

καὶ Κολοφῶνος τὸ ἄστυ εἶλε· ἀλλ’ οὐδὲν γὰρ μέγα ἀπ’ αὐτοῦ
ἀλλο ἔργον ἐγένετο βασιλεύσαντος δυῶν δέοντα τεσσεράκοντα

15 ἔτεα, τοῦτον μὲν παρήσομεν τοσαῦτα ἐπιμνησθέντες, Ἀρδυος
δὲ τοῦ Γύγεω μετὰ Γύγην βασιλεύσαντος μνήμην ποιήσομαι.
οὗτος δὲ Πριηνέας τε εἶλε ἐσ Μίλητόν τε ἐσέβαλε, ἐπὶ τούτου
τε τυραννεύοντος Σαρδίων Κιμμέριοι ἔξι ἡθέων ὑπὸ Σκυθέων
τῶν νομάδων ἔξαναστάντες ἀπύκοντο ἐσ τὴν Ἀσίην καὶ Σάρδις
πλὴν τῆς ἀκροπόλιος εἶλον.

16 Ἀρδυος δὲ βασιλεύσαντος ἐνὸς δέοντα πεντήκοντα ἔτεα
ἐξεδέξατο Σαδυάττης ὁ Ἀρδυος, καὶ ἐβασίλευσε ἔτεα δυώδεκα,

2 Σαδυάττεω δὲ Ἀλυάττης. οὗτος δὲ Κυαξάρη τε τῷ Δηϊόκεω
ἀπογόνω ἐπολέμησε καὶ Μήδοισι, Κιμμερίους τε ἐκ τῆς Ἀσίης
ἔξήλασε, Σμύρνην τε τὴν ἀπὸ Κολοφῶνος κτισθεῖσαν εἶλε,
ἐσ Κλαζομενάς τε ἐσέβαλε. ἀπὸ μέν νυν τούτων οὐκ ὡς
ἡθελε ἀπήλλαξε, ἀλλὰ προσπταίσας μεγάλως· ἀλλα δὲ ἔργα

ἀκρό-πολις, ḥ: citadel, acropolis, 10

ἀπ-αλλάσσω: to set free, release; end, 12

ἀπό-γονος, -ον: descendant, born from, 4

Ἀρδυος, ḥ: Ardys, 4

Δηϊόκης, ḥ: Deiokes, 15

δυώ-δεκα: twelve, 11

ἐκ-δέκομαι: receive from, take up; succeed, 7

ἔξ-ανιστημι: rise and depart from, emigrate, 4

ἔξ-ελαύνω: drive out, 13

ἐπι-μνάομαι: to remember, recall (+ gen.) 6

ἐσ-βάλλω: throw on; put on board; invade 13

ἡθος, -έος ḥ: custom; accustomed place, 3

Κιμμέριοι, οι: the Cimmerians, 4

Κλαζομενά, οι: Clazomenae, 2

Κολοφῶν, -ονος, ḥ: Colophon, 3

κτίζω: to found, establish, colonize, 7

Κυαξάρης, ḥ: Cyaxares, 14

μεγάλως: greatly, exceedingly, very much 11

Μήδειος, -η, -ον: Mede, Median, 2

Μίλητος, ḥ: Miletus, 10

μνήμη, ḥ: remembrance, memory, record, 4

νομάς, νομάδος, ḥ: nomad; adj. nomadic, 6

παρ-ίημι: to pass over, skip over; neglect, 10

πεντήκοντα: fifty, 6

πλήν: except, but (+ gen.), 12

πολεμέω: wage war (against + dat.), 10

Πριηνή, ḥ: Priene, 1

προσ-πταίω: strike against, stumble; lose, 2

Σαδυάττης, ḥ: Sadyattes, 6

Σμύρνη, ḥ: Smyrna, 5 **τεσσεράκοντα:** forty, 5

τοσοῦτος αὐτῆς οὔτοις: so great/much/many 11

τυραννεύω: to be or become a sovereign, 9

14 ἐπείτε ἤρξε: when he ruled

15 εἶλε: captured; 3rd sg. aor αἱρέω (stem ἔλ) οὐδὲν..ἔργον: no other important deed

16 δυῶν δέοντα τεσσεράκοντα ἔτεα: for 38 years; acc. duration, “forty lacking from two,” pple δέω and genitive of separation

17 παρήσομεν: 1st pl. fut. παρ-ίημι ἐπιμνησθέντες: having recalled; aor. dep.

Ἀρδυος..βασιλεύσαντος: obj. of μνήμην

18 τοῦ Γύγεω: (son) of Gyges

20 ὑπὸ Σκυθέων: because of the Scythians...

23 ἐνὸς δέοντα..ἔτεα: for 49 years; see l. 16

27 ἔξήλασε: he drove out: aor. ἔξ-ελαύνω κτισθεῖσαν: having been settled; aor. pple

28 ώς...ἀπήλλαξε: not as he wished, he ceased

- 17 ἀπεδέξατο ἐών ἐν τῇ ἀρχῇ ἀξιαπηγητότατα τάδε. ἐπολέμησε¹
 Μιλησίοισι, παραδεξάμενος τὸν πόλεμον παρὰ τοῦ πατρός.
 ἐπελαύνων γὰρ ἐπολιόρκεε τὴν Μίλητον τρόπῳ τοιῷδε ὅκως
 μὲν εἴη ἐν τῇ γῇ καρπὸς ἀδρός, τηνικαῦτα ἐσέβαλλε τὴν
 στρατιήν· ἐστρατεύετο δὲ ὑπὸ συρίγγων τε καὶ πηκτίδων καὶ⁵
- 2 αὐλὸν γυναικίου τε καὶ ἀνδρίου. ὡς δὲ ἐσ τὴν Μιλησίην
 ἀπίκοιτο, οἰκήματα μὲν τὰ ἐπὶ τῶν ἀγρῶν οὔτε κατέβαλλε
 οὔτε ἐνεπίμπρη οὔτε θύρας ἀπέσπα, ἕα δὲ κατὰ χώρην
 ἐστάναι· ὁ δὲ τὰ τε δένδρεα καὶ τὸν καρπὸν τὸν ἐν τῇ γῇ¹⁰
 3 ὅκως διαφθείρειε, ἀπαλλάσσετο ὄπίσω. τῆς γὰρ θαλάσσης
 οἱ Μιλήσιοι ἐπεκράτεον, ὥστε ἐπέδρης μὴ εἶναι ἔργον τῇ
 στρατιῇ. τὰς δὲ οἰκίας οὐ κατέβαλλε ὁ Λυδὸς τῶνδε εἴνεκα,
 ὅκως ἔχοιεν ἐνθεῦτεν ὄρμώμενοι τὴν γῆν σπείρειν τε καὶ¹⁴
 ἐργάζεσθαι οἱ Μιλήσιοι, αὐτὸς δὲ ἐκείνων ἐργαζομένων ἔχοι

- ἀγρός, ὁ: field, country, 4
 ἀδρός, ἡ, ὄν: ripe, full-grown, 1
 ἀνδρήιος, -α, -ον: of a man, brave, low tone 3
 ἀξια-πίγυητος, -ον: worth telling, 2
 ἀπ-αλλάσσω: to release; end; depart, 12
 ἀπο-σπάω: to tear away, drag away, 2
 αὐλός, ὁ: a flute, 2
 γυναικήιος, -η, -ον: of a woman, high tone, 2
 δένδρον, τό: tree; also, δένδρος, -εος, τό, 4
 ἐμ-πίμπρημι: to burn, set on fire, kindle, 3
 ἐπ-έδρη, ἡ: siege, a sitting, seat, 1
 ἐπ-έλαυνω: drive on, charge, 3
 ἐπι-κρατέω: to rule over, overpower + gen. 4
 ἐργάζομαι: to work, labor, toil, 11

- 1 ἀπεδέξατο: *exhibited*, aor. ἀπο-δείκνυμι
 ἐών ἐν τῇ ἀρχῇ: *being in power*; pple εἰμί¹
 ἀξιαπηγητότατα: superlative degree
 2 παρὰ τοῦ πατρός: *from his father*
 3 τρόπῳ τοιῷδε: *in such a way*
 ὅκως μὲν εἴη: *when...was*; 3rd sg. opt. of
 εἰμί, temporal clause in secondary sequence
 6 γυναικίου...ἀνδρήιου: *flute both high and
 low tone*; “feminine and masculine”
 ὡς...ἀπίκοιτο: *When he arrived*; 3rd sg.
 opt., temporal cl. in secondary sequence
 7 οἰκήματα...ἀγρῶν: *houses in the*

- έσ-βάλλω: put on ship, put on land, throw, 13
 θύρη, ἡ: a door, 4
 καρπός, ὁ: crop, fruit, benefit, 14
 κατα-βάλλω: to strike down, overthrow, 3
 Μίλητος, ὁ: Miletus, 10
 οἰκημα-, -ατος, τό: (store)room, workshop, 6
 παρα-δέκομαι: to take in charge, inherit, 6
 πηκτίς, -ιδος, ἡ: harp, 1
 πολεμέω: wage war (against + dat.), 10
 πολιορκέω: besiege, hem in a city, 11
 σπείρω: sow, plant, 2
 σύριγξ, σύριγγος, ἡ: a pipe, 1
 τηνικαῦτα: at that time, then, 6

countryside

- 8 ἕα: *he allows (them)*; i.e. houses; ἔάω
 κατὰ χώρην: *on land*
 ἐστάναι: *to stand*; pf. inf. *ἵστημι*
 9 ὅκως διαφθείρειε: *whenever...*; 3rd sg. opt.
 10 ἀπαλλάσσετο: *he used to depart*; impf.
 11 ὥστε...ἔργον: *so that...was not a goal*;
 12 τῶνδε εἴνεκα: *for the following reasons*
 13 ὅκως ἔχοιεν...ἔχοι: *so that... might be
 able...might be able*; purpose with opt. in
 secondary sequence; common meaning of
 ἔχω with an infinitive