** · connective · clause-flow. Indentation marks prominence — flush-left = main line of argument; indented = supporting / subordinate material.

Theme

Wisdom 6 resumes the book's address to rulers with unusual intensity. The first half of the chapter warns kings, judges, and tyrants that authority is derivative, accountable, and judged more severely the higher it stands.

Translation & textual notes

The Greek text of Wisdom of Solomon 6 follows the standard critical text of the Septuagint as established in the Rahlfs-Hanhart edition (Septuaginta, rev. ed. 2006), an ancient and public-domain text; the critical apparatus is not reproduced. Wisdom 6 resumes the book's address to rulers with unusual intensity. The first half of the chapter warns kings, judges, and tyrants that authority is derivative, accountable, and judged more severely the higher it stands. Yet the chapter does not stop at threat. It turns that warning into one of the book's great invitations by portraying wisdom as radiant, seekable, and already moving toward those who desire her. A carefully ordered chain then links desire for instruction to love,

law-keeping, incorruption, nearness to God, and true kingship. The closing promise to reveal what wisdom is and how she came to be prepares the more extended hymnic and autobiographical celebrations that follow. Taken as a whole, the chapter argues that political stability and human flourishing depend not on force or prestige but on reverent teachability before divine wisdom.

Discourse structure of the chapter

A · 6:1-8

Rulers are warned that higher authority means stricter judgment

Kings, judges, and tyrants are summoned to hear that their rule comes from the Lord, that failure in judgment and law invites swift scrutiny, and that the mighty are tested more severely than the lowly.

B · 6:9-11

The warning becomes an invitation to learn holiness and desire wisdom

After exposing political accountability, the speaker turns the address toward hope: rulers can still learn wisdom, keep holy things holily, and be instructed if they truly desire his words.

C · 6:12-16

Wisdom is radiant, accessible, and active toward those who seek her

Wisdom is described as unfading and ready to meet those who love, seek, rise early for, think upon, and keep watch for her, showing that true rule begins in receptive pursuit rather than grasping force.

D · 6:17-20

Desire, instruction, love, law, and incorruption form wisdom's ascending path

The chapter traces an ordered sequence from desire for instruction to love, law-keeping, incorruption, nearness to God, and finally the true meaning of kingship.

E · 6:21-25

Rulers are urged to honor wisdom, whose truth serves both world and people

The final movement calls tyrants to prize wisdom above throne and scepter, promises open teaching about her origin, rejects envy, and ends by linking wise multitudes and prudent kings with social salvation and civic stability.

1 ἀκούσατε οὖν βασιλεῖς καὶ σύνετε μάθετε δικασταὶ περάτων γῆς

Hear therefore, O kings, and understand; learn, judges of the ends of the earth.

exhortation ASYNDETON

The chapter opens with a direct summons to rulers, making wisdom a matter of public responsibility and judgment.

ἀκούσατε

hear

VA AAD2P · ἀκούω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

ἀκούω: meaning 'hear'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

οὖν

therefore

X · οὖν

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὖν: meaning 'therefore'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

βασιλεῖς

kings

N3V VPM · βασιλεύς

vocative nominal element used in direct address

→ direct address

βασιλεύς: meaning 'kings'; it serves as vocative nominal element used in direct address.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

σύνετε

understand

VB AAD2P · ἵημι + συν

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

ἵημι + συν: meaning 'understand'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

μάθετε

learn

VB AAD2P · μανθάνω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

μανθάνω: meaning 'learn'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

δικασταὶ

judges

N1M VPM · δικαστής

vocative nominal element used in direct address

→ direct address

δικαστής: meaning 'judges'; it serves as vocative nominal element used in direct address.

περάτων

of the ends

N3T GPN · πέρας

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

πέρας: meaning 'of the ends'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

γῆς

land

N1 GSF · γῆ

genitive nominal element defining relation,
possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

γῆ: meaning 'land'; it serves as genitive
nominal element defining relation,
possession, source, or quality.

2 ἐνωτίσασθε οἱ κρατοῦντες πλήθους καὶ γεγαυρωμένοι ἐπὶ ὄχλοις ἐθνῶν

Give ear, you who rule a multitude and boast over crowds of nations.

exhortation ASYNDETON

Kings and governors are addressed specifically in their political pride and mass authority.

ἐνωτίσασθε

give ear

VA AMD2P · ἐνωτίζομαι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state
of the clause

→ verbal action or state

ἐνωτίζομαι: meaning 'give ear'; it carries
the action, process, or state of the clause;
here it functions as verbal form carrying
the action, process, or state of the clause.

οἱ

the

RA VPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

οἱ: Greek article marking definiteness and
the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

κρατοῦντες

ruling

V2 · παπνπμ κρατέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state
of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παπνπμ κρατέω: meaning 'ruling'; it
carries the action, process, or state of the
clause; here it functions as verbal form
carrying the action, process, or state of the
clause.

πλήθους

plethos

N3E GSN · πλήθος

genitive nominal element defining relation,
possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

πλήθος: meaning 'plethos'; it serves as
genitive nominal element defining
relation, possession, source, or quality.

καὶ
and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

γεγαυρωμένοι
having boasted

VM · χμπVπμ γαυρώω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

χμπVπμ γαυρώω: meaning 'having boasted'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἐπὶ
upon

P · ἐπί

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ἐπὶ: meaning 'upon'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

ὄχλοις
crowds

N2 DPM · ὄχλος

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

ὄχλος: meaning 'crowds'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

ἐθνῶν
nation

N3E GPN · ἔθνος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

ἔθνος: meaning 'nation'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

3 ὅτι ἐδόθη παρὰ κυρίου ἡ κράτησις ὑμῖν καὶ ἡ δυναστεία παρὰ ὑψίστου ὃς ἐξετάσει ὑμῶν τὰ ἔργα καὶ τὰς βουλάς διερευνήσει

Because authority was given to you from the Lord, and sovereignty from the Most High, who will examine your works and search out your plans.

ground ASYNDETON

Their accountability is grounded in the divine source of rule and in God's searching examination of works and counsels.

ὅτι

that

C · ὅτι

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὅτι: meaning 'that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐδόθη

was given

VCI API3S · δίδωμι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ constative aorist

δίδωμι: meaning 'was given'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

παρά

from

P · παρά

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

παρά: meaning 'from'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

κυρίου

of the LORD

N2 GSM · κύριος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

κύριος: meaning 'of the LORD'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

ἡ

the

RA NSF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ἡ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

κράτησις

authority

N3I NSF · κράτησις

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

κράτησις: meaning 'authority'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ὕμῖν

to you

RP DP · σύ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference or interest

ὕμῖν: meaning 'to you'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

καί

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἡ

the

RA NSF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ἡ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

δυναστεία

δυναστεία

N1A NSF · δυναστεία

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

δυναστεία: meaning 'δυναστεία'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

παρά

from

P · παρά

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

παρά: meaning 'from'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

ὑψίστου

Most High

A1 GSM · ὕψιστος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

ὑψίστος: meaning 'Most High'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

ὅς

who

RR NSM · ὅς

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

ὅς: meaning 'who'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

ἐξετάσει

will examine

VF FAI3S · ἐξετάζω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ἐξετάζω: meaning 'will examine'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὕμων

your

RP GP · σύ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

ὕμων: meaning 'your'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

τὰ

the

RA APN · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὰ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἔργα

works

N2N APN · ἔργον

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ἔργον: meaning 'works'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

καί

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

τὰς

the

RA APF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὰς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

βουλὰς

plans

N1 APF · βουλή

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

βουλή: meaning 'plans'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

διερευνήσει

will investigate

VF FAI3S · ἐρευνάω + δια

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ἐρευνάω + δια: meaning 'will investigate'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

4 ὅτι ὑπηρεῖται ὄντες τῆς αὐτοῦ βασιλείας οὐκ ἐκρίνατε ὀρθῶς οὐδὲ ἐφυλάξατε νόμον οὐδὲ κατὰ τὴν βουλὴν τοῦ θεοῦ ἐπορεύθητε

Because, though you were ministers of his kingdom, you did not judge rightly, nor keep the law, nor walk according to the counsel of God,

ground ASYNDETON

The reason for judgment is not mere office but failure within office: bad judgment, neglected law, and refusal of God's counsel.

ὅτι
that

C · ὅτι

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὅτι: meaning 'that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ὑπηρεῖται
servants

N1M VPM · ὑπηρετής

vocative nominal element used in direct address

→ direct address

ὑπηρετής: meaning 'servants'; it serves as vocative nominal element used in direct address.

ὄντες
being

V9 · παπνπι εἰμί

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παπνπι εἰμί: meaning 'being'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

τῆς
the

RA GSF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τῆς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

αὐτοῦ
his

RD GSM · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

αὐτοῦ: meaning 'his'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

βασιλείας
kingdom

N1A GSF · βασιλεία

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

βασιλεία: meaning 'kingdom'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

οὐκ
not

D · οὐ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐκ: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐκρίνατε
you judged

VAI AAI2P · κρίνω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ constative aorist

κρίνω: meaning 'you judged'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὀρθῶς

rightly

D · ὀρθῶς

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὀρθῶς: meaning 'rightly'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

οὐδὲ

nor

C · οὐδέ

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐδὲ: meaning 'nor'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐφυλάξατε

you kept

VAI AA12P · φυλάσσω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ constative aorist

φυλάσσω: meaning 'you kept'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

νόμον

law

N2 ASM · νόμος

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

νόμος: meaning 'law'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

οὐδὲ

nor

C · οὐδέ

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐδὲ: meaning 'nor'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

κατὰ

by / according to

P · κατὰ

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

κατὰ: meaning 'by'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

τὴν

the

RA ASF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὴν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

βουλήν

counsel

N1 ASF · βουλή

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

βουλή: meaning 'counsel'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

τοῦ

the

RA GSM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τοῦ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

θεοῦ

God

N2 GSM · θεός

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

θεός: meaning 'God'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

ἐπορεύθητε

you walked

VCI API2P · πορεύομαι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ constative aorist

πορεύομαι: meaning 'you walked'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

5 φρικτῶς καὶ ταχέως ἐπιστήσεται ὑμῖν ὅτι κρίσις ἀπότομος ἐν τοῖς ὑπερέχουσιν γίνεται

he will come upon you terribly and swiftly, because severe judgment comes upon those in high places.

warning ASYNDETON

The warning turns immediate and severe: exalted position brings swifter and more terrible reckoning.

φρικτῶς

fearfully

D · φρικτῶς

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

φρικτῶς: meaning 'fearfully'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

καὶ

and

C · καὶ

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καὶ: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ταχέως

quickly

D · ταχέως

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ταχέως: meaning 'quickly'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐπιστήσεται

he will come upon

VF FMI3S · ἵσθημι + ἐπι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ἵσθημι + ἐπι: meaning 'he will come upon'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὑμῖν

to you

RP DP · σύ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference or interest

ὑμῖν: meaning 'to you'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

ὅτι

that

C · ὅτι

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὅτι: meaning 'that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

κρίσις

judgment

N3I NSF · κρίσις

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

κρίσις: meaning 'judgment'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ἀπότομος

severe

A1B NSF · ἀπότομος

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἀπότομος: meaning 'severe'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ἐν

in

P · ἐν

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ἐν: meaning 'in'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

τοῖς

the

RA DPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τοῖς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ὑπερέχουσιν

being above

V1 · παπδοπι ἔχω + ὑπερ

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παπδοπι ἔχω + ὑπερ: meaning 'being above'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

γίνεται

it happens / comes to be

V1 PMI3S · γίγνομαι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

γίγνομαι: meaning 'it happens'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

6 ὁ γὰρ ἐλάχιστος συγγνωστός ἐστιν ἐλέους δυνατοὶ δὲ δυνατῶς ἐτασθήσονται

For the least person is worthy of mercy and pardon, but the mighty will be mightily tested.

comparison

ASYNDETON

The verse contrasts leniency toward the lowly with strict testing of the powerful.

ὁ

he

RA NSM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ὁ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

γὰρ

for

X · γὰρ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

γὰρ: meaning 'for'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐλάχιστος

ελαχυσ

A1 NSMS · ἐλαχύς

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἐλαχύς: meaning 'ελαχυσ'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

συγγνωστός

pardonable

A1B NSM · συγγνωστός

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

συγγνωστός: meaning 'pardonable'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ἐστιν

be

V9 PAI3S · εἰμί

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

εἰμί: meaning 'be'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἐλέους

of mercy

N2 APM · ἔλεος

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ἔλεος: meaning 'of mercy'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

δυνατοὶ

mighty men

A1 NPM · δυνατός

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

δυνατός: meaning 'mighty men'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

δὲ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δέ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

δυνατῶς

mightily

D · δυνατῶς

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δυνατῶς: meaning 'mightily'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐτασθήσονται

will be examined

VS FPI3P · ἐτάζω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ἐτάζω: meaning 'will be examined'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

7 οὐ γὰρ ὑποστελεῖται πρόσωπον ὁ πάντων δεσπότης οὐδὲ ἐντραπήσεται μέγεθος ὅτι μικρὸν καὶ μέγαν αὐτὸς ἐποίησεν ὁμοίως τε προνοεῖ περὶ πάντων

For the Master of all will not shrink before a face, nor be overawed by greatness, because he himself made small and great alike and takes thought for all equally.

ground ASYNDETON

God's impartiality is rooted in creation itself, since he made both small and great and cares for all alike.

οὐ

not

D · οὐ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐ: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

γάρ

for

X · γάρ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

γάρ: meaning 'for'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ὑποστελεῖται

will shrink from

VF2 FMI3S · στέλλω + ὑπο

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

στέλλω + ὑπο: meaning 'will shrink from'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

πρόσωπον

face / presence

N2N ASN · πρόσωπον

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

πρόσωπον: meaning 'face'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

ὁ

he

RA NSM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ὁ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

πάντων

all

A3 GPM · πᾶς

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

πᾶς: meaning 'all'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

δεσπότης

Master

N1M NSM · δεσπότης

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

δεσπότης: meaning 'Master'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

οὐδὲ

nor

C · οὐδέ

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐδὲ: meaning 'nor'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐντραπήσεται

will stand in awe of

VD FPI3S · τρέπω + ἐν

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

τρέπω + ἐν: meaning 'will stand in awe of'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

μέγεθος

greatness

N3E ASN · μέγεθος

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

μέγεθος: meaning 'greatness'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

ὅτι

that

C · ὅτι

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὅτι: meaning 'that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

μικρὸν

small / insignificant

A1A ASM · μικρός

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

μικρός: meaning 'small'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

καὶ
and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καὶ: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

μέγαν
megas

A1P ASM · μέγας

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

μέγας: meaning 'megas'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

αὐτός
he

RD NSM · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

αὐτός: meaning 'he'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

ἐποίησεν
did

VAI AAI3S · ποιέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ constative aorist

ποιέω: meaning 'did'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὁμοίως
likewise

D · ὁμοίως

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὁμοίως: meaning 'likewise'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

τε
and

X TE

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

τε: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

προνοεῖ
he takes thought

VF2 FAI3S · νοέω + προ

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

νοέω + προ: meaning 'he takes thought'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

περί
concerning / about

P · περί

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

περί: meaning 'concerning'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

πάντων
all

A3 GPM · πᾶς

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

πᾶς: meaning 'all'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

8 τοῖς δὲ κραταιοῖς ἰσχυρὰ ἐφίσταται ἔρευνα

But for the strong there stands a strong inquiry.

summary

ASYNDETON

The principle is restated in concentrated form: strength and status draw correspondingly weighty scrutiny.

τοῖς

the

RA DPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τοῖς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

δὲ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δὲ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

κραταιοῖς

strong ones

A1A DPM · κραταῖος

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

κραταῖος: meaning 'strong ones'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

ἰσχυρὰ

strong

A1A APN · ἰσχυρός

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ἰσχυρός: meaning 'strong'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

ἐφίσταται

is at hand

V6 PMI3S · ἵστημι + ἐπι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

ἵστημι + ἐπι: meaning 'is at hand'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἔρευνα

inquiry

N1A NSF · ἔρευνα

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἔρευνα: meaning 'inquiry'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

9 πρὸς ὑμᾶς οὖν ὦ τύραννοι οἱ λόγοι μου ἵνα μάθητε σοφίαν καὶ μὴ παραπέσητε

Therefore, O tyrants, my words are for you, so that you may learn wisdom and not fall away.

exhortation ASYNDETON

The speaker readdresses tyrants directly so that the warning may become an invitation to wisdom rather than a sentence of collapse.

πρὸς

to

P · πρὸς

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

πρὸς: meaning 'to'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

ὑμᾶς

you

RP AP · σύ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

ὑμᾶς: meaning 'you'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

οὖν

therefore

X · οὖν

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὖν: meaning 'therefore'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ὦ

O

I · ὦ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὦ: meaning 'O'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

τύραννοι

tyrants

N2 VPM · τύραννος

vocative nominal element used in direct address

→ direct address

τύραννος: meaning 'tyrants'; it serves as vocative nominal element used in direct address.

οἱ

the

RA NPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

οἱ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

λόγοι

thing / word

N2 NPM · λόγος

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

λόγος: meaning 'thing'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

μου

my

RP GS · ἐγώ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

μου: meaning 'my'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

ἵνα

so that

C · ἵνα

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ἵνα: meaning 'so that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

μάθητε

you may learn

VB AAS2P · μανθάνω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ subjunctive contingency

μανθάνω: meaning 'you may learn'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

σοφίαν

wisdom

N1A ASF · σοφία

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

σοφία: meaning 'wisdom'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

μή

not

D · μή

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

μή: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

παραπέσητε

you may fall away

VA AAS2P · πίπτω + παρα

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ subjunctive contingency

πίπτω + παρα: meaning 'you may fall away'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

10 οἱ γὰρ φυλάξαντες ὁσίως τὰ ὅσια ὁσιωθήσονται καὶ οἱ διδαχθέντες αὐτὰ εὐρήσουσιν ἀπολογίαν

For those who have kept holy things holily will be made holy, and those who have been taught them will find a defense.

promise ASYNDETON

Those who honor what is holy and receive wisdom's teaching will find sanctification and a defense.

οἱ

the

RA NPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

οἱ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

γάρ

for

X · γάρ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

γάρ: meaning 'for'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

φυλάξαντες

having kept

VA · απαυπμ φυλάσσω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

απαυπμ φυλάσσω: meaning 'having kept'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὁσίως

holily

D · ὁσίως

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὁσίως: meaning 'holily'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

τὰ

the

RA APN · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὰ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ὅσια

holy things

A1A APN · ὅσιος

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ὅσιος: meaning 'holy things'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

ὀσιωθήσονται

will be made holy

VC FPI3P · ὀσιόω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ὀσιόω: meaning 'will be made holy'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

καί

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

οἱ

the

RA NPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

οἱ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

διδαχθέντες

having been taught

VC · απαυπμ διδάσκω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

απαυπμ διδάσκω: meaning 'having been taught'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

αὐτὰ

he / him / his

RD APN · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

αὐτὰ: meaning 'he'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

εὕρῃσουσιν

will find

VF FAI3P · εὕρίσκω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

εὕρίσκω: meaning 'will find'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἀπολογία

defense

N1A ASF · ἀπολογία

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ἀπολογία: meaning 'defense'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

11 ἐπιθυμήσατε οὖν τῶν λόγων μου ποθήσατε καὶ παιδευθήσεσθε

Desire therefore my words, long for them, and you will be instructed.

exhortation ASYNDETON

The hearers are urged to move from warning into desire, longing for wisdom so as to be educated by her.

ἐπιθυμήσατε

desire

VA AAD2P · θυμέω + ἐπι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

θυμέω + ἐπι: meaning 'desire'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

οὖν

therefore

X · οὖν

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὖν: meaning 'therefore'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

τῶν

the (who are)

RA GPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τῶν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

λόγων

thing / word

N2 GPM · λόγος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

λόγος: meaning 'thing'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

μου

my

RP GS · ἐγώ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

μου: meaning 'my'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

ποθήσατε

long for

VA AAD2P · ποθέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

ποθέω: meaning 'long for'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

παιδευθήσεσθε

you will be instructed

VC FPI2P · παιδεύω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

παιδεύω: meaning 'you will be instructed'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

12 λαμπρά καὶ ἀμάραντός ἐστιν ἡ σοφία καὶ εὐχερῶς θεωρεῖται ὑπὸ τῶν ἀγαπώντων αὐτήν καὶ εὕρσκεται ὑπὸ τῶν ζητούντων αὐτήν

Wisdom is radiant and unfading, and is easily seen by those who love her and found by those who seek her.

description ASYNDETON

Wisdom is presented as radiant, unfading, and accessible to love and search rather than hidden behind secrecy.

λαμπρά

radiant

A1A NSF · λαμπρός

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

λαμπρός: meaning 'radiant'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἀμάραντός

unfading

A1B NSF · ἀμάραντος

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἀμάραντος: meaning 'unfading'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ἐστιν

be

V9 PAI3S · εἰμί

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

εἰμί: meaning 'be'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἡ

the

RA NSF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ἡ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

σοφία

wisdom

N1A NSF · σοφία

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

σοφία: meaning 'wisdom'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

εὐχερῶς

easily

D · εὐχερῶς

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

εὐχερῶς: meaning 'easily'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

θεωρεῖται

is beheld

V2 PMI3S · θεωρέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

θεωρέω: meaning 'is beheld'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὑπὸ

by

P · ὑπό

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ὑπὸ: meaning 'by'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

τῶν

the (who are)

RA GPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τῶν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἀγαπώντων

of those loving

V3 · παγῆμι ἀγαπάω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παγῆμι ἀγαπάω: meaning 'of those loving'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

αὐτήν

it

RD ASF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

αὐτήν: meaning 'it'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

εὕρσκεται

is found

V1 PMI3S · εὕρισκω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

εὕρισκω: meaning 'is found'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὑπὸ

by

P · ὑπό

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ὑπὸ: meaning 'by'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

τῶν

the (who are)

RA GPM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τῶν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ζητούντων

seeking

V2 · παγπμ ζητέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παγπμ ζητέω: meaning 'seeking'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

αὐτήν

her

RD ASF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

αὐτήν: meaning 'her'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

13 φθάνει τοὺς ἐπιθυμοῦντας προγνωσθῆναι

She anticipates those who desire to know her beforehand.

description ASYNDETON

She is not passive but anticipates and meets those who already long to know her.

φθάνει

it reaches

V1 PAI3S · φθάνω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

φθάνω: meaning 'it reaches'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

τοὺς

the

RA APM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τοὺς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἐπιθυμοῦντας

desiring

V4 · παπαπμ θυμόω + ἐπι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παπαπμ θυμόω + ἐπι: meaning 'desiring'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

προγνωσθῆναι

to be known beforehand

VS APN · γιγνώσκω + προ

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ infinitival complement

γιγνώσκω + προ: meaning 'to be known beforehand'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

14 ὁ ὀρθρίσας πρὸς αὐτὴν οὐ κοπιάσει πάρεδρον γὰρ εὕρήσει τῶν πυλῶν αὐτοῦ

He who rises early toward her will not labor, for he will find her sitting beside his gates.

promise

ASYNDETON

Diligent early seeking is rewarded by finding wisdom already near at hand.

ὁ

he

RA NSM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ὁ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ὀρθρίσας

having risen early

VA · απαnσμ ὀρθρίζω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

απαnσμ ὀρθρίζω: meaning 'having risen early'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

πρὸς

to

P · πρὸς

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

πρὸς: meaning 'to'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

αὐτὴν

it

RD ASF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

αὐτὴν: meaning 'it'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

οὐ

not

D · οὐ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐ: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

κοπιάσει

shall grow weary

VF FAI3S · κοπιᾶω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

κοπιᾶω: meaning 'shall grow weary'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

πάρεδρον

sitting beside

N2 ASM · πάρεδρος

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

πάρεδρος: meaning 'sitting beside'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

γὰρ

for

X · γάρ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

γὰρ: meaning 'for'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

εύρήσει

will find

VF FAI3S · εύρίσκω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

εύρίσκω: meaning 'will find'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

τῶν

the (who are)

RA GPF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τῶν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

πυλῶν

gates

N1 GPF · πύλη

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

πύλη: meaning 'gates'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

αὐτοῦ

his

RD GSM · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

αὐτοῦ: meaning 'his'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

15 τὸ γὰρ ἐνθυμηθῆναι περὶ αὐτῆς φρονήσεως τελειότης καὶ ὁ ἀγρυπνήσας δι' αὐτὴν ταχέως ἀμέριμος ἔσται

For to think upon her is the perfection of understanding, and the one who keeps watch because of her will quickly be free from care.

ground ASYNDETON

Thought and wakeful attention directed toward wisdom bring mature understanding and freedom from anxious distraction.

τὸ

the

RA NSN · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὸ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

γὰρ

for

X · γάρ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

γὰρ: meaning 'for'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐνθυμηθῆναι

to think upon

VC APN · θυμέομαι + ἐν

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ infinitival complement

θυμέομαι + ἐν: meaning 'to think upon'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

περὶ

concerning / about

P · περί

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

περί: meaning 'concerning'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

αὐτῆς

its

RD GSF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

αὐτῆς: meaning 'its'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

φρονήσεως

φρονήσεως

N3I GSF · φρόνησις

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

φρόνησις: meaning 'φρονήσεως'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

τελειότης

perfection

N3T NSF · τελειότης

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

τελειότης: meaning 'perfection'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ὁ

he

RA NSM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ὁ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἄγρυπνήσας

having kept watch

VA · ααπνσμ ἄγρυπνέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

ααπνσμ ἄγρυπνέω: meaning 'having kept watch'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

δι'

through

P · διά

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

δι': meaning 'through'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

αὐτήν

it

RD ASF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

αὐτήν: meaning 'it'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

ταχέως

quickly

D · ταχέως

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ταχέως: meaning 'quickly'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἄμεριμος

free from care

A1B NSM · ἄμεριμος

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἄμεριμος: meaning 'free from care'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ἔσται

shall be

VF FMI3S · εἰμί

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

εἰμί: meaning 'shall be'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

16 ὅτι τοὺς ἀξίους αὐτῆς αὐτὴ περιέρχεται ζητοῦσα καὶ ἐν ταῖς τρίβοις φαντάζεται αὐτοῖς εὐμενῶς καὶ ἐν πάσῃ ἐπινοίᾳ ὑπαντᾷ αὐτοῖς

Because she herself goes about seeking those worthy of her, and graciously appears to them in their paths, and meets them in every thought.

description ASYNDETON

Wisdom actively seeks the worthy, appearing kindly along their paths and within their deliberations.

ὅτι

that

C · ὅτι

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὅτι: meaning 'that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

τοὺς

the

RA APM · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τοὺς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἀξίους

worthy

A1A APM · ἄξιος

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ἄξιος: meaning 'worthy'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

αὐτῆς

its

RD GSF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

αὐτῆς: meaning 'its'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

αὐτὴ

he, she, it

RD NSF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

αὐτὴ: meaning 'he, she, it'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

περιέρχεται

goes about

V1 PMI3S · ἔρχομαι + περι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

ἔρχομαι + περι: meaning 'goes about'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ζητοῦσα

seek

V2 · παπνοφ ζητέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παπνοφ ζητέω: meaning 'seek'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐν

in

P · ἐν

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ἐν: meaning 'in'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

ταῖς

the

RA DPF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ταῖς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

τρίβοις

path

N2 DPF · τρίβος

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

τρίβος: meaning 'path'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

φαντάζεται

appears

V1 PMI3S · φαντάζομαι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

φαντάζομαι: meaning 'appears'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

αὐτοῖς

them

RD DPM · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference or interest

αὐτοῖς: meaning 'them'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

εὐμενῶς

graciously

D · εὐμενῶς

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

εὐμενῶς: meaning 'graciously'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐν

in

P · ἐν

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ἐν: meaning 'in'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

πάσῃ

all

A1S DSF · πᾶς

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

πᾶς: meaning 'all'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

ἐπινοία

thought

N1A DSF · ἐπίνοια

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

ἐπίνοια: meaning 'thought'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

ὕπαντᾷ

meets

V3 PAI3S · ἀντάω + ὑπο

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

ἀντάω + ὑπο: meaning 'meets'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

αὐτοῖς

them

RD DPM · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference or interest

αὐτοῖς: meaning 'them'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

17 ἀρχὴ γὰρ αὐτῆς ἡ ἀληθεστάτη παιδείας ἐπιθυμία φροντὶς δὲ παιδείας ἀγάπη

For the truest beginning of her is the desire for instruction, and care for instruction is love,

progression ASYNDETON

The argument now unfolds wisdom's internal logic: her beginning is desire for instruction.

ἀρχή

dominions

N1 NSF · ἀρχή

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἀρχή: meaning 'dominions'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

γὰρ

for

X · γὰρ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

γὰρ: meaning 'for'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

αὐτῆς

its

RD GSF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

αὐτῆς: meaning 'its'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

ἡ

the

RA NSF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

ἡ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἀληθεστάτη

truest

A3H NSFS · ἀληθής

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἀληθής: meaning 'truest'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

παιδείας

discipline / instruction

N1A GSF · παιδεία

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

παιδείας: meaning 'discipline'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

ἐπιθυμία

desire

N1A NSF · ἐπιθυμία

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἐπιθυμία: meaning 'desire'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

φροντὶς

concern

N3D NSF · φροντὶς

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

φροντὶς: meaning 'concern'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

δὲ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δὲ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

παιδείας

discipline / instruction

N1A GSF · παιδεία

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

παιδεία: meaning 'discipline'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

ἀγάπη

love

N1 NSF · ἀγάπη

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἀγάπη: meaning 'love'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

18 ἀγάπη δὲ τήρησις νόμων αὐτῆς προσοχὴ δὲ νόμων βεβαίωσις ἀφθαρσίας

and love is the keeping of her laws, and attention to laws is the assurance of incorruption,

progression ASYNDETON

That desire matures into love, and love shows itself in keeping wisdom's laws.

ἀγάπη

love

N1 NSF · ἀγάπη

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἀγάπη: meaning 'love'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

δὲ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δὲ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

τήρησις

keeping

N3I NSF · τήρησις

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

τήρησις: meaning 'keeping'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

νόμων

laws

N2 GPM · νόμος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

νόμος: meaning 'laws'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

αὐτῆς

its

RD GSF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

αὐτῆς: meaning 'its'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

προσοχή

attention

N1 NSF · προσοχή

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

προσοχή: meaning 'attention'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

δὲ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δὲ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

νόμων

laws

N2 GPM · νόμος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

νόμος: meaning 'laws'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

βεβαίωσις

assurance

N3I NSF · βεβαίωσις

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

βεβαίωσις: meaning 'assurance'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ἀφθαρσίας

of incorruption

N1A GSF · ἀφθαρσία

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

ἀφθαρσία: meaning 'of incorruption'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

19 ἀφθαρσία δὲ ἐγγὺς εἶναι ποιεῖ θεοῦ

and incorruption makes one near to God.

progression ASYNDETON

Law-keeping is linked to incorruption, and incorruption draws human life near to God.

ἀφθαρσία

incorruption

N1A NSF · ἀφθαρσία

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἀφθαρσία: meaning 'incorruption'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

δὲ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δὲ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐγγύς

near

D · ἐγγύς

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ἐγγύς: meaning 'near'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

εἶναι

to be

V9 PAN · εἶμι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ infinitival complement

εἶμι: meaning 'to be'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ποιεῖ

do / make

V2 PAI3S · ποιέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

ποιέω: meaning 'do'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

θεοῦ

God

N2 GSM · θεός

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

θεός: meaning 'God'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

20 ἐπιθυμία ἄρα σοφίας ἀνάγει ἐπὶ βασιλείαν

So then desire for wisdom leads up to kingship.

conclusion ASYNDETON

The chain reaches its public culmination: desire for wisdom becomes the true ascent to kingship.

ἐπιθυμία

desire

N1A NSF · ἐπιθυμία

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

ἐπιθυμία: meaning 'desire'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

ἄρα

perhaps

X · ἄρα

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ἄρα: meaning 'perhaps'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

σοφίας

wisdom

N1A GSF · σοφία

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

σοφία: meaning 'wisdom'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

ἀνάγει

leads up

V1 PAI3S · ἄγω + ἀνα

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

ἄγω + ἀνα: meaning 'leads up'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἐπὶ

upon

P · ἐπὶ

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ἐπὶ: meaning 'upon'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

βασιλείαν

kingdom

N1A ASF · βασιλεία

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

βασιλεία: meaning 'kingdom'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

21 εἰ οὖν ἡδεσθε ἐπὶ θρόνοις καὶ σκήπτροις τύραννοι λαῶν τιμήσατε σοφίαν ἵνα εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα βασιλεύσητε

If therefore you delight in thrones and scepters, O tyrants of peoples, honor wisdom, so that you may reign forever.

exhortation ASYNDETON

Rulers are therefore urged to honor wisdom if they want a reign that endures beyond present power.

εἰ

if

C · εἰ

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

εἰ: meaning 'if'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

οὖν

therefore

X · οὖν

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὖν: meaning 'therefore'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἡδεσθε

you delight

V1 PMI2P · ἡδομαι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

ἡδομαι: meaning 'you delight'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἐπὶ

upon

P · ἐπί

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ἐπὶ: meaning 'upon'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

θρόνοις

thrones

N2 DPM · θρόνος

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

θρόνος: meaning 'thrones'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

καί

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

σκήπτροις

scepters

N2N DPN · σκῆπτρον

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

σκήπτρον: meaning 'scepters'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

τύραννοι

tyrants

N2 VPM · τύραννος

vocative nominal element used in direct address

→ direct address

τύραννος: meaning 'tyrants'; it serves as vocative nominal element used in direct address.

λαῶν

people

N2 GPM · λαός

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

λαός: meaning 'people'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

τιμήσατε

honor

VA AAD2P · τιμάω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

τιμάω: meaning 'honor'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

σοφίαν

wisdom

N1A ASF · σοφία

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

σοφία: meaning 'wisdom'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

ἵνα

so that

C · ἵνα

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ἵνα: meaning 'so that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

εἰς into P · εἰς <i>preposition governing its complement phrase</i> → spatial or relational framing εἰς: meaning 'into'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.	τὸν the RA ASM · ὁ <i>article marking the following noun phrase</i> → noun-phrase marking τὸν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.	αἰῶνα age / forever N3W ASM · αἰών <i>accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal</i> → object specification αἰών: meaning 'age'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.	βασιλεύσητε you may reign VA AAS2P · βασιλεύω <i>verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause</i> → subjunctive contingency βασιλεύω: meaning 'you may reign'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.
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22 τί δέ ἐστιν σοφία καὶ πῶς ἐγένετο ἀπαγγελῶ καὶ οὐκ ἀποκρύψω ὑμῖν μυστήρια ἀλλὰ ἀπ' ἀρχῆς γενέσεως ἐξιχνιάσω καὶ θήσω εἰς τὸ ἐμφανὲς τὴν γνῶσιν αὐτῆς καὶ οὐ μὴ παροδεύσω τὴν ἀλήθειαν

And what wisdom is and how she came to be, I will declare, and I will not hide mysteries from you, but I will trace her out from the beginning of creation and set the knowledge of her in the light, and I will not pass by the truth.

transition ASYNDETON

The chapter turns from exhortation to disclosure, promising an account of wisdom's nature and origin without concealment.

τί

what

RI NSN · τίς

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

τί: meaning 'what'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

δέ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δέ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐστιν

be

V9 PAI3S · εἰμί

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ ongoing verbal process

εἰμί: meaning 'be'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

σοφία

wisdom

N1A NSF · σοφία

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

σοφία: meaning 'wisdom'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

πῶς

how

D · πῶς

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

πῶς: meaning 'how'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἐγένετο

it came to pass

VBI AMI3S · γίγνομαι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ constative aorist

γίγνομαι: meaning 'it came to pass'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ἀπαγγελῶ

I will declare

VF2 FAI1S · ἀγγέλλω + ἀπο

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ἀγγέλλω + ἀπο: meaning 'I will declare'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

οὐκ

not

D · οὐ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐκ: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἀποκρύψω

I will hide

VF FAI1S · κρύπτω + ἀπο

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

κρύπτω + ἀπο: meaning 'I will hide'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὕμῖν

to you

RP DP · σύ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference or interest

ὕμῖν: meaning 'to you'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

μυστήρια

secrets

N2N APN · μυστήριον

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

μυστήριον: meaning 'secrets'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

ἀλλὰ

but

C · ἀλλά

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ἀλλὰ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ἀπ'

from

P · ἀπό

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

ἀπ': meaning 'from'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

ἀρχῆς

beginning

N1 GSF · ἀρχή

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

ἀρχή: meaning 'beginning'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

γενέσεως

of creation

N3I GSF · γένεσις

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

γένεσις: meaning 'of creation'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

ἐξιχνιάσω

I will trace out

VF FAI1S · ἐξιχνιάζω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ἐξιχνιάζω: meaning 'I will trace out'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

καί

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

θήσω

I will set / place

VF FAI1S · τίθημι

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

τίθημι: meaning 'I will set'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

εἰς

into

P · εἰς

preposition governing its complement phrase

→ spatial or relational framing

εἰς: meaning 'into'; here it marks the relation signaled by preposition governing its complement phrase.

τὸ

the

RA ASN · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὸ: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἐμφανές

open

A3 ASN · ἐμφανής

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ἐμφανής: meaning 'open'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

τὴν

the

RA ASF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὴν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

γνώσιν

knowledge / discernment

N3I ASF · γνώσις

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

γνώσις: meaning 'knowledge'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

αὐτῆς

its

RD GSF · αὐτός

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

αὐτῆς: meaning 'its'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

οὐ

not

D · οὐ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐ: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

μή

not

D · μή

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

μή: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

παροδεύσω

I will pass by

VF FAI1S · ὁδεύω + παρα

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ὁδεύω + παρα: meaning 'I will pass by'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

τὴν

the

RA ASF · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τὴν: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ἀλήθειαν

truth

N1A ASF · ἀλήθεια

accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal

→ object specification

ἀλήθεια: meaning 'truth'; it serves as accusative element functioning as object, extent, or goal.

23 οὔτε μὴν φθόνῳ τετηκότι συνοδεύσω ὅτι οὗτος οὐ κοινωνήσει σοφία

Nor indeed will I travel with wasting envy, because that has no fellowship with wisdom.

contrast ASYNDETON

The teacher refuses companionship with envy because wisdom and corrosive jealousy cannot coexist.

οὔτε

neither

C · οὔτε

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὔτε: meaning 'neither'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

μήν

month

X · μήν

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

μήν: meaning 'month'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

φθόνῳ

with envy

N2 DSM · φθόνος

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

φθόνος: meaning 'with envy'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

τετηκότι

having wasted away

VX · χαπδσμ τήκω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

χαπδσμ τήκω: meaning 'having wasted away'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

συνοδεύσω

I will travel with

VF FAI1S · ὀδεύω + συν

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ὀδεύω + συν: meaning 'I will travel with'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

ὅτι

that

C · ὅτι

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὅτι: meaning 'that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

οὗτος

this

RD NSM · οὗτος

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ participant reference

οὗτος: meaning 'this'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

οὐ

not

D · οὐ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

οὐ: meaning 'not'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

κοινωνήσει

will share in

VF FAI3S · κοινωνέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

κοινωνέω: meaning 'will share in'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

σοφία

wisdom

N1A DSF · σοφία

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

σοφία: meaning 'wisdom'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

24 πλῆθος δὲ σοφῶν σωτηρία κόσμου καὶ βασιλεὺς φρόνιμος εὐστάθεια δήμου

But a multitude of the wise is the salvation of the world, and a prudent king is the stability of a people.

observation ASYNDETON

The social fruit of wisdom is named plainly: many wise people preserve the world, and a prudent king stabilizes the people.

πλῆθος

multitude

N3E NSN · πλῆθος

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

πλῆθος: meaning 'multitude'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

δὲ

but

X · δέ

adverbial or particle element shaping the clause or phrase

→ discourse linkage or contrast

δὲ: meaning 'but'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

σοφῶν

wise

A1 GPM · σοφός

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

σοφός: meaning 'wise'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

σωτηρία

deliverance

N1A NSF · σωτηρία

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

σωτηρία: meaning 'deliverance'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

κόσμου

adornment

N2 GSM · κόσμος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

κόσμος: meaning 'adornment'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καί: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

βασιλεὺς

king

N3V NSM · βασιλεὺς

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

βασιλεὺς: meaning 'king'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

φρόνιμος

prudent

A1B NSM · φρόνιμος

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

φρόνιμος: meaning 'prudent'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

εὐστάθεια

stability

N1A NSF · εὐστάθεια

nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition

→ participant prominence

εὐστάθεια: meaning 'stability'; it serves as nominative element functioning as subject, predicate, or apposition.

δήμου

of the clan

N2 GSM · δῆμος

genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality

→ relational specification

δῆμος: meaning 'of the clan'; it serves as genitive nominal element defining relation, possession, source, or quality.

25 ὥστε παιδεύεσθε τοῖς ῥήμασίν μου καὶ ὠφεληθήσεσθε

Therefore be instructed by my words, and you will profit.

summary ASYNDETON

The chapter closes by returning to direct instruction and promising benefit to those who receive these words.

ὥστε

so that

C · ὥστε

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

ὥστε: meaning 'so that'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

παιδεύεσθε

be instructed

V1 PMD2P · παιδεύω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ verbal action or state

παιδεύω: meaning 'be instructed'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

τοῖς

the

RA DPN · ὁ

article marking the following noun phrase

→ noun-phrase marking

τοῖς: Greek article marking definiteness and the role of the accompanying noun phrase.

ῥήμασιν

words

N3M DPN · ῥῆμα

dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient

→ sphere or reference

ῥῆμα: meaning 'words'; it serves as dative nominal element marking relation, instrument, sphere, or recipient.

μου

my

RP GS · ἐγώ

pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause

→ relational specification

μου: meaning 'my'; pronoun marking person, possession, or reference within the clause; here it functions as pronominal form marking person, reference, or participant role within the clause.

καὶ

and

C · καί

connective or conjunction linking the clause to its context

→ discourse linkage or contrast

καὶ: meaning 'and'; conjunction or particle linking this unit with the surrounding discourse.

ὠφεληθήσεσθε

you will profit

VC FPI2P · ὠφελέω

verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause

→ future

ὠφελέω: meaning 'you will profit'; it carries the action, process, or state of the clause; here it functions as verbal form carrying the action, process, or state of the clause.

On the labels. Parsing gives Tense·Voice·Mood·Person·Number (+ Case·Number·Gender for participles) and lemma. The *syntactic-function* and **semantic-force** tiers follow standard intermediate-grammar categories (e.g. Wallace, *Greek Grammar Beyond the Basics*); both involve interpretive judgment, and the majority reading has been chosen where opinions differ. Lexical notes condense commonly cited data (etymology, sense range, synonym contrasts, NT frequency, OT/LXX echoes) and are no substitute for a lexicon.

On the discourse tier. Discourse structure operates above the word, so it is shown at the clause/verse level (the connective, the relation it signals, and the role of the clause) and summarized in the chapter outline. Relation labels, any proposed chiasm,

and the paragraph divisions reflect a common reading of the argument; other discourse analyses segment and label some relations differently.