

Several variant readings exist for οὐδείς κενώσει (v. 15d). The first variant A has οὐδείς κενώσει; G has τίς κενώσει; K, Ψ, and other manuscripts have ἵνα τίς κενώσει, ἵνα τίς μὴ κενώσει, and ἵνα τίς οὐ μὴ κενώσει. The text accepted by the UBS Committee results in an anacoluthon (as diagrammed). Paul is moved by his vivid impression of the experiences he experienced while at Corinth; because of this, he does not finish his sentence in a normal manner. Instead, he inserts an exclamation which interrupts the normal sequence of words.

δὲ Verse 15b

ἔγραψα ταῦτα

οὐκ

ἵνα Verse 15c

γένηται

οὕτως

ἐν ἐμοί

γάρ Verse 15d

ἀποθανεῖν

μᾶλλον ἢ

(ἐστίν) καλὸν

μοι

Verse 15e

οὐδείς κενώσει καύχημά

τό

μου