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Preface to the Series

The aim of this commentary is to make Cicero's *First Catilinarian*, otherwise known as *Oratio in Catilinam Prima in Senatu Habita*, as accessible as possible to intermediate and advanced level Latin readers so that they may experience the joy, insight, and lasting influence that comes from reading one of greatest works in classical antiquity in Latin.

Beneath each of the 35 sections of the Latin text, hereafter called "lessons," are all the corresponding vocabulary words that occur four or fewer times in the commentary, arranged alphabetically in two columns. Below these vocabulary lists and sometimes on the facing page are grammatical notes, which are organized according to line numbers and likewise arranged into two columns. This format allows me to include as much information as possible and yet ensure that the entries are distinct and immediately accessible to readers. To complement the vocabulary within the commentary, I have added a running core vocabulary list in the introduction of all words occurring five or more times in the speech. Together, this book has been designed in such a way that, once readers have mastered the running core list, they will be able to rely solely on the Latin text and facing notes and not need to turn a page or consult outside dictionaries as they read.

The grammatical notes are designed to help beginning readers read the text, and so I have passed over detailed literary and philosophical explanations in favor of short, concise, and frequent entries that focus exclusively on grammar and morphology. Assuming that readers complete their initial study of Latin with varying levels of ability, I draw attention to almost all subjunctive and accusative-infinitive constructions, identify unusual verbs forms and noun constructions, and in general explain aspects of the Latin that they should have encountered in their elementary review of Latin grammar but perhaps forgotten. As a rule, I prefer to offer too much assistance rather than too little.

Better Vocabulary-Building Strategies

One of the virtues of this commentary is that it eliminates time-consuming dictionary work. While there are occasions where a dictionary is necessary for developing a nuanced reading of the Latin, in most instances any advantage that may come from looking up a word is outweighed by the time and effort spent in the process. Many continue to defend this practice, but I am convinced that such work has little pedagogical value for intermediate and

advanced students and that the time saved can be better spent reading Latin, memorizing vocabulary, mastering principal parts, and reading advanced-level commentaries and secondary literature.

As an alternative to dictionary work, I recommend that readers review the running core vocabulary list (5 or more times) as soon as possible. Once they have mastered these words, I encourage them to single out, drill, and memorize the words that occur 3-4 times, for example, as they encounter them in the reading. Many of the remaining words can be learned in the context of reading and rereading the speech. Another viable approach is for readers to review and memorize all of the corresponding vocabulary before they begin reading a passage. Altogether, I am confident that readers who follow this regimen will learn the vocabulary more efficiently and develop fluency more quickly than with traditional methods.

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Introduction to Cicero's *First Catilinarian*

In Republican Rome, an education in rhetoric and philosophy was not a sensible way to move up in the social hierarchy. In an agrarian society where land was considered the primary form of wealth, a Roman either was fortunate enough to be born into a family rich in property or married into it. One could, of course, inherit land from another or receive a dispensation as a colonist or as a soldier. One could also accumulate money through commerce or trade, but the notion that such an education could lead to wealth and higher social standing—a premise that underlies modern schooling—was an anathema in this world. Cicero, of course, was an exception.

Marcus Tullius Cicero was born into an equestrian family outside of Rome in 106 BCE and reached the height of his power as consul in 63, the same year that he delivered his four speeches against Catiline. Roman citizens were assigned by a censor into one of three classes: the vast lower class was called plebeian, while those who met high financial qualifications were grouped as equestrian or, if elected to office, senatorial. Every day Cicero was reminded of his status and the status of those around him. A narrow one-inch stripe on his clothing distinguished him from the plebeians, while a broad three-inch stripe on the clothing of the senatorial class set them apart from Cicero and his family.

While many of Cicero's peers in the senatorial class sought out military service and served in the leadership staff with increasing levels of responsibility, Cicero completed a short stint in the military in 89 and pursued an education in law at Rome and in Greek philosophy and rhetoric in Athens and Rhodes respectively, where he learned to speak and read ancient Greek with increasing proficiency. Not until the age of 25 in 81 BCE did he deliver his first speech as an orator. In Rome, speaking in the courts was a combat sport. The orators who defended their clients were expected to entertain the crowd of bystanders, and those who gathered were allowed to applaud or jeer a speaker as loudly as they wished. The orators did not collect money for their services. Instead, they became patrons to their clients, and those who received help were expected to return the favor of legal protection by supporting the orator in the law courts or, if necessary, in elections.

Cicero's ability to draw on his education and hone his skills in the law courts allowed him to accumulate a large clientele, who in turn helped him win a series of elections. To become a consul, a Roman had to complete the *cursus honorum*, or “course of political offices,” all of which were unpaid, one-year positions that members of the senatorial class had to complete in succession in increasingly competitive elections. Cicero was elected as one of twenty quaestors, “financial administrators,” in 75 BCE (an office that automatically made him a senator for life), as one of eight praetors, “judges,” in 66, and finally as one of only two consuls, “commanders-in-chief,” in 63. Since most Romans of senatorial rank would attain only the quaestorship and spend a lifetime as non-speaking participants in the Senate, Cicero’s rise was notable. In fact, it was remarkable by Roman standards because it was so unusual for men from non-senatorial families to win the quaestorship. When Cicero finally won the consulship, he was the first Roman from an equestrian family to attain this office in 40 years. So extraordinary was this accomplishment that Romans called men such as Cicero a *novus homo*, or “New Man” and Cicero acknowledges his unique position within the speech (XI.28).

It is with a view both to Cicero’s skill and to his position as *novus homo* that we should read Cicero’s rhetorical challenge within the *First Catilinarian*. Since a discussion of Catiline and his fellow conspirators lies outside the scope of this short introduction, I encourage readers to consult an advanced level commentary or the wealth of resources available online. On a final note, however, I advise readers not to limit their reading simply to features of Cicero’s rhetorical style: the various stylistic devices, the frequent parallelism, and lengthy periodic sentences. These are all certainly worthy of great attention, but Cicero’s skill does not end there. Cicero faces uncertain audiences (plural!) in the Senate—some senators are conspirators, others are not, some implicitly distrust Cicero as a *novus homo*, others are unwilling to condemn a fellow senator without evidence, and then there is Catiline, whom Cicero first wishes to kill and later must persuade to leave. If Cicero were speaking to a sympathetic audience, this speech would be unnecessary. Cicero is not pursuing a single purpose with a single audience. Instead, he adapts his position and addresses different audiences at different points in the speech in an effort to win their support.

The Life of Marcus Tullius Cicero

B.C.E. age

- 106 born in an equestrian family on January 3rd at Arpinum
- 90 16 studies under Q. Mucius Scaevola
- 89 17 serves briefly in Social war under Pompeius Strabo, father of Pompey the Great
- 88 18 studies philosophy and rhetoric under Philo and Molo, respectively, in Rome
- 81 25 first extant Speech (*Pro P. Quinctio*)
- 79-78 27-8 studies philosophy and rhetoric at Athens and Rhodes
- 77 29 returns to Rome, marries Terentia
- 75 31 **quaestorship** in Sicily, enrolls as senator
- 70 36 impeaches Verres for corruption in Sicily (*In C. Verrem*)
- 69 37 curule **aedileship**
- 66 40 **praetorship**, first political speech (*De Imperio Cn. Pompei*)
- 63 43 **consulship; delivers the four Catilinarian speeches against Catiline**
- 62 44 speech in favor of Archias (*Pro Archia*)
- 61 45 witness again Clodius on trial for sacrilege, incurs Clodius' hatred
- 58-57 48-9 exiled from March 58 to September 57, eighteen months
- 55 51 begins works on oratory with *De Oratore*
- 54 52 begins political philosophy with *De Republica*
- 53 53 succeeds Crassus' son as augur
- 51 55 **proconsulship** in Cilicia (southern coast of Asia Minor)
- 50 56 returns to Italy on the eve of civil war between Pompey and Caesar
- 49 57 joins Pompey in Greece after Caesar crosses Rubicon
- 48 58 after Pompey's defeat at Pharsalus, returns to Italy
- 46 60 divorces Terentia, marries Publilia, continues works on oratory
- 45 61 death of daughter Tullia; writes several works of philosophy
- 44 62 Gaius Julius Caesar assassinated, Gaius Octavius (Octavian) is named heir
- 43 63 delivers the remainder of the 14 Phillipics again Marc Antony
after the formation of the second Triumvirate (Antony, Lepidus, Octavian)
- 43 63 murdered by Marc Antony's orders on Dec. 7th near his villa at Formiae

Chronology of the Conspiracy According to Cicero

date	Consuls	Catiline	Cicero
66	L. Volcatius Tullus M. Aemilius Lepidus	Catiline canvasses for the consulship and is accused of extortion by Publius Clodius. Catiline is defeated in election for consulship and forms a league with Autronius and Piso. First conspiracy.	Cicero is elected as praetor.
65	L. Manlius Torquatus L. Aurelius Cotta	Catiline plans to slay the new consuls on the Kalends of January. The plot is discovered and delayed to February. Catiline gives the signal too soon and his plans frustrated.	
64	L. Julius Caesar C. Marcus Figulus	On the Kalends of June, Catiline meets his associates for a second conspiracy. Eleven senators, four knights, and many distinguished men assemble. Catiline again is defeated in election as consul..	
63	M. Tullius Cicero C. Antonius Hybrida	Catiline accused by Lucullus of murder. Catiline is once again defeated (by Cicero) in election as consul. Oct. 23 rd : Catiline accused under <i>Lex Plautia de vi</i> by Lucius Paulus. Oct. 27 th : Manlius takes up arms in Etruria. Oct. 28 th : Day appointed by Catiline for the murder of the leading senators. Nov. 1 st : Catiline endeavors to take Praeneste by a night attack. Nov. 6 th : Catiline assembles his friends at house of Laeca. Nov. 7 th : Vargunteius and Cornelius attempt and fail to assassinate Cicero. Nov. 8 th : Catiline leaves Rome. Nov. 20 th : A decree passed declaring Catiline and Manlius public enemies. Dec. 2 nd : The ambassadors of the Allobroges (Gauls) are seized with documents proving the conspiracy.	Oct. 20 th : Cicero convenes the Senate and reveals the plans of the conspirators. The election for 62 BCE consuls is delayed. Oct. 21 st : Letters brought by Crassus threaten danger to the State. The Senate convenes in the temple of Concord and passes a <i>senatus consultum ultimum</i> . Oct 22 nd : Licinius Murena and D. Junius Silanus are elected consuls. Nov. 8 th : 1 st Catilinarian delivered in the temple of Jupiter Stator. Nov. 9 th : 2 nd Catilinarian delivered from the rostra to the people. Dec. 3 rd : 3 rd Catilinarian from the rostra to the people. Rewards are offered to all who inform on the conspiracy. Dec. 5 th : 4 th Catilinarian from the temple of Concord. Senate decrees that the death penalty should be imposed on the conspirators. Five conspirators are put to death by Cicero's order. Many senators are tried under the law <i>Lex Plautia de vi</i> and exiled.
62	D. Junius Silanus L. Licinius Murena	Jan. 5 th : Battle of Pistoria: defeat and death of Catiline.	

adapted from *First Oration of Cicero Against Catiline* by John Henderson (1886)

How to Use this Commentary

Research shows that, as we learn how to read in a second language, a combination of reading and direct vocabulary instruction is statistically superior to reading alone. One of the purposes of this book is to help readers identify the most frequent words and encourage active acquisition of vocabulary.

1. Skim through the book and familiarize yourself with information boxes and the glossary.

Familiarity with these boxes will help relieve anxiety and enhance your enjoyment as you read.

2. Develop a regimen for memorizing vocabulary before you begin reading.

A. First, master the running core vocabulary listed on the following four pages. Although very many core words (5 or more times) come within the first few lessons of the book (75% are found in the first 8 lessons), readers have already learned most of these words in earlier levels of Latin and can devote their efforts to mastering the handful of new vocabulary that they encounter.

B. Develop the habit of reviewing dictionary entries before you read. The presence of the corresponding vocab lists (4 or fewer times) gives readers and instructors several options for review. In a classroom, teachers may select words from each lesson that they want students to review for a prereading exercise or post-reading test. Teachers may also ask students to memorize the entire vocabulary for the lesson as a homework assignment and use the next class as an opportunity to assess mastery and sight-read the reading passage. For readers who find such an exercise impractical, I recommend that you review the word list however briefly before you read.

3. Read actively and make lots of educated guesses

Develop the habit of making an educated guess under your breath before you consult notes or dictionary entries. If you answer correctly, you will reaffirm your understanding of the Latin. If you answer incorrectly, you will become more aware of your weaknesses and therefore more capable of correcting them in the future. If you are honest, you will learn from your mistakes.

4. Take full advantage of both the continuous prose and outline formats of the text as you read.

A. Note the advantage of the continuous prose. One advantage of the continuous prose is that it allows all vocabulary and many of the grammatical notes to be included below on the same page. Readers may wish to use this format during their initial reading of Cicero because it is so easy to glance quickly at the vocabulary and notes and continue reading the text.

B. Recognize the benefits of the visual cues in the outline format. Initially, readers have a tendency to treat Latin as a puzzle and jump around the sentence from subject to verb to object and so forth. But this approach proves to be both frustrating and unnatural when reading Cicero's prose, where the vocabulary and grammar are very accessible, but Cicero's use of parallelism and long periodic sentences (with the verb packing the punch at the end!) are difficult to interpret. The purpose of the outline format is to provide readers with enough visual cues about the structure of the sentence that they will feel emboldened to read the text in natural word order. Reading in Latin word order is a lot of fun, and with persistence it is very satisfying.

5. Reread a passage or lesson immediately after you have completed it.

Repeated readings not only help you commit Latin to memory but also increase your ability to read the Latin as Latin. You learned to read in your first language through repeated readings of the same books. Latin is no different. The more comfortable you are with older passages the more easily you will read new ones. If you read the continuous prose first, reread in the outline format.

6. Reread the most recent passage or lesson immediately before you begin a new one.

This additional repetition will strengthen your ability to recognize vocabulary, forms, and syntax quickly, bolster your confidence, and most importantly provide you with much-needed context as you begin the next selection in the text.

Running Core Vocabulary (5 or more times)

The following list includes all words in the speech that occur five or more times arranged in a running vocabulary list. The number in the left column indicates in which lesson the word first occurs. The number at the end of the entry indicates how many times the word occurs in the speech. These same dictionary entries are found in the commentary (pp. 2-71) only once—on the first page where they occur—and are otherwise missing from the book.

- 1 **ad:** to, toward, 49
- 1 **agō, agere, ēgī, āctum:** to drive, lead, spend, 5
- 1 **audācia, -ae f.:** boldness, daring, arrogance, 5
- 1 **bonus, -a, -um:** good, kind(ly), noble, useful 8
- 1 **Catilīna, -āe f.:** Catiline, L. Sergius Catalina, 25
- 1 **coniūrātio, -ōnis f.:** conspiracy, pact, union, 6
- 1 **cōnsilium, -ī n.:** plan, advice; council, assembly 8
- 1 **diū:** a long time, long, 11
- 1 **etiam:** besides, also, even, 20
- 1 **furor, -ōris m.:** madness, frenzy, rage, 5
- 1 **habeō, habēre, habuī, habitum:** have, hold; consider, 6
- 1 **hic, haec, hoc:** this, these, 62
- 1 **iam:** now, already, soon, 36
- 1 **iste, ista, istud:** that (of yours), those 20
- 1 **nihil:** nothing, 11
- 1 **nōn:** not, by no means, not at all, 66
- 1 **nōs:** we, 12
- 1 **noster, nostra, nostrum:** our, 9
- 1 **nox, noctis, f.:** night, 7
- 1 **omnis, omne:** every, all, 27
- 1 **praesidium, -iī n.:** guard, garrison, protection, 7
- 1 **quam:** *adv.* as, how, than, 12
- 1 **quis? quid? (qui, quae, quod):** who? what?, who, which, 110
- 1 **quō:** (to) where, 5
- 1 **sē:** himself, herself, itself, themselves, 10
- 1 **senātus, -ūs m.:** senate, council of elders, 16
- 1 **sentiō, sentīre, sēnsī, sēnsum:** to feel, perceive, realize 10
- 1 **sum, esse, fuī, futūrum:** to be, 106
- 1 **superus, -a, -um:** upper, higher, above, 5
- 1 **tandem:** finally, at last, at length, in the end, 6
- 1 **tū:** you, 107
- 1 **tuus, -a, -um:** your, yours, 44
- 1 **urbs, urbīs, f.:** city, 21
- 1 **videō, vidēre, vīdī, vīsum:** see, watch, 28
- 2 **ac:** and, and also, 25

- 2 **autem:** however, moreover, 6
- 2 **caedēs, caedis f.:** murder, slaughter, killing 7
- 2 **cōsul, -is m.:** consul, 20
- 2 **et:** and, also, even, 54
- 2 **faciō, facere, fēcī, factum:** make, do, 15
- 2 **fortis, -e:** strong, brave, valiant, 5
- 2 **in:** in (+ abl.) , into (+ acc.), 68
- 2 **intellegō, -ere, -lēxī, -lēctum:** to realize, understand, 5
- 2 **mors, mortis, f.:** death, 6
- 2 **oculus, -ī, m.:** eye, 5
- 2 **pestis, -is f.:** plague, pest, 5
- 2 **pūblicus, -a, -um:** public, common, 38
- 2 **rēs, reī, f.:** thing, matter, affair, business, 45
- 2 **sī:** if (only), whether, in case that, 40
- 2 **tamen:** nevertheless, however, 6
- 2 **tempus, -poris n.:** time, 7
- 2 **ūnus, -a, -um:** one, 10
- 2 **veniō, venīre, vēnī, ventum:** come, go, 9
- 2 **vērus, -a, -um:** true, real, honest, 17
- 2 **vir, virī m.:** man, 9
- 2 **vīvō, vīvere, vīxi, vīctum:** live, 10
- 3 **atque:** and, and also, and even, 23
- 3 **auctōritās, -tātis f.:** authority, influence, 7
- 3 **cīvis, -is m/f:** citizen, fellow citizen, 17
- 3 **dīcō, dīcere, dīxi, dictum:** say, speak, tell, call, 15
- 3 **gravis, -e:** heavy, serious, severe; venerable, 6
- 3 **hostis, -is m./f.:** stranger, enemy, foe, 7
- 3 **ille, illa, illud:** that (famous); he, she, it, 16
- 3 **interficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum:** kill, slay, 12
- 3 **manus, manūs, f.:** hand, band (i.e. group), 9
- 3 **neque:** and not, neither...nor, 11
- 3 **prīvātus, -a, -um:** private citizen, 6
- 3 **supplicium, -iī n.:** punishment, supplication, 5
- 3 **suus, -a, -um:** his, her, its, their (own), 5
- 3 **ut (utī):** so that, in order that; as, when; 35
- 4 **cum:** with (+ abl.); when, since, although, 42
- 4 **diēs, -ēī m./f.:** day, time, season, 11
- 4 **Gāius (C.), -iī m.:** Gaius, 5
- 4 **māiōrēs, -um m.:** ancestors, “greater” ones, 5
- 4 **Marcus (M.), -ī m.:** Marcus, 6

- 4 **nē:** lest, that not, no, not, 7
- 4 **nūllus, -a, -um:** none, no, no one, 9
- 4 **num:** surely...not? (anticipates a no reply), 7
- 4 **pater, patris m.:** father, 7
- 4 **quīdam, quaedam, quiddam:** certain, a certain 6
- 4 **sum, esse, fuī, futūrum:** to be, 106
- 5 **at:** but; mind you; but, you say, 5
- 5 **conscriptus, -a, -um:** conscripted, enrolled, 6
- 5 **ego:** I, 55
- 5 **enim:** (yes) for, (yes) indeed, (postpositive) 8
- 5 **ex, ē:** out from, from, out of (+ abl.), 10
- 5 **ipse, ipsa, ipsum:** -self; the very, 10
- 5 **is, ea, id:** this, that; he, she, it, 25'
- 5 **patior, patī, passus sum:** suffer, allow, endure, 6
- 5 **perīculum, -ī n.:** risk, danger, peril, 7
- 5 **sed:** but, moreover, however, 19
- 5 **tantus, -a, -um:** so great, so much, so large, 12
- 6 **ā, ab, abs:** from, away from; by, 35
- 6 **castra, -ōrum n.:** camp, encampment, 5
- 6 **dē:** down from, from, about, concerning (abl.), 11
- 6 **improbus, -a, -um:** wicked, base, dishonest, 5
- 6 **Ītalia, -ae f.:** Italy, 6
- 6 **nēmō:** no one, 7
- 6 **perdō, perdere, perdidī, perditum:** lose, ruin, destroy, 5
- 6 **possum, posse, potuī:** be able, can, avail, 19
- 6 **Rōmānus, -a, -um:** of Rome, Roman, 7
- 6 **tam:** so, so much, so very, such, 14
- 7 **domus, -ūs f.:** house, home (domī: at home), 8
- 7 **exspectō (1):** look for, await, wait for, exspect, 5
- 7 **ita:** so, thus, 5
- 7 **mēns, mentis, f.:** mind, thought, intention, 5
- 7 **meus, -a, -um:** my, mine, 16
- 7 **multus, -a, -um:** much, many, abundant, 14
- 7 **nefārius, -a, -um:** wicked, unrighteous, 5
- 7 **nunc:** now, at present, 8
- 8 **ante:** before, in front of (+ acc.); adv. before, 6
- 8 **īdem, eadem, idem:** the same, 10
- 8 **Kalendae (Kal.), -ārum f.:** Kalends 5
- 8 **modo:** only, (just) now; if only, provided that, 7
- 9 **salūs, -ūtis f.:** safety, security, health, 6

- 9 **scelus, -eris n.**: wickedness, villainy, crime, 11
- 10 **vōx, vōcis, f.**: voice, 7
- 11 **proficīscor, proficīscī, profectus sum**: set out, depart, 6
- 11 **summus, -a, -um**: highest, top of, 7
- 12 **ferō, ferre, tulī, lātum**: bear, endure, carry, 8
- 12 **magnus, -a, -um**: great, large, tall; important, 5
- 12 **metus, -ūs f.**: dread, fear, 7
- 13 **homō, -inis m./f.**: man, mortal, human, 8
- 13 **quamquam**: and yet; although, 5
- 13 **saepe**: often, 5
- 14 **exsilium, -īī n.**: banishment, exile, 7
- 14 **vīta, -ae, f.**: life, 9
- 15 **aut**: or (aut...aut – either...or), 14
- 16 **fortūna, -ae f.**: fortune, chance, luck, 5
- 16 **-ne**: (introducing a yes/no question), 9
- 17 **aliquī, -qua, -quod**: some, any, definite, 5
- 18 **animus, -ī m.**: spirit, soul, breath, courage, 5
- 18 **dēbeō, dēbēre, dēbuī, dēbitum**: to ought, owe, 6
- 18 **eō, īre, īvī, itum**: to go, come, 5
- 18 **loquor, loquī, locūtus sum**: speak, say, 6
- 18 **putō, putāre, putāvī, putātum**: to think, imagine, 5
- 19 **patria, -ae f.**: fatherland, country, 6
- 20 **sōlus, -a, -um**: alone, only, lone, sole, 5
- 21 **optimus, -a, -um**: best, noblest, finest, 5
- 24 **invidia, -ae f.**: hatred, ill-will, unpopularity, 11
- 25 **bellum, -ī, n.**: war, 6

Abbreviations

abs.	absolute	imper.	imperative	pass	passive
acc.	accusative	ind.	indirect	pf.	perfect
act.	active	indic.	indicative	plpf.	pluperfect
adj.	adjective	i.o.	indirect object	pred.	predicate
adv.	adverb	inf.	infinitive	prep.	preposition
app.	appositive	inter.	interrogative	pres.	present
comp.	comparative	l.	line	pron.	pronoun
dat.	dative	ll.	lines	reflex.	reflexive
dep.	deponent	m.	masculine	rel.	relative
disc.	discourse	n.	neuter	s, sg.	singular
d.o.	direct object	nom.	nominative	seq.	sequence
f.	feminine	obj.	object	subj.	subject or
fut.	future	p. pl.	plural		subjunctive
gen.	genitive	PPP	perfect passive	superl.	superlative
imp.	imperative	participle		voc.	vocative
impf.	imperfect	pple.	participle		

1s, 2s, 3s 1st, 2nd 3rd person singular 1p, 2p, 3p 1st, 2nd 3rd person plural

Citations: There are two ways to cite passages in Cicero's *First Catilinarian*. The traditional system divides the speech into thirteen chapters marked by Roman numerals (I-XIII), here in the left margin. The new system divides the text into thirty-three paragraphs, marked with Arabic numerals (1-33) which this commentary places within the text itself. Every Latin edition adopts one or both of these systems. Thus, the heading *1st Catilinarian II.4* indicates that the passage is in chapter two of the old system or paragraph four of the new system.

Additional Resources

Cicero: Catilinarians (2008) by Andrew Dyck is an advanced level commentary in the Cambridge Greek and Latin Series (green and yellow volumes). This commentary includes a revised text and notes for all four Catilinarian speeches with a concise discussion of the background of the conspiracy and reception of the work through time.

O Tempora! O Mores! Cicero's Catilinarian Orations, A Student Edition with Historical Essays (2005) by Susan Shapiro is a student commentary that covers all four Catilinarian speeches with two very accessible essays on the historical period between the Gracchi and Sulla and the conspiracy itself.

“Cicero’s Construction of Consular Ethos in the First Catilinarian,” (1994) TAPA 124 by William Batstone and “Self-Restraint, Invective, and Credibility in Cicero’s First Catilinarian Oration” (2007) AJP 128 by Christopher Craig are two highly recommended scholarly articles for readers who wish to delve more deeply into recent secondary literature. Both articles are thoughtful and well-written.

If truth were self evident, eloquence would be unnecessary.

- Cicero, *De Oratore* III.215

To make the ancients speak, we must feed them with our own blood.

- von Wilamowitz-Moellendorff

I 1. Quō usque tandem abūtēre, Catilīna, patientiā nostrā? Quam diū etiam 1
furor iste tuus nōs ēlūdet? Quem ad finem sēsē effrēnāta iactābit audācia?
Nihilne tē, nocturnum praesidium Palātī, nihil urbis vigiliae, nihil timor
populī, nihil concursus bonōrum omnium, nihil hic mūnītissimus habendī
senātūs locus, nihil hōrum ūra vultūsque mōvērunt? Patēre tua cōnsilia nōn 5
sentīs, cōstrictam iam hōrum omnium scientiā tenērī coniūrātiōnem tuam
nōn vidēs? Quid proximā, quid superiōre nocte ēgerīs, ubi fuerīs, quōs
convocāverīs, quid cōnsilī cēperīs, quem nostrum ignōrāre arbitrāris? 8

abūtor, -ūtī, -usus sum: abuse, use up (abl)

ad: to, toward, 48*

agō, agere, ēgī, āctum: to drive, lead, spend, 5*

arbitrō, -ārī, arbitrātūs sum: to judge, think, 2

audācia, -ae f.: boldness, daring, arrogance, 5*

bonus, -a, -um: good, kind(ly), noble, useful 8*

capiō, capere, cēpī, captūm: to seize, take (up) 2

Catilīna, -āe f.: Catiline, L. Sergius Catalina, 25*

concursus, -ūs m.: running together, gathering

coniūrātio, -ōnis f.: conspiracy, pact, union, 6*

cōnsilium, -ī n.: plan, advice; council, 8*

cōnstringō, -ere, -strinxī, -strictum: bind,
restrain

convocō (1): call together, assemble, summon

diū: a long time, long, 11*

effrēnātūs, -a, -um: unbridled, unrestrained, 2

ēlūdō, -ere, ēlūdī, ēlūsum: mock, make sport of
etiam: besides, also, even, 20*

finis, -is m./f.: end, limit, border, boundary

furor, -ōris m.: madness, frenzy, rage, 5*

habeō, -ere, habuī, -itus: have, hold; consider, 6*

hic, haec, hoc: this, these, 62*

iactō (1): toss, buffet; vaunt, boast, 2

iam: now, already, soon, 36*

ignōrō (1): be ignorant of

iste, ista, istud: that (of yours), those 20*

locus, -ī m.: place, situation; opportunity, 2

moveō, movēre, mōvī, mōtūm: to move, arouse

muniō, -īre, -īvī (īī), -itus: fortify

nihil: nothing, 11*

nocturnus, -a, -um: nocturnal, by night, 2

nōn: not, by no means, not at all, 66*

nōs: we, 12*

nōster, nostra, nostrūm: our, 9*

nox, noctis, f.: night, 7*

omnis, omne: every, all, 27*

ōs, ūris n.: mouth, face

Palātium, -ī n.: Palatine

pateō, -ere, -uī: lie open, extend, 2

patientia, -ae f.: patience, endurance, 2

populus, -ī m.: people, nation, 4

praesidium, -ī n.: guard, garrison, protection, 7*

proximus, -a, -um: nearest, 3

quam: than (comp.), as...as possible (superl.) 11*

quis? quid? (quī, quae, quod): who? what?,
who, which, 110*

quō: (to) where, 5*

scientia, -ae f.: knowledge, wisdom, skill

sē: himself, herself, itself, themselves, 10*

senātūs, -ūs m.: senate, council of elders, 16*

sentīō, -īre, sēnsī, sēnsum: to feel, perceive, 10*

sum, esse, fuī, futūrum: to be, 106*

superus, -a, -um: upper, higher, above, 5*

tandem: finally, at last, at length, in the end, 6*

teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentūm: to hold, keep, 3

timor, -oris m.: fear, dread, anxiety, 3

tū: you, 107*

tuus, -a, -um: your, yours, 44*

ubi: where, when, 2

urbs, urbis, f.: city, 21*

ūsque: all the way, continuously, as far as, 2

videō, -ere, vīdī, vīsum: see, watch, 28*

vigilia, -ae f.: watch (one of 4 periods at night), 2

vultus, -ūs m.: expression, countenance, face

1 **quō usque:** to what end?; ‘up to where...?’

tandem: May I ask?; ‘at last’ as often in
questions expressing surprise or impatience

abūtēre: abūtēris, 2s fut. deponent + abl.

quam diū: (for) how long?; quam is an adv.

etiam: still

2 **iste tuus:** that...of yours

ēlūdet: fut.

quem ad finem: to what end...?

sēsē...iactābat: boast itself; i.e. show off, make
a display; sēsē as emphatic form of reflexive sē

3 **nihilne...nihil...:** not at all...not at all...not at
all; **anaphora:** an adverbial acc. modifying the
verb mōvērunt; a stronger negative than nōn

- Quō usque tandem **abūtēre**, Catilīna, patientiā nostrā? 1
 Quam diū etiam furor iste tuus nōs **ēlūdet?** 2
 Quem ad fīnem sēsē effrēnāta **iactābit** audācia?
 Nihilne tē, nocturnum praesidium Palātī,
 nihil urbis vigiliae,
 nihil timor populī,
 nihil concursus bonōrum omnium,
 nihil hic mūnītissimus habendī senātūs locus,
 nihil hōrum ḫra vultūsque **mōvērunt?** 5
 [Patēre tua cōnsilia] nōn **sentīs**,
 [cōnstrictam iam hōrum omnium scientiā tenērī coniūrātiōnem tuam] nōn **vidēs?** 7
 Quid proximā, quid superiōre nocte ēgerīs,
 ubi fuerīs,
 quōs convocāverīs,
 quid cōnsilī cēperīs, 8
 [quem nostrum ignōrāre] **arbitrāris?**

3 **praesidium, vigiliae, timor, concursus, locus:**
asyndeton (the conjunctions *et* are omitted), all
 are subjects of the main verb *movērunt*.

4 **bonōrum omnium:** *of all noble men*; senators
habendī senātūs: *of holding the senate*; ‘of the
 senate (going) to be held;’ Perform a gerund-
 gerundive flip and translate this gen. noun +
 gen. gerundive is a gen. gerund + acc. object

5 **hōrum:** *of these men*; i.e. of the senators
ᬁra vultūsque: via metonymy, neut. pl. ora
 refers to ‘faces;’ via hendiadys these two terms
 refer to one object: ‘expressions of the faces’
patēre...cōnsilia: *that...;* ind. disc., cōnsilia is
 neut. pl. acc. subject

6 **cōnstrictam...tuam:** *that...;* ind. disc., the acc.

subj. is *coniūrātiōnem tuam*

hōrum omnium: i.e. senators, with scientiā

7 **quid...ēgerīs...fuerīs...cēperīs:** 2s pf. subj. in
 a series of indirect questions governed by
ignōrāre. Translate in the pf. ind. tense.

prōximā (nocte)...superiōre nocte: *on the last
 night...on the night before last*; ‘nearest night’
 and ‘previous night’ abl. time when (Nov 6-7)

ēgerīs: *you did*; 2s pf. subj. agō, agere

8 **quid cōnsilī:** *what (of a) plan*: appositional gen.
quem nostrum: *which of us*: ‘whom of us’
 acc. subject of *ignōrāre* in ind. disc. governed
 by *arbitrāris*; nostrum is partitive gen. pl. of nōs
 and not from the possessive noster, -ra, -rum)

9 **arbitrāris:** 2s pres. deponent

Indirect Discourse: accusative subject + infinitive

There are only two instances of this construction in secondary sequence (see p. 23), the rest are in primary sequence. Therefore, always translate the infinitive in the tense in which you find it.

present dīcit...omnēs tē **vidēre**

I say that all see you

perfect ...omnēs tē **vīdisse**

that all saw you

future ...omnēs tē **visūrōs esse**

that all will see you

...tē ab omnibus **vidērī**

that you are seen by all

...tē ab omnibus **visum esse**

that you were seen by all

2. Ō tempora, ō mōrēs! Senātus haec intellegit, cōnsul videt; hic tamen 1
vīvit. Vīvit? Immō vērō etiam in senātum venit, fit pūblicī cōnsilī particeps,
notat et dēsignat oculīs ad caedem ūnum quemque nostrum.

Nōs autem, fortēs virī, satis facere reī pūblicae vidēmur, sī istīs furōrem
ac tēla vitāmus. Ad mortem tē, Catilīna, dūcī iussū cōnsulis iam prīdem 5
oportēbat, in tē cōnferrī pestem quam tū in nōs omnēs iam diū māchināris.

ac: and, and also, 25*

autem: however, moreover, 6*

caedēs, caedis f.: murder, slaughter, killing 7*

cōferō, -ferre: bring (together); defer, postpone 3

cōnsul, -is m.: consul, 20*

dēsignō (1): mark out, point out, designate, 3

dūcō, -ere, dūxi, ductum: to lead, draw, 2

et: and, also, even, 54*

faciō, -ere, fecī, factum: make, do, 15*

fiō, fierī, factus: become, be made

fortis, -e: strong, brave, valiant, 5*

immō: nay (even), nay (rather); on the contrary

in: in (+ abl.), into (+ acc.), 68*

intellegō, -ere, -lēxi, -lēctum: to realize,

understand, 5*

iussū: by order, at the command, 3

māchinor, -āri, -ātus sum: contrive, devise

mors, mortis, f.: death, 6*

mōs, mōris m.: custom, manner, way; character, 3

nōtō (1): note, mark

Ō: O! oh! 3

oculus, -ī, m.: eye, 5*

oportet: it is proper, fitting, necessary; ought, 3

particeps, -cipis: participant, partner, sharer

pestis, -is f.: plague, pest, 5*

prīdem: long before, long ago, 4

pūblicus, -a, -um: public, common, 38*

quisque, quaeque, quidque: each one, every, 3

rēs, reī, f.: thing, matter, affair, business, 45*

satis: enough

sī: if (only), whether, in case that, 40*

tamen: nevertheless, however, 6*

telum, -ī n.: weapon, projectile, arrow, spear, 3

tempus, -poris n.: time, 7*

ūnus, -a, -um: one, 10*

veniō, -ire, vēnī, ventus: come, go, 9*

vērus, -a, -um: true, real, honest, 17*

vir, virī m.: man, 9*

vītō (1): avoid, evade, shun, 4

vīvō, vīvere, vīxi, vīctum: live, 10*

1 **Ō tempora, ō mōrēs!:** *O the times, O the conduct!*: acc. of exclamation; via hendiadys the two terms refer to one object: ‘the character of these times!’

haec: neuter acc. pl.

cōnsul: i.e. Cicero, who often refers to himself in the capacity of consul in the 3rd person
hic: i.e. Catiline; Cicero addresses the senate

2 **Immō vērō:** Yes, *in truth*; immō is used to counter and correct a point just made, while vērō is an abl. very often used as an adverb
etiam: even

venit, fit...notat: asyndeton, understand ‘et’ fit: *he becomes* + nom. pred.

3 **ad caedam:** *for...*; ad + acc. expressing purpose
ūnum quemque: acc. sg. quisque, ‘each;’ the -que, here, is not the conjunction ‘and’

nostrum: *of...*; partitive gen. pl. of nōs, not from the possessive adj. noster

4 **fortēs virī:** in apposition to nōs; Cicero is being sarcastic because the behavior is cowardly

reī pūblicāe: *for...*; dat. sg. of interest

vidēmus...sī vitāmus: simple pres. condition (sī pres. ind., pres. ind.); translate in the present

vidēmur: *we seem*; common translation for the passive of videō; used frequently in the speech

istīs: gen. sg. of demonstrative *iste*; = Catiline

5 **iam prīdem:** *long before now*

6 **tē dūcī...oportēbat:** *it was appropriate long before now that you...*; or ‘you ought...to have been...’ an impersonal verb governing an acc. + inf. (dūcī is pres. pass. inf. and tē is acc. subj); oportet is used 3 times in the past tense with the sense of “it was (and still is) appropriate that...”

(et) in tē conferrī pestem: *(and) that...*;

asyndeton, 2nd acc. + inf. governed by oportēbat pestem is acc. subj. of pres. pass. inf. conferrī

in tē: *upon...*; or ‘onto...’ acc. place to which

quam...māchināris: *which...*; 2s deponent

māchināris: *you have been...*; 2s pres. depon.

becomes pf. progressive before iam diū

in nōs omnēs: *upon...*; acc. place to which

Ō tempora, ō mōrēs!

1

Senātus haec **intellegit**,
cōnsul **videt**;
hic tamen **vīvit**.

Vīvit?

2

Immō vērō etiam in senātum **venit**,

fit pūblicī cōnsilī particeps,

notat et

dēsignat oculīs ad caedem ūnum quemque nostrum.

3

Nōs autem, fortēs virī, satisfacere reī pūblicae **vidēmur**,

sī istīus furōrem ac tēla vitāmus.

4

5

[Ad mortem tē, Catilīna, dūcī iussū cōnsulis] iam prīdem **oportēbat**,

6

[in tē cōferrī pestem] quam tū in nōs omnēs iam diū māchināris.

Iam diū, iam prīdem and iam dūdum

A combination of the adverbs above (and sometimes diū) with the present tense describe an action originating in the past and continuing in the present. Translate these verbs in the perfect progressive.

Iam diū ⁵	iam diū machināris	<u>for a long time now you have been devising</u>	p. 4, 38, 46, 66
Iam prīdem ⁴	iam prīdem studēs	<u>long before now you have been pursuing</u>	4, 18, 46, 54
Iam dūdum ¹	iam dūdum hortor	<u>for a little while now I have been urging</u>	28
diū ¹	nīmum diū dēsiderant	<u>for too long they have been longing for...</u>	24

Participles in Cicero

Cicero uses independent participles and participial phrases very sparingly in the speech and is four times more likely to use a relative clause. This is one feature that defines his style. If we put aside the 26 uses of the gerundive (see p. 11), Cicero uses participles and participial phrases only 25 times.

<u>present</u> ¹⁰	vidēns, vidēntis <i>seeing</i>	6, 12, 14, 28, 44, 46, 56, 64
<u>perfect</u> ¹⁵	visus, -a, -um <i>having been seen</i>	10, 14, 17, 30, 35, 37, 43, 44, 48, 50, 54, 63, 66, 70
<u>future</u> ^{0, 26}	visūrus, -a, -um <i>going to see</i>	videndus, -a, -um (gerundive) <i>going to be seen</i>

Uses of vērus, -a, -um¹⁷

Cicero uses the adjective *vērus*, ‘true,’ fourteen times as an adverb and only once as an adjective. Below is a summary of the various forms and translation of the word in the speech.

vērō ⁶	<i>indeed, in truth</i>	ablative as adverb and postpositive
vērum ⁹	<i>but</i>	adverbial accusative, a stronger adversative than sed
vērē ¹	<i>truly</i>	regular adverb

3. An vērō vir amplissimus, P. Scīpio, pontifex maximus, Ti. Gracchum 1
 mediocriter labefactantem statum reī pūblicae prīvātus interfēcit: Catilīnam
 orbem terrae caede atque incendiīs vāstāre cupientem nōs cōnsulēs
 perferēmus? Nam illa nimis antīqua praetereō, quod C. Servīlius Ahāla Sp.
 Maelium novīs rēbus studentem manū suā occīdit. Fuit, fuit ista quondam in 5
 hāc rē pūblicā virtūs ut virī fortēs ācriōribus suppliciīs cīvem perniciōsum
 quam acerbissimum hostem coercērent. Habēmus senātūs cōnsultum in tē,
 Catilīna, vehemēns et grave, nōn deest reī pūblicae cōnsilium neque
 auctōritās huius ūrdinis: nōs, nōs, dīcō apertē, cōnsulēs dēsumus. 9

- ācer, ācris, ācre:** sharp, fierce, harsh, bitter, 2
acerbus, -a, -um: bitter; severe, grievous
Ahāla, -ae f.: Ahala, C. Servilius Ahala
amplus, -a, -um: more, ample, full, spacious, 2
an: or, whether; (a new point) but, or perhaps, 4
antīquus, -a, -um: ancient, former, of old times 2
apertē: openly, plainly, clearly, 2
atque: and, and also, and even, 23*
auctōritās, -tatis f.: authority, influence, 7*
C.: Gaius, 4
cīvis, -is m/f: citizen, fellow citizen, 17*
coerceō, -ēre, -cuī: restrain, curb; correct, tame
cupiō, -ere, -īvī, -itum: desire, long for, 3
dēsum, -esse, -fuī: be lacking, fail (dat) 2
dīcō, -ere, dīxī, dictus: say, speak, tell, call, 15*
Gracchus, -i m.: Tiberius or Gaius Gracchus, 3
gravis, -e: heavy, serious, severe; venerable, 6*
hostis, -is m/f.: stranger, enemy, foe, 7*
ille, illa, illud: that (famous); he, she, it, 16*
incendium, -ii n.: burning fire, 4
interficiō, -ere, -fēci, -fectum: kill, slay, 12*
labefactō (1): cause to slip or totter, make fall
Maelius, -ii m.: Maelius, Spurius Maelius
manus, manūs, f.: hand, band (i.e. group), 9*
maximus, -a, -um: greatest
mediocriter: moderately, tolerably, ordinarily
nam: for, 2

- 1 **an vērō:** *but in truth*; a second of many adverbs formed from the abl. of vērus, ‘true’.
 2 **P. Scīpio:** see information box
prīvātus: *a private citizen*; i.e. not an official
labefactantem: *weakening*; pres. act. pple
 3 **orbem terrae:** *the world*; ‘the sphere of land(s)’
nōs cōsulēs: *we consuls*; subject and apposition
 4 **perferēmus:** fut.
illa...quod: *those things... (namely) that*; neuter acc. pl.; quod introduces a substantive quod

- neque:** and not, neither...nor, 11*
nimis: too much, too
novus, -a, -um: new, recent, novel, strange, 2
occīdō, -ere, occidī, occīsus: kill, cut down, 2
orbis, -is m.: sphere, orb (+ terrae: world, earth) 3
ordō, -inis m.: order, rank, line, 3
perferō, -ferre, -tuli, -lātus: bear, endure, betake
perniciōsus, -a, -um: destructive, ruinous, 4
Pontifex, -fīcis m.: priest, pontifex
praeter-eō, -īre, -īvī: pass over, pass by, go past
prīvātus, -a, -um: private citizen, 6*
Publius (P.), -ii m.: Publius, 2
quondam: formerly, once, 3
Scīpiō, -iōnis m.: Scipio
Servilius, -ii m.: Servilius, 2
Spurius (Sp.), -ii m.: Spurius
status, -ūs m.: state
studeō, -ēre, uī: be eager for, strive for, 2
supplicium, -ii n.: punishment, supplication, 5*
suus, -a, -um: his, her, its, their (own), 5*
terra, -ae f.: land, earth, 4
Tiberius (Ti.), -i m.: Tiberius
ut (utī): so that, in order that; as, when; 35*
vāstō (1): lay waste, destroy, devastate, 3
vehemēns, -entis: violent, vehement, strong, 4
virtūs, -ūtis f.: valor, manhood, excellence, 3

- clause (noun clause) in apposition to illa
 4 **praetereō:** *praeteritio*, a device where a speaker mentions a point by professing not to mention it
C. Servilius Ahāla: see box
 5 **novīs rēbus:** *revolution*; ‘new affairs,’ a idiom for political revolution; dat. obj of studeō
fuit, fuit: *there was...; anadiplosis*
ista...virtūs: *such courage*
ut...coercērent: *that...; impf. subj. of coerceō* in a result clause (ista is almost equiv. to talia)

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Tiberium Gracchum	
mediocriter labefactantem statum reī pūblicae	2
prīvātus interfecit:	
Catilīnam	
orbem terrae caede atque incendiīs vāstāre cupientem	3
nōs cōsulēs perferēmus?	4
Nam illa nimis antīqua praetereō,	
quod Gāius Servīlius Ahāla	
Spurium Maelium novīs rēbus studentem	5
manū suā occīdit.	
Fuit, fuit ista quondam in hāc rē pūblicā virtūs	6
ut virī fortēs ācriōribus suppliciīs	
cīvem perniciōsum quam acerbissimum hostem coercērent.	7
Habēmus senātūs cōnsultum in tē, Catilīna,	8
vehemēns et grave,	
nōn deest reī pūblicae cōnsilium	
neque auctōritās huius ōrdinis:	9
nōs, nōs, dīcō apertē, cōsulēs dēsumus.	

6 **ācriōribus...quam**: *with harsher...than; abl.*
means and adv. quam in a clause of comparison

7 **senātūs cōnsultum**: *resolution of the senate; a resolution on Oct. 21 that gave consuls power of martial law; senātūs is 4th decl. gen. sg.*
in tē: *against you*

8 **nōn cōnsilium, neque auctōritās**: both are

subjects of 3s dēsum

reī pūblicae: dat. of compound verb dēsum

9 **huius ōrdinis**: *of...; i.e. of the senatorial class*

nōs, nōs: *anadiplosis*

dīcō apertē: *parenthesis (parenthetical clause)*

cōsulēs: *in apposition to nom. pl. nōs*

Historical Precedent (1 of 2)

When **Tiberius Sempronius Gracchus**, (~169-133 BCE), an aristocrat who sought favor among the plebs, threatened to use the office of tribune to pass laws to redistribute land to the poor and remove privileges among senators, **Publius Cornelius Scipio Nasica Serapio** (~183-132) who was Pontifex Maximus at the time and had previously served as consul, led a mob that killed Gracchus and 300 supporters on the Capitoline Hill.

Gaius Servilius Ahala, according to Livy, served as Magister Equitum, second-in-command, under the Dictator Cincinnatus in 439 BC. At this time, there was a famine in Rome and great unrest between patricians and plebeians. A certain **Spurius Maelius** bought a large amount of grain at private expense and began selling it at a low price to the people. When Ahala summoned Maelius to appear before the Dictator and Maelius refused, Ahala killed Maelius with a dagger. While Cicero praises Ahala as a hero, Ahala was brought to trial and escaped punishment by voluntary exile.

II 4. Dēcrēvit quondam senātus utī L. Opīmius cōnsul vidēret nē quid rēs pūblica dētrīmentī caperet; nox nūlla intercessit; interfēctus est propter quāsdam sēditiōnum suspīciōnēs C. Gracchus, clārissimō patre, avō, maiōribus; occīsus est cum līberīs Marcus Fulvius cōnsulāris. Similī senātūs cōnsultō C. Mariō et L. Valeriō cōnsulib⁹ est permīssa rēs pūblica: num ūnum diem posteā Lūcium Sāturnīnum tribūnum plēbis et Gāium Serviliūm praeṭōrem mors ac reī pūblicae poena remorāta est? 1
5
7

avus, -ī m.: grandfather

C.: Gaius, 4

capiō, capere, cēpī, captum: to seize, take (up) 2

clārus, -a, -um: clear, famous, bright, loud, 3

cōnsulāris, -e: consular, of a consul, 3

cōnsultum, -ī n.: resolution, 3

cum: with (+ abl.); when, since, although, 42*

dēcernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētum: decide, resolve, 3

dētrīmentum, -ī n.: loss, damage, injury

diēs, -ēī m./f.: day, time, season, 11*

Fulvius, -īī m.: Fulvius

Gāius (C.), -īī m.: Gaius, 5*

Gracchus, -īī m.: Tiberius or Gaius Gracchus, 3

intercēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum: come between

līberī, -ōrum m.: children

Lūcius (L.), -īī m.: Lucius, 3

maiōrēs, -um m.: ancestors, “greater” ones, 5*

Marcus (M.), -īī m.: Marcus, 6*

Marius, -īī m.: Marius

nē: that not, not; that, lest, 7*

nūllus, -a, -um: none, no, no one, 9*

num: surely...not? (anticipates a no reply), 7*

occīdō, -ere, occidī, occīsus: kill, cut down, 2

Opīmius, -īī m.: Opimius

pater, patris m.: father, 7*

permittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missus: entrust (dat)

plēbs, plēbis f.: plebs, common people

poena, poenae, f.: punishment, 3

posteā: thereafter, afterwards, 2

praetor, -ōris m.: praetor, 3

propter: on account of, because of, 3

quīdam, quaēdam, quiddam: a certain 6*

quondam: formerly, once, 3

remoror, -ārī, -ātus sum: delay, linger, defer

Sāturnīnus, -īī m.: Saturninus, 2

sēditiō, -tiōnis f.: sedition, rebellion, insurrection

Serviliūs, -īī m.: Servilius, 2

similis, -is: like, similar, 2

sum, esse, fuī, futūrum: to be, 106*

suspīciō, -ōnis f.: suspicion, mistrust, 2

tribūnus, -a, -um: tribune, military tribune, 1

Valerius, -īī m.: Valerius

1 **ut...vidēret**: *that...see (to it) that...*; ind. command with impf. subj.; vidēret is equiv. to ‘bring it about...’

2 **nē...caperet**: *that...not...*; purpose clause with impf. subj. following vidērent

2 **quid...detrimenti**: *any (of) harm*; quis, quid becomes indefinite (any, some) before sī, nisi, num, and nē; here with a partitive gen.

3 **C. Gracchus**: Gaius Gracchus, younger brother of Tiberius and tribune proposed land form and the settlement of colonies to give relief to the urban poor. He and 3000 followers were killed in the streets by the senatorial class and their supporters.

clārissimō patre...maiōribus: *from a most distinguished...*; asyndeton, ‘(born) from...’ abl. of source following C. Gracchus; the pater is Tiberius, who was twice consul, and the avus is Scipio Africanus, who defeated Hannibal

4 **maiōribus**: *ancestors*; ‘greater (by birth)’ a common use of the comparative of magnus (et) **occīsus est...**: asyndeton, the subj. is Marcus Fulvius, a supporter of Gracchus

5 **Similī...cōnsultō**: *by...*; abl. means, similī is an i-stem 3rd decl. abl., senātūs is 4th decl. gen.

5 **C. Mariō...cōnsulib⁹**: *to...*; dat. ind. object of *permīssa est*; Marius and Lucius Valerius were consuls in 100 BC when Saturninus, a tribune of the plebs, and Gaius Servilius Glaucia, a praetor, proposed land reform

6 **num...?**: *Surely...not?* num introduces a question anticipating (and suggesting) a ‘no’ response.

6 **unum diem**: *for...*; acc. duration of time

7 **mors...poena**: hendiadys: punishment of death **reī pūblicae**: *(at the hands) of the republic*; reī pūblicae is a subjective gen., i.e. ‘the republic punished them’

Dēcrēvit quondam senātus 1
ut Lūcius Opīmius cōnsul vidēret
nē quid rēs pūblica dētrīmentī caperet; 2
nox nūlla intercessit:
interfectus est propter quāsdam sēditiōnum suspīciōnēs 3
Gāius Gracchus, clārissimō patre, avō, maiōribus;
occīsus est cum līberīs 4
Marcus Fulvius cōnsulāris.
Similī senātūs cōnsultō 5
Gāiō Mariō et Lūciō Valeriō cōnsulibus
est permissa rēs pūblica:
num ūnum diem posteā 6
Lūcium Sāturnīnum tribūnum plēbis
et Gāium Servilium praetōrem
mors ac reī pūblicae poena **remorāta est?** 7

Historical Precedent (2 of 2)

Gaius Sempronius Gracchus (154-121), brother of Tiberius, used the office of tribune in 123 and again in 122 to curtail the powers of magistrates, weaken the power of senators in the courts, and extend the sort of land reforms supported by his brother. **Marcus Fulvius** (consul in 125) was a longtime supporter of Gracchus and fellow tribune in 122. When both men were not elected for another term as tribune in 121, riots ensued, and the senate passed a *senatus consultum ultimum*, “final resolution of the senate,” to curtail the violence. **Lucius Opimius**, the consul in 121, interpreted the measure broadly and used his office to kill Gracchus, Fulvius, and 3000 supporters.

Gaius Gracchus’ father was Tiberius Sempronius Gracchus the Elder (217-154) who served as consul in 177. Gaius’ maternal grandfather was Publius Cornelius Scipio Africanus (236-183), the military leader who defeated Hannibal in the 2nd Punic war.

In 100 BC, when the tribune **Lucius Appuleius Saturninus** and praetor **Gaius Servilius Glaucia** sought to secure another term in office to pass reforms similar to those supported by the Gracchi brothers, the senate passed a *senatus consultum ultimum*, ‘final resolution of the senate’ and the consuls **Gaius Marius** and **Lucius Valerius Flaccus** killed both men along with many supporters in the area around the Roman Forum.

Yes/No Questions

nōnne³: anticipates and elicits a ‘yes’ response
are you not....? You are..., aren’t you?
num⁷: anticipates and elicits a ‘no’ response
surely...not? you aren’t..., are you?
just -ne⁶: yes/no question without anticipation
are you...?
(no word): expresses surprise *you are...?!*

After sī, nisi, num and nē, all the ali’s go away.

quis, quid translates as indefinite ‘any’ after the four words in the mnemonic above. Why?
aliquis, aliquid (alī- = alius) is an indefinite pronoun, ‘any(one/thing), some(one/ thing).’
After the four words above, the prefix ali- is dropped. If you encounter quis, quid after these four words, translate it as ‘any’ or ‘some.’

At nōs vicēsimū iam diem patimur hebēscere aciem hōrum auctōritātis. 1
 Habēmus enim eius modī senātūs cōnsultum, vērum inclūsum in tabulīs,
 tamquam in vāgīnā reconditum, quō ex senātūs cōnsultō cōnfestim tē
 interfēctum esse, Catilīna, convēnit. Vīvis, et vīvis nōn ad dēpōnendam sed
 ad cōfirmandam audāciam. Cupiō, patrēs cōscriptī, mē esse clēmentem, 5
 cupiō in tantīs reī pūblicae perīculīs nōn dissolūtum vidērī, sed iam mē ipse
 inertiae nēquitiæque condemnō. 7

aciēs, -ēī f.: sharp edge, battle line, army
at: but; mind you; but, you say, 5*
clēmēns, -entis: mild, gentle, kind
condemnō (1): condemn, convict
cōnfestim: immediately
cōfirmō (1): make strong, confirm, strengthen, 2
conscriptus, -a, -um: conscripted, enrolled, 6*
cōnsultum, -ī n.: resolution, 3
conveniō, -ire, -vēnī: come together; it is agreed 2
cupiō, -ere, -īvī, -ītum: desire, long for, 3
dēponō, -ere, -posuī, -positum: put down
dissolūtus, -a, -um: lax, remiss, negligent
ego: I, 55*
enim: (yes) for, (yes) indeed, (postpositive) 8*
ex, ē: out from, from, out of (+ abl.), 10*
hebēscō, -ere: grow blunt, grow dull

1 **vicēsimū diem**: *for...*; acc. duration of time actually, only 18 days since the *consultum*
patimur: *we allow*; ‘suffer,’ patior often governs an acc. + inf. construction; the 1p form refers to consuls Cicero and Antonius Hybrida
aciēm...auctōritātis: a metaphor likening power to a sword’s edge; auctōritātis is an appositional gen.
hōrum: i.e. of the senators; with auctōritātis
 2 **eius modī**: *of this type, of that kind*; gen. of quality modifying cōnsultum; when an adj., is, ea, id is a demonstrative equiv. to hic or ille
enim: *yes, for...*; or ‘indeed,’ a postpositive (comes 2nd in the sentence but translated 1st); enim is explanatory and affirmative. English prefers “yes, **for** we have,” (where ‘for’ is missing but understood) while Latin prefers ‘yes, **for** we have,’ (where ‘yes’ is understood)
vērum: *but*; ‘in truth’ a very common adverbial acc. (acc. as adverb), often adversative in sense
 3 **quō ex senātūs cōnsultō**: *from which...*; adjs. (here relative adj.) may precede a preposition **tē...interfēctum esse**: *that ...*; ind. disc. with pf. pass. inf., governed by convēnit

inclūdō, -ere, -sī, inclūsum: inclose, shut in 2
inertia, -ae f.: idleness, inertia, neglect, 2
ipse, ipsa, ipsum: -self; the very, 10*
is, ea, id: this, that; he, she, it, 25*
modus, ī m.: manner, king, way, mode, 3
nēquitia, -ae f.: worthlessness, badness, 2
patiōr, -ī, passus sum: suffer, allow, endure, 6*
periculum, -ī n.: risk, danger, peril, 7*
recondō, -ere, -didī, -ditum: hide, conceal
sed: but, moreover, however, 19*
tabula, -ae f.: tablet (of law), tablet, table
tamquam: as if, so as, as it were
tantus, -a, -um: so great, so much, so large, 12*
vāgīna, -ae f.: sheath, scabbard
vicēsimū, -a, -um: twentieth

4 **convēnit**: *it has been (for some time now) agreed that...*; pf., for something true in the past and now in the present (cf. oportēbat); an impersonal verb governing acc. + inf.
ad dēponendum...ad cōfirmandum: *for putting aside...for strengthening*; ‘for audacity (going) to be put aside and... (going) to be’; ad + noun + gerundive (fut. pass. pple) expressing purpose. Perform a gerund-gerundive flip and translate the acc. noun + gerundives as gerunds + acc. object (cf. Lesson 1, line 4)
vīvis, et vīvis: anadiplosis
 5 **cupiō...cupiō...condemnō**: tripartite sentence with the final verb providing a great punch.
patrēs cōscriptī: voc. direct address; a common address for senators
me esse....: *that...*; ind. disc. or a simple complementary inf. of cupiō (also true for l. 6)
 6 **dissolūtum**: acc. predicate adj. of vidērī
(mē) vidērī: *that (I) seem*,: ind. disc. with pass. inf.; vīdērī is linking and governs a predicate
(ego) ipse: *I myself*
 7 **inertiae nēquitiæque**: *for...*; a gen. of charge is common when making accusations

At nōs vicēsum iam diem	1
patimur hebēscere aciem hōrum auctōritātis.	
Habēmus enim eius modī senātūs cōsultum,	2
vērum inclūsum in tabulīs, tamquam in vāgīnā reconditum,	3
quō ex senātūs cōsultō	
[cōfestim tē interfectum esse], Catilīna, convēnit .	4
Vīvis , et vīvis	
nōn ad dēpōnendam	
sed ad cōfirmandam audāciam.	5
Cupiō , patrēs cōscriptī, [mē esse clēmentem],	
cupiō [in tantīs reī pūblicae perīculīs nōn dissolūtum vidērī],	6
sed iam mē ipse inertiae nēquitiaeque condemnō .	7

Gerundives

A **gerundive** is a future passive participle (.e.g. habendus, -a, -um) and, just as any adjective, agrees with a noun in case, number, and gender. Although a gerundive can be translated many ways, “going/about/worthy to be held” or “to be held,” we often perform a gerund-gerundive flip and translate it as a gerund (e.g. holding...) and make the noun modified by the gerundive the object of the gerund:

Flip		
habendī senātūs <i>for the senate (going) to be held</i>	→	habendī senātūm <i>for holding the senate</i> p. 3
ad audāciam cōfirmandam <i>for audacity (going) to be emboldened</i>	→	ad cōfirmandūm audāciam <i>for emboldening your audacity</i> 10

A **gerund** (e.g. habendī, -ō, -ūm, -ō) is a 2nd decl. neut. sg. verbal noun translated with –ing (e.g. *Running* is fun.) and may have an acc. object. There are only two examples in the speech (credendō, p. 64, vīvendum, p. 62). All the remaining –nd- forms are gerundives, often translated as gerunds.

Gerundives occur 26 times in the speech

genitive ¹	habendī senātūs	<i>for holding the senate</i>	p. 3
gen.+ causā ⁴	suī conservandī causā	<i>for the sake of saving themselves</i>	17, 34, 42
ad + acc. ¹¹	ad legēs neglegendās	<i>for neglecting the laws</i>	10, 40, 42, 56, 68

Passive Periphrastic¹⁰ (gerundive + sum) expresses obligation or necessity and governs a dative of agent. Note the raw and polished translations below:

	raw		polished
<u>verendum est mihi</u>	<i>it is going to be feared by me</i>	→	<i>it must be feared by me</i>
<u>verendum erat mihi</u>	<i>it was going to be feared by me</i>	→	<i>it had to be feared by me</i>
<u>verendum erit mihi</u>	<i>it will be going to be feared by me</i>	→	<i>it will have to be feared by me</i>

5. Castra sunt in Ītaliā contrā populum Rōmānum, in Etruriae faucibus 1
 collocāta, crēscit in diēs singulōs hostium numerus; eōrum autem castrōrum
 imperātōrem ducemque hostium intrā moenia atque adeō in senātū vidētis,
 intestīnam cotīdiē perniciem reī pūblicae mōlientem. Sī tē iam, Catilīna,
 comprehendī, sī interfici iusserō, crēdō, erit verendum mihi nē nōn hoc 5
 potius omnēs bonī sērius ā mē quam quisquam crūdēlius factum esse dīcat.
 Vērum ego hoc quod iam prīdem factum esse oportuit certā dē causā
 nōndum addūcor ut faciam. Tum dēnique interficiēre cum iam nēmō tam
 improbus, tam perditus, tam tuī similis invenīrī poterit quī nōn iūre factum
 esse fateātur.

10

- ā, ab, abs:** (away) from, out of, 36*
- addūcō, -ere, -duxī:** to prompt, lead to, bring, 2
- adeō:** so far, to such a degree, even, in fact, 2
- castra, -ōrum n.:** camp, encampment, 5*
- causa, ae f.:** reason, cause; case
- certus, -a, -um:** definite, sure, certain, reliable, 3
- collocō (1):** place together, arrange, set up
- comprehendō, -ere, -dī:** seize, arrest; grasp
- contrā:** opposite, facing (acc.); in response, 4
- cotīdiē:** daily, every day
- crēdō, -ere, -dīdī, -ditum:** believe, trust, 3
- crēscō, -ere, crēvī, crētum:** grow
- crūdēlis, -e:** cruel, severe, merciless, 2
- dē:** down from, from, about, concerning (abl.), 11*
- dēnique:** at last, finally, 4
- dux, ducis m./f.:** leader, guide, chieftain, 2
- Etrūria, -ae f.:** Etruria
- fateor, -ērī, fassus sum:** admit, confess, 2
- faucēs, -ium:** throat, jaws, (mountain) pass
- imperātor, -oris m.:** commander, leader, 3
- improbos, -a, -um:** wicked, base, dishonest, 5*
- intestīnus, -a, -um:** internal, civil, inner
- intrā:** within, among (+ acc.), 1
- inveniō, -ire, -vēnī, -ventum:** come upon, find

- 1 **sunt...collocāta:** conlocāta sunt; 3p pf. pass.;
 castra is neut. pl. but singular in sense
- 2 **in diēs singulōs:** each day, day by day
- hostium:** gen. pl., 3rd decl. i-stem noun
- eōrum...castrōrum:** of this camp; is, ea, id is often a demon. adj.; translate in the singular;
- castrōrum imperātōrem ducemque hostium:** chiasmus in arrangement (gen + acc, acc + gen)
- 4 **reī pūblicae:** for...; objective gen. (i.e. destroys the republic) or dat. of interest
- mōlientem:** pres. pple modifying ducem,

- Ītalia, -ae f.:** Italy, 6*
- iubeō, iubēre, iussī, iussum:** order, command, 4
- iūs, iūris n.:** justice, law, right, 3
- moenia, -ōrum n.:** walls (of a city) 3
- mōlier, -īrī, -ītus:** set in motion, devise, stir, 2
- nēmō:** no one, 7*
- nōndum:** not yet, 3
- numerus, -ī m.:** number, multitude, 3
- oportet:** it is proper, fitting, necessary; ought, 3
- perdō, -ere, perdidī, perditum:** lose, ruin, destroy, 5*
- perniciēs, -ēt f.:** destruction, disaster, ruin, 4
- populus, -ī m.:** people, nation, 4
- possum, posse, potuī:** be able, can, avail, 19*
- potius:** rather (comparative adv.) 3
- prīdem:** long before, long ago, 4
- quisquam, quidquam:** anyone, anything; any, 3
- Rōmānus, -a, -um:** of Rome, Roman, 7*
- sērius:** rather late, later, too late (comp. sērō)
- similis, -is:** like, similar to (+ gen. or dat.), 2
- singulus, -a, -um:** single, separate, one at a time
- tam:** so, so much, so very, such, 14*
- tum:** then, at that time, 4
- vereor, -ērī, -ītus:** be afraid, fear; revere, 3

perniciem is the obj. of the pple

sī...iūsserō...erit: If I order that..., it will...; a fut. more vivid condition (sī fut (pf.), fut. ind.). Translate the protasis (if-clause) in the present.

tē...comprehendī: that (you)...; pass. inf.

(tē) interfici: that (you)...; pass. inf. + acc. subj.

5 erit verendum mihi: I will have to fear...; or ‘it will have to be feared by me,’ lit. ‘it will be (going) to be feared by me;’ a passive periphrastic (gerundive + sum) here with fut. of sum expressing necessity with a dat. of agent

Castra sunt in Italiā contrā populum Rōmānum,	1
in Etruriae faucibus collocāta ,	2
crēscit in diēs singulōs hostium numerus;	
eōrum autem castrōrum imperātōrem ducemque hostium	3
intrā moenia atque adeō in senātū vidētis ,	
intestīnam cotīdiē perniciēm reī pūblicae mōlientem.	4
Sī [tē iam, Catilīna, comprehendī],	5
sī [interfici] iusserō ,	
crēdō, erit verendum mihi	
nē nōn [hoc potius omnēs bonī sērius ā mē	6
quam quisquam crūdēlius factum esse] dīcat.	
Vērum ego hoc [quod iam prīdem factum esse] oportuit	7
certā dē causā nōndum addūcor ut faciam.	8
Tum dēnique interficiēre	
cum iam nēmō tam improbus,	9
tam perditus,	
tam tuī similis invenīrī poterit	
quī [id nōn iūre factum esse] fateātur.	10

5 **nē nōn** hoc potius omnēs bonī sērius ā mē
 (factum esse dicant) quam quisquam (hoc)
crūdēlius factum esse dicat: *not that all good men (may say) that this (was done) by me too late but rather (that) anyone may say that (this) was done (by me) too cruelly; heavy ellipsis*
 and hard to interpret: a fearing clause with pres. subj. dīcat, and within the fearing clause is a clause of comparison introduced by nōn potius quam, ‘not rather X than Y’ or ‘not X but rather Y’ (nōn modifies the adv. potius)

hoc...factum esse (ā mē): *that this thing...;*
 ind. disc. with pf. pass. inf. governed by dīcat;
 hoc is neut. sg. acc. subject, and ā mē is an abl. of agent

6 **sērius...crūdēlius:** *too late...too cruelly;*
 comparatives, here adverbs, may be translated as ‘too X’ to express excess (i.e. ‘more late than usual, ‘more cruelly than usual’)

7 **vērum:** *but; ‘in truth’ a very common adverbial acc. (acc. as adverb), cf. L. 5, line 2*
hoc quod: *this thing which...;* hoc is the object of faciam and quod introduces a relative clause

oportuit: *it was appropriate long before now;* or ‘ought to have been done’ an impersonal pf. of oportet governing an acc. + inf. construction (factum esse is pf. pass. inf. and quod is acc. subj); note that oportuit is modified by iam prīdem just as oportēbat is in Lesson 2, l. 6

certā dē causā: *for a good reason; ‘for a reliable reason,’ explained in the next sentence*

8 **ut faciam:** *that...;* ind. command, 1s pres. subj.; addūcō, ‘to prompt,’ often governs an ind. command

interficiēre: *interficiēr(is); 2s fut. pass.*

9 **cum...poterit:** *when...;* cum + fut. ind. of possum in a definite temporal clause
tam...tam...tam: *anaphora*

tuī similis: *similar to you, like you;* similis governs a gen., here gen. sg. of tuī
invenīrī: *pres. pass. inf.*

10 **quī...fateātur:** *who...;* relative clause of result (quī is equiv. to ‘ut is’) with 3s pres. deponent subj.: translate in the pres. act.

iure: *lawfully; ‘by law,’ abl. as adverb*

id iure factum esse: *that it....;* id is acc. subj.

6. Quam diū quisquam erit quī tē dēfendere audeat, vīvēs, et vīvēs ita ut nunc
 vīvis, multīs meīs et firmīs praesidiīs obsessus nē commovēre tē contrā rem
 pūblicam possīs. Multōrum tē etiam oculī et aurēs nōn sentientem, sīcūt
 III adhūc fēcērunt, speculābuntur atque custōdient. Etenim quid est, Catilīna,
 quod iam amplius exspectēs, sī neque nox tenebrīs obscūrāre coetūs nefāriōs
 nec prīvāta domus parietibus continēre vōcēs coniūratiōnis tuae potest, sī
 illūstrantur, sī ērumpunt omnia? Mūtā iam tuam mentem, mihi crēde,
 oblīvīscere caedis atque incendiōrum. Tenēris undique; lūce sunt clāriōra
 nōbīs tua cōnsilia omnia, quae iam mēcum licet recōgnōscās.

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adhūc: yet, still, thus far**amplius, -a, -um:** more, ample, full, spacious, 2**audeō, -ere, ausus sum:** dare, venture, 4**auris, -is f.:** ear, attention, taste**clārus, -a, -um:** clear, famous, bright, loud, 3**coetus, -ūs m.:** gathering, meeting, 2**commoveō, -ere, -mōvī, mōtum:** trouble, upset, 3**contineō, -ere, -nuī, -tentum:** hold together, 3**contrā:** opposite, facing (acc.); in response, 4**crēdō, -ere, -didī, -ditum:** believe, trust (dat) 3**custōdiō, -ire, -ivī, -itum:** guard, defend, watch 2**dēfendō, -ere, -fendī, -fensus:** ward off, repel, 2**domus, -ūs f.:** house, home (domī: at home), 8***ērumpō, -ere, -rūpī, -mptum:** burst, break off, 2**etenim:** for truly, and indeed, 4**exspectō (1):** look for, await, wait for, exspect, 5***firmus, -a, -um:** strong, sturdy**illūstrō (1):** light up, make clear, reveal, 2**incendium, -iī n.:** burning fire, 4**ita:** so, thus, 5***licet, -ere, uit, itum:** be permitted**lūx, lūcis, f.:** light, 3**mēns, mentis, f.:** mind, thought, intention, 5***meus, -a, -um:** my, mine, 16***multus, -a, -um:** much, many, abundant, 14***mūtō (1):** change**nec:** and not, nor, 3**nefārius, -a, -um:** wicked, unrighteous, 5***nunc:** now, at present, 8***oblīviscor, -sci, oblītus sum:** forget (gen)**obscūrō (1):** hide, conceal**obsideō, -ere, -sēdī, -sessum:** besiege, beset, 3**paries, -etis m.:** wall, house walls, 2**quisquam, quidquam:** anyone, anything; any, 3**recōgnōscō, -ere, -nōvī, -gnitum:** review, recall 2**sīcūt:** just as as, so as**speculator, -ārī, -ātus sum:** spy out, watch**tenebrae, -ārum f.:** darkness**teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentum:** to hold, keep, 3**undique:** from everywhere, from or on all sides 2**vōcō (1):** call, name, address, summon1 **quam diū...erit:** as long as...; quam is a adv. introducing a temporal clause with fut. ind.**quī...audeat:** who might/would...; a relative clause of characteristic governing a pres. subj.**vīvēs:** 2s fut. vīvō**ut...vīvis:** as ...; 2s pres. ind., anadiplosis2 **obsessus:** PPP obsideō + abl. of means**nē...possīs:** so that you may not...; neg. purpose clause with 2s pres. subj. possum3 **multōrum:** modifying 2 subjects: oculī, aurēs
nōn sentientem: (although) not realizing it; the pple is concessive and modifies tē5 **quid est...quod:** what is it that...?; relative clause of characteristic with pres. subj.**amplius:** more, comparative adv.**neque nox...nec domus...potest:** neither

night...nor home is able; the verb is 3s potest

6 **sī (omnia) illūstrantur:** add omnia as subject7 **istam mentem:** that purpose of yours**mihi crēde:** imperative + dat. ind. obj.8 **oblīvīscere:** deponent sg. imperative; verbs of remembering and forgetting govern a gen.**tenēris:** 2s pres. passive**lūce:** than...; abl. of comparison**clāriōra:** comparative predicate adj.**nōbīs:** to...; dat. of reference (point of view)**mēcum:** cum mē9 **licet recognōscās:** you may recall...; ‘it is allowed, you should recall,’ impersonal licet + optative subj.; This old construction has 2 main verbs: (a) recognōscās is a not subordinate to licet and (b) there is no missing ut after licet.

Quam diū quisquam **erit** quī tē dēfendere audeat, 1
vīvēs,
 et **vīvēs** ita ut nunc vīvis, 2
 multīs meīs et firmīs praesidiīs obsessus
 nē commovēre tē contrā rem pūblicam possīs. 3

Multōrum tē etiam oculī et aurēs nōn sentientem,
 sīcut adhūc **fēcērunt,** 4
speculābuntur atque **custōdient.**

Etenim quid **est**, Catilīna, quod iam amplius exspectēs, 5
 sī neque nox tenebrīs obscūrāre coetūs nefāriōs
 nec prīvāta domus parietibus continēre 6
 vōcēs coniūrātiōnis tuae potest,
 sī illūstrantur, 7
 sī ērumpunt omnia?

Mūtā iam tuam mentem, mihi crēde,
oblīvīscere caedis atque incendiōrum. 8

Tenēris undique;
 lūce **sunt** clāriōra nōbīs tua cōnsilia omnia, 9
 quae iam mēcum licet recōgnōscās.

Relative Clause of Characteristic¹⁷

Almost all relative clauses with subjunctive in the speech are characteristic. It is used by Cicero when

(1) the antecedent is a vague demonstrative such as is, ea, id

videō eōs quī tē defendere audeant. *I see those who (would) dare to defend you.*

(2) the antecedent is nēmō, nihil, or nūllus

videō nēminem quī tē defendere audeat. *I see no one who (would) dare to defend you.*

(3) the antecedent is indefinite (e.g. quisquam above) or missing

sunt quī tē defendere audeant. *There are (those) who (would) dare to defend you.*

The purpose of a relative clause of characteristic is to clarify *what sort of person* or *what sort of thing* the vague antecedent is, and the clause is almost always a consecutive (result) clause (i.e. quī = ut eī):

videō eōs quī tē defendere audeant. *I see the sort of people that (as a result) would dare to...*

In short, this relative clause is a consequence (result) of the antecedent being the sort of thing that it is. You may translate pres. and impf. subj. two different ways: (1) as an indicative (e.g. dare to defend) or (2) as a potential subj. with the modal verb *would* (e.g. would dare). Pf. and plpf. subj. (found once on p. 43) are translated in the indicative. See p. 53 for a summary of subjunctives in relative clauses.

7. Meministīne mē ante diem xii Kalendās Novembrēs dīcere in senātū fore 1
 in armīs certō diē, quī diēs futūrus esset ante diem vi Kal. Novembri C.
 Mānlium, audāciae satellitem atque administrum tuae? Num mē fefellit,
 Catilīna, nōn modo rēs tanta, tam atrōx tamque incrēdibilis, vērum, id quod 5
 multō magis est admīrandum, diēs? Dīxī ego īdem in senātū caedem tē
 optimātium contulisse in ante diem v Kalendās Novembri, tum cum multī
 prīncipēs cīvitātis Rōmā nōn tam suī cōservandī quam tuōrum cōnsiliōrum
 reprimendōrum causā profūgērunt. Num īfītiārī potes tē illō ipsō diē, meīs 10
 praesidiīs, meā dīligentiā circumclūsum, commovēre tē contrā rem pūblicam
 nōn potuisse, cum tū discessū cēterōrum, nostrā tamen, quī remānsissēmus,
 caede contentum tē esse dīcēbās?

administer, -ī m.: assistant, helper, servant
admīror, -ārī, -atus sum: wonder at, admire
ante: before, in front of (+ acc.); adv. before, 6*
arma, -ōrum n.: arms, equipment, tools
atrōx, atrōcis: savage, fierce, cruel, harsh
causā: for the sake of (+ preceding gen.), 3
certus, -a, -um: definite, sure, certain, reliable, 3
cēterī, -ae, -a: the remaining, the rest, the others 4
circumclūdō, -ere, -clūsi, -clūsum: close, hem in
cīvitās. cīvitātis, f.: state, citizenship, 3
commoveō, -ere, -mōvī, mōtum: trouble, upset, 3
cōferō, -ferre: bring (together); defer, postpone 3
cōservō (1): keep, save, preserve, protect
contentus, -a, -um: content, satisfied, 1
contrā: opposite, facing (acc.); in response, 4
diligentia, -ae f.: diligence, attentiveness, 3
discēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum: to go away, depart
fallō, -ere, fefellī, falsum: deceive, trick, escape
 notice of, 2
īdem, eadem, idem: the same, 10*

- 1 **Meministī-ne**: 2s pf. with pres. sense
mē...dīcere in senātū: that I...; ind. disc.
ante diem...Novembrīs: 12th day before the
Kalens of November; October 21st
fore...C. Manlium....: that C. Manlius...would
 be...; ind. disc. governed by dīcere; fore is a
 fut. inf. of sum, equiv. to futūrum esse; for
 more on C. Manlius, see the info box on p. 20
 2 **certō diē**: on...: abl. of time when
quī diēs...futūrus esset: which day would be...
 ‘was (going) to be,’ subj. of a subordinate verb
 here a relative clause, in ind. disc.; futūrus esset
 is a periphrastic fut. (fut. act. pple + sum); esset
 is impf. subj. of sum

incrēdibilis, -e: unbelieveable, 3
īfītīor, -ārī, īfītītūm sum: deny, contradict
Kalendae (Kal.), -ārum f.: Kalends 5*
magis: more, rather
Mānlius, -īi m.: Manlius, Gaius Manlius, 3
meminī, -isse: remember, recall, recollect
modo: only, (just) now; if only, provided that, 7
Novembrīs, -e: November (add *mensis*), 4
optimātēs, -ium m.: optimates
prīncipēs, -cipis m./f.: leader, chief, foremost, 3
profūgiō, -ere, -fūgī: flee, run away, escape
remaneō, -ere, -mansī, -mansum: stay, abide
reprimō, -ere, -pressī, -um: repress, check, 2
Rōma, -ae f.: Rome, a city and empire, 2
satelles, -itis m/f: accomplice, follower
tum: then, at that time, 4
v: five (quinque)
vīs, (vīs), f.: force, power, violence, 4
xii: twelve (duodecim)

- ante diem...Novembrīs**: 6th day before the
Kalens of November; October 27th
satellitem atque....: in apposition to Mānlius;
 tuae audāciae is obj. gen.
 3 **Num...rēs?**: surely...not?: anticipating (and
 suggesting) a ‘no’ response; rēs is the subject
 4 **nōn modo...vērum (etiam)**: not only...but
 (also); vērum, ‘in truth,’ is an adverbial acc.
id quod: that which...
 5 **multō**: much; ‘by much,’ abl. of degree of
 difference modifying the comparative adv.
est admīrandūm: must be admired; or ‘has to
 be admired;’ lit. ‘is (going) to be admired;’ a
 passive periphrastic (gerundive + sum)

Meministīne	1
[mē ante diem xii Kalendās Novembrēs dīcere in senātū] [fore in armīs certō diē,	2
quī diēs futūrus esset ante diem sextum Kalendās Novembrēs Gāium Mānlium, audāciae satellitem atque administrum tuae]?	3
Num mē fefellit , Catilīna, nōn modo rēs tanta, tam atrōx	4
tamque incrēdibilis, vērum, id quod multō magis est admīrandum, diēs?	5
Dīxī ego īdem in senātū [caedem tē optimātium contulisse in ante diem quīntum Kalendās Novembrēs]	6
tum cum multī prīncipēs cīvitātis Rōmā nōn tam suī cōservandī quam tuōrum cōnsiliōrum reprimendōrum causā profūgērunt .	7
Num īfītiārī potes [tē illō ipsō diē, meīs praesidiīs, meā dīlīgentiā circumclūsum, commovēre tē contrā rem pūblicam nōn potuisse],	9
cum tū [discessū cēterōrum, nostrā tamen, quī remānsissēmus, caede contentum tē esse] dīcēbās ?	10
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5 **egō īdem**: *I likewise, I also; ‘I the same’*
tē...contulisse: *that you ...; ind. disc.; pf. inf. of conferō, here ‘defer’ or ‘postpone’*
6 **in ante diem...Novembrīs**: *on the 5th day before the Kalends of November; October 28th*
tum cum: *then when...; correlatives*
tam...quam: *so much...as... comparison*
7 **Rōmā**: *from...; abl. of separation profūgērunt*
suī cōservandī (causā): *for the sake of saving themselves; ‘for the sake of themselves (going) to be saved’ suī is gen. sg. of sē; perform a gerund-gerundive flip and translate this gen. noun + gerundive as a gen. gerund + acc. object*
tuōrum cōnsiliōrum reprimendōrum causā: *for the sake of repressing...; perform a gerund-gerundive flip; see suī cōservandī above*
Num...potes?: *surely you are not...?: possum*

8 **tē...potuisse**: *that you...; ind. disc. with pf. inf. possum; governed by īfītiārī*
illō ipsō diē: *on...; abl. of time when*
meīs praesidiīs...dīlīgentiā: *by...; asyndeton, abl. of means*
circumclūsum: *PPP modifying tē*
9 **tē**: *yourself; reflexive pronoun, obj. of inf.*
10 **cum tū...dīcēbās**: *when...*
discessū...tē esse: *that you...; ind. disc. with pres. inf. sum; contentum is a predicate adj.*
discessū...tamen caede: *with...(and) yet with...; asyndeton, two abl. of causes explaining contentum*
nostrā...quī remānsissēmus?: *of us who...; ‘our...who,’ in ind. disc., verbs in subordinate clauses become subj., here 1p plpf subj.; the antecedent of quī is the possessive adj. nostrā*

8. Quid? Cum tē Praeneste Kalendīs ipsīs Novembribus occupātūrum 1
nocturnō impetū esse cōnfiderēs, sēnsistīne illam colōniam meō iūssū meīs
praesidiīs, cūstōdiīs, vigiliīs esse mūnītam? Nihil agis, nihil mōlīris, nihil
cōgitās quod nōn ego nōn modo audiam sed etiam videam plānēque
IV sentiam. Recōgnōsce mēcum tandem noctem illam superiōrem; iam 5
intellegēs multō mē vigilāre ācrius ad salūtem quam tē ad perniciem reī
pūblicae. Dīcō tē priōre nocte vēnisse inter falcāriōs—nōn agam obscūre—
in M. Laecae domum—convēnisse eōdem complūrēs ēiusdem āmentiae
scelerisque sociōs. Num negāre audēs? Quid tacēs? Convincam, sī negās.
Videō enim esse hīc in senātū quōsdam quī tēcum ūnā fuērunt. 10

ācer, ācris, ācre: sharp, fierce, harsh, bitter, 2
āmentia, -ae f.: mindlessness, madness, folly, 2
audeō, -ere, ausus sum: dare, venture, 4
audiō, audire, -ivī, -itum: to hear, listen to, 2
cōgītō (1): to think, ponder, consider; plan, 4
colōnia, -ae f.: colony
complūres n.: many, several, 2
confidō, -ere: trust, believe firmly, rely upon, 2
conveniō, -ire, -vēnī: come together; it is agreed 2
convincō, -ere, -vīcī, -victum: refute; overcome
cūstōdia, -ae f.: guard, sentinel, custody, 3
falcārius, -ī m.: sickle-maker, scythe-maker
hīc: here, 4
impetus, -ūs m.: attack, onset, assault
inter: between, among (+ acc.), 3
iussū: by order, at the command, 3
Laeca, -ae m.: Laeca, 2
mōlīrō, -īrī, -itus: set in motion, devise, stir, 2

1 *Quid?: What (about this)?*

Cum...cōfidērēs: when...; 2s impf. subj.
tē...occupātūrum esse: that you; ind. disc.
with fut. inf.
Praeneste: Praeneste; acc. object
Kalendīs ipsīs Novembribus: on the Kalends
itself of November; abl. time when, Nov. 1st
2 **nocturnō impetū:** abl. means
sēnsistī-ne: did you...?; 2s pf., main verb
illam colōniam...esse mūnītam: that...; ind.
disc., mūnītam esse is a pf. pass. inf.
meō iūssū: abl. of cause
meīs praesidiīs...vigiliīs: asyndeton, means
3 **nihil...nihil...nihil:** nothing...; asyndeton and

muniō, -īre, -ivī (ī), -itus: fortify, 1
negō (1): deny, say no, refuse, 2
nocturnus, -a, -um: nocturnal, by night, 2
Novembbris, -e: November (add *mensis*), 4
obscūrē: darkly, secretly, not clearly
occupō (1): seize, take possession of, win
perniciēs, -ēi f.: destruction, disaster, ruin, 4
plānē: plainly, clearly, quite, very
Praeneste, is n.: Praeneste
prior, -ius: former, earlier, first
recōgnōscō, -ere, -nōvī, -gnitum: review, recall 2
salūs, -ūtis f.: safety, security, health, 6*
scelus, -eris n.: wickedness, villainy, crime, 11*
socius, -ī m.: ally, companion, comrade, 3
taceō, -ēre, -ūi, -itum: be silent, say nothing, 3
ūnā: together, at the same time
vigilia, -ae f.: watch (one of 4 periods at night), 2
vigilō (1): watch, keep awake, be watchful, 2

anaphora

4 **nōn...nōn modo...sed etiam:** I not only...not
...but also...not; the initial ‘nōn’ is distributive
quod... sentiam: which I would...; relative
clause of characteristic with three 1s pres.
subjunctives
5 **mēcum:** cum mē
superiōrem: before last; ‘previous’
6 **intellegēs:** fut.
multō...ācrius: much...: abl. of degree of
difference modifying a comparative adv., ācer
ad salūtem...ad perniciem: for...; ad + acc.
expressing purpose
quam: than; comparative clause; ellipsis

Quid?	1
Cum [tē Praeneste Kalendīs ipsīs Novembribus occupātūrum nocturnō impetū esse] cōnfiderēs,	2
sēnsistīne [illam colōniām meō iūssū meīs praesidiīs, cūstōdiīs, vigiliīs esse mūnītam]?	3
Nihil agis , nihil mōlīris , nihil cōgitās	4
quod nōn ego nōn modo audiam sed etiam videam plānēque sentiam.	5
Recōgnōsce mēcum tandem noctem illam superiōrem; iam intellegēs	6
[multō mē vigilāre ācrius ad salūtem quam tē ad perniciem reī pūblicae].	7
Dīcō [tē priōre nocte vēnisse inter falcāriōs] —nōn agam obscūre: in Mārcī Laecae domum— [convēnisse eōdem complūrēs ēiusdem āmentiae scelerisque sociōs].	8
Num negāre audēs ?	9
Quid tacēs ?	
Convincam , sī negās.	
Videō enim [esse hīc in senātū quōsdam quī tēcum ūnā fuērunt].	10

7 **tē...vēnisse**: *that...*; ind. disc. with pf. inf.
governed by dīcō
priōre nocte: i.e. last night; abl. of time when;
comparative adj. of pŕimus
inter falcāriōs: *to Scythemakers' street*:
'among the scythemakers,' a scythe is a blade
used to harvest crops
nōn agam obscūrē: *I will not speak obscurely*;
i.e. I'll be clear; 1s fut., agō, which can also
mean 'act,' or 'carry on' in this context

8 **eōdem**: *at the same place*: 'to the same place'
convēnisse complūrēs...sociōs: *(and) that...*;
asyndeton with another ind. disc.; sociōs is acc.
subj. of a pf. inf.

ēiusdem āmentiae scelerisque: *of...*; gen. of
quality modifying sociōs; gen. sg. of īdem,
eadem, idem

9 **quid**: *why?*; 'in respect to what,' acc. of respect
convincam, sī negās: *I would..., if...should*; 1s
pres. subj. and 2s pres. subj. in a future less
vivid condition (otherwise. 1s fut. ind. and the
condition is a mixed condition)

10 **enīm**: *for...*; postpositive (translate first)
esse quōsdam: *that there are...*; ind. disc.,
quōsdam is the acc. subject
tēcum: cum tē
ūnā: *together*; a common abl. as an adverb
fuērunt: 3p pf. sum

9. O dī immortālēs! Ubinam gentium sumus? Quam rem pūblicam 1
habēmus? In quā urbe vīvimus? Hīc, hīc sunt in nostrō numerō, patrēs
cōscriptī, in hōc orbis terrae sānctissimō gravissimōque cōnsiliō, quī dē
nostrō omnium interitū, quī dē hūius urbis atque adeō dē orbis terrārum
exitiō cōgitent. Hōs ego videō cōsul et dē rē pūblicā sententiam rogō et, 5
quōs ferrō trucīdārī oportēbat, eōs nōndum vōce vulnerō!

adeō: so far, to such a degree, even, in fact, 2
cōgītō (1): to think, ponder, consider; plan, 4
deus, -ī m.: god, divinity, deity, 4
ferrum, -ī n.: iron; sword, weapon, tool, 2
gēns, gentis f.: clan, family, race, people, tribe
hīc: here, 4
immortālis, -e: immortal, 4
interitus, -ūs m.: ruin, destruction, death
nōndum: not yet, 3
numerus, -ī m.: number, multitude, 3
O: O! oh! 3

- 1 **dī:** *deī*, pl. *deus* in an exclamation
- 2 **ubinam gentium:** *Where is the world...?*; ‘where of (all) peoples?’ partitive gen.; a common exclamation expressing surprise
- 3 **quam...?:** *what (sort of)...?*; interrogative adj.
- 2 **quā...?:** *what (sort of)...?*; interrogative adj.
- 2 **hīc, hīc:** *anadiplosis*; note that hīc is the adverb ‘here’ but hic is the adj. ‘this’
- 3 **sunt...quī...:** *are (those) who...?*; the subject of sunt is the missing antecedent of quī
- patrēs cōscriptī:** voc. direct address; a common address for senators
- 3 **orbis terrae:** *in the world*; ‘of the sphere of land(s),’ *orbis* is gen. sg. modifying *cōnsiliō*
- cōnsiliō:** *assembly, council*; i.e. senate
- quī...quī...cōgitent:** *(those) who...?*; *ellipsis*; relative clause of characteristic with pres. subj.; the missing antecedent is subject of sunt; the repetition of the pronoun quī in unfinished (elliptical) clauses is a common rhetorical device in the speech
- dē:** *about...; concerning...*

oportet: it is proper, fitting, necessary; ought, 3
orbis, -is m.: sphere, orb (+ terrae: world, earth) 3
rogō (1): to ask, 3
sānctus, -a, -um: sacred, holy, 2
sententia, -ae f.: opinion, purpose, 2
terra, -ae f.: land, earth, 4
trucīdō (1): slaughter, butcher, murder, massacre
Ubinam: where? where, pray?
vōx, vōcis, f.: voice, 7*
vulnerō (1): wound, injure, 2

- 3 **nostrō omnium:** *of us all*; the possessive is equivalent in sense to an objective gen.
- 4 **dē hūius urbīs (exitīō):** ellipsis; add obj. of dē
- orbis terrārum:** *of the world*; ‘of the sphere of lands’
- 5 **cōsuls:** *as consul*; in apposition to ego
- sententiam:** *(their) opinion*
- 6 **quōs...eōs:** *those whom...?*; the demonstrative eōs is the antecedent of quōs, which in turn is the acc. subject of the inf. trucīdārī
- ferrō:** *with...;* abl. of means; *synecdoche*, a rhetorical device where the part, ‘iron,’ refers to the whole, ‘sword’
- oportēbat:** *it was appropriate (long before now) to... + inf.*; or ‘who (quōs) ought to have been...’ the third instance of impersonal oportet governing an acc. + inf.; trucīdārī is pres. pass. inf. and quōs is acc. subj; oportet is used in the past tense with the sense of “it was (and still is) appropriate that...”
- vōce:** *with...;* abl. of means; *metonymy*, the word ‘voice,’ refers to the related term ‘oratory’

Manlius' Army: A note on III.7, p. 16

Gaius Manlius was one of many ex-soldiers of the dictator Sulla (82-79 BCE) who was awarded with land in retirement in Etruria but later came into financial difficulties. Manlius agreed to lead an army of veterans seeking debt relief and financial reward in return for helping Catiline take the consulship. On Oct. 27th Manlius led an open revolt in Faesulae. On Oct. 28th Cicero announced these findings in the Senate, and Catiline was charged by Lucius Aemilius Paulus under the *lex Plautia dē vī*.

Ō dī immortālēs! 1
 Ubinam gentium **sumus**?
 Quam rem pūblicam **habēmus**? 2
 In quā urbe **vīvimus**?
 Hīc, hīc **sunt** in nostrō numerō, patrēs cōnscriptī,
 in hōc orbis terrae sāctissimō gravissimōque cōnsiliō, 3
 quī dē nostrō omnium interitū,
 quī dē hūiū urbīs atque adeō 4
 dē orbis terrārum exitiō cōgitent. 5
 Hōs ego **videō** cōnsul
 et dē rē pūblicā sententiam **rogō**
 et, quōs ferrō trucīdārī oportēbat, 6
 eōs nōndum vōce **vulnerō**.

Uses of Ut³⁵ and Nē⁷

	<u>How to identify</u>	<u>special translation</u>	<u>example</u>
<u>With subjunctive</u>			
1. Purpose ^{12,4}	ut/nē + pres./impf. subj.	may/might	ut egō mitterem <i>so that I might send</i> <i>in order that I might send</i> <i>to send</i>
2. Result ^{7,0}	tam, tantus, sīc, ita + ut/ut nōn	none	ut egō mitterem <i>that I sent</i>
3. Indirect Command ^{7,0}	ut/nē + pres./impf. subj. with a main verb of commanding	none	imperāvit ut egō mitterem <i>he ordered that I send...</i>
4. Fearing Clause ^{0,2}	nē (<i>lest, that</i>)/ut (<i>that not</i>) + main verb of fearing	may/might	verēbar nē egō mitterem <i>I was afraid that I might send</i>
5. Interrogative ^{1,0}	ut/utinam (<i>how</i>) + subj.	might/would	ut mittam? <i>How might I send?</i>
<u>with indicative</u>			
6. Comparison clause ^{9,0}	ut (as) + indicative	none	ut dīxī <i>as I said</i>

* One use of nē does not include a verb: nē...quīdem (*not even*, p. 54).

Cum-Clauses²⁰

Cum haec verba audīvit	1. temporal ⁷	<i>When he heard these words</i>
Cum haec verba audīvisset	2. circumstantial ¹¹ 3. causal ² 4. concessive ⁰	<i>When/After he had heard these words</i> <i>Since/Because he had heard these words</i> <i>Although he had heard these words</i>

Fuistī igitur apud Laecam illā nocte, Catilīna, distribuistī partēs Ītaliae, 1 statuistī quō quemque proficisci placēret, dēlēgisti quōs Rōmae relinquerēs, quōs tēcum ēdūcerēs, dīscrīpsistī urbīs partēs ad incendia, cōfirmāstī tē ipsum iam esse exitūrum, dīxistī paulum tibi esse etiam nunc morae, quod ego vīverem. Repertī sunt duo equitēs Rōmānī quī tē istā cūrā liberārent, et 5 sē illā ipsā nocte paulō ante lūcem mē in meō lectō interfectūrōs esse pollicērentur. 10. Haec ego omnia, vixdum etiam coetū vestrō dīmissō, comperiō: domum meam māiōribus praesidiīs mūnīvī atque firmāvī, exclūsī eōs quōs tū ad mē salūtātum māne mīserās, cum illī ipsī vēnissent quōs ego iam multīs ac summīs virīs ad mē id temporis ventūrōs esse praedīixeram. 10

apud: at the house of, in the presence of (acc.)

coetus, -ūs m.: gathering, meeting, 2

comperiō, -īre, -perī: find out, discover, 2

cōfirmō (1): make strong, confirm strengthen 2

cūra, -ae, f.: care, attention, caution, anxiety, 2

dēlīgō, -ere, -lēgī, -lectum: choose, elect, select

dīmittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missus: send away, let go

dīscrībō, -ere, -scrīpsī: divide, apportion

distribuō, -ere, -strīnxī, -stīnctum: assign

duo, duae, duo: two

ēdūcō, -ere, -dūxī, -ctus: lead forth, bring out, 3

eques, equitis m.: equestrian, 3

exclūdō, -ere-clūsī, -clūsum: shut out, exclude

exeō, -īre, -ī (īvī), -itus: go out, 4

firmō (1): strengthen

igitur: therefore, then, accordingly

incendium, -ī n.: burning fire, 4

Laeca, -ae m.: Laeca, 2

lectus, -ī m.: bed, couch

līberō (1): free, set free, liberate, 3

lūx, lūcis, f.: light, 3

māne: in the morning, early

mittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missus: send, submit

mora, -ae f.: delay, hesitation, hindrance

muniō, -īre, -īvī (īī), -ītus: fortify

pars, partis, f.: part, share, 3

paulus, -a, -um: little, small, 4

placet (placeō, -ere, -uī): it is pleasing, 2

polliceor, -cērī, -citus: promise, offer, 2

praedicō (1): proclaim, publish, declare, 2

proficīscor, -ī, -fectus: set out, depart, 6*

quisque, quaeque, quidque: each one, every, 3

relinquō, -ere, -līquī, -lictum: to leave behind, abandon, 4

reperiō, -īre, repperī, repertum: find, discover

Rōma, -ae f.: Rome, a city and empire, 2

salūtō (1): greet, salute, pay respects to, 2

statuō, -ere, -uī, -ūtus: decide, establish, build

summus, -a, -um: highest, top of, 7*

vester, tra, -trum: your, yours, 2

vixdum: hardly yet, scarcely yet, but just

1 **fuistī...distribuistī...dīxistī:** asyndeton: seven

2s pf. verbs in a row without conjunctions

apud Laecam: at the house of Laeca

illā nocte: abl. of time when

2 **partēs Itāliae:** i.e. regions of land within Italy

quō...placēret: to where it was...; ind. question

with impf. subj.; quō, 'to where,' is an adverb,

and placēret is impersonal; quemque is from

quemque proficisci: that...; ind. disc. (acc. +

inf.), quemque is acc. subj. from quisque

quōs...relinquerēs, quōs...ēdūcerēs: (those)

whom...would... (and those) whom...would...;

asyndeton, two relative clauses of purpose with

2s impf. subj. (quōs = illōs ut); the missing

antecedents are acc. obj. of dēlēgisti.

Rōmae: at...; locative case

3 **ad incendia:** for...; expressing purpose

cōfirmā(vi)sti: syncopated 2s pf.

tē ipsum iam esse exitūrum: that you

yourself...; ind. disc. with fut. inf. exeō

4 **tibi esse morae...:** a small thing was for a

delay for you; ind. disc., paulum is acc. subject;

a double dative (dat. interest + purpose)

paulum...mōrae: a little (of) delay; partitive

quod ego vīverem: because...; subj. of a

subordinate clause in ind. disc. or causal quod

with subj. for alleged cause; impf. subj.

5 **qui...liberārent....pollicērentur:** who

would...and would...; or 'might' a relative

clause of purpose with impf. subj.

Fuistī igitur apud Laecam illā nocte, Catilīna,
distribuistī partēs Ītaliae,
statuistī 1
quō [quemque proficisci] placēret,
dēlēgīstī
quōs Rōmae relinquērēs,
quōs tēcum ēdūcerēs, 3
dīscrīpsīstī urbis partēs ad incendia,
cōfirmāstī
[tē ipsum iam esse exitūrum], 4
dīxīstī
[paulum tibi esse etiam nunc morae],
quod ego vīverem. 5
Repertī sunt duo equitēs Rōmānī
quī tē istā cūrā liberārent,
et [sē illā ipsā nocte paulō ante lūcem 6
mē in meō lectō interfectūrōs esse] pollicērentur.
7
Haec ego omnia,
vixdum etiam coetū vestrō dīmissō,
comperī: 8
domum meam māiōribus praesidiīs **mūnīvī** atque **fīrmāvī**,
exclūsī eōs quōs tū ad mē salūtātum māne mīserās, 9
cum illī ipsī vēnissent
[quōs ego iam multīs ac summīs virīs
ad mē id temporis ventūrōs esse] **praedīixeram.** 10

5 **istā cūrā:** *from...;* ablative of separation

6 **sē...interfectūrōs esse:** *that they...;* ind. disc.
with fut. inf. in secondary sequence
illā ipsā nocte: *on...;* abl. of time when
paulō: *a little;* ‘by a little,’ abl. of the degree of
difference modifying ante

7 **pollicērentur:** deponent
haec omnia: *all these things;* neuter acc. pl.
vixdum etiam: *hardly yet even;* in the abl. abs.
coetū...dīmissō: abl. abs.

8 **comperī...exclūsī:** a series of 1s pf. verbs
māiōribus: *with more...;* comparative, magnus
(et) **exclūsī:** asyndeton; 1s pf.

8 **eōs quōs:** *those who...*

9 **salūtātum mānē:** *to greet in the morning;* a
supine (PPP + um), the acc. form expresses
purpose and is often translated as an inf.
quōs....ventūrōs esse: *whom...would...;* ind.
disc. governed by praedixeram; quōs is acc.
subj. with a fut. inf. in secondary sequence

10 **multīs...virīs:** *with...;* abl. of accompaniment,
cum may be omitted when the noun is modified
by an adjective
id temporis: *at that time;* an adverbial acc. and
partitive gen. signifying time when and not
duration of time

V Quae cum ita sint, Catilīna, perge quō coepistī: ēgredere aliquandō ex 1
 urbe; patent portae—proficīscere. Nimium diū tē imperātōrem tua illa
 Mānliāna castra dēsiderant. Ēdūc tēcum etiam omnēs tuōs; sī minus, quam
 plūrimōs; pūrgā urbem. Māgnō mē metū liberāveris, modo inter mē atque tē
 mūrus intersit. Nōbīscum versārī iam diūtius nōn potes; nōn feram, nōn 5
 patiar, nōn sinam. 11. Māgna dīs immortālibus habenda est atque huic ipsī
 Iovī Statōrī, antīquissimō cūstōdī hūiū urbīs, grātia, quod hanc tam taetram,
 tam horribilem tamque īnfēstam reī pūblicae pestem totiēns iam effūgimus. 8

aliquandō: sometimes, at some time, 3

antīquus, -a, -um: ancient, former, of old times 2

coepī, coepisse, coeptum: began

custōdiō, -īre, -īvī, -ītum: guard, defend, watch 2

dēsiderō (1): desire, long for, require

deus, -ī m.: god, divinity, deity, 4

dūcō, -ere, dūxī, ductum: to lead, draw, 2

effugiō, -ere, effūgī: flee away, escape, 2

ēgredior, -ī, -gressus: go out, disembark, 3

ferō, ferre, tulī, lātus: bear, endure, carry, 8*

grātia, -ae f.: thanks; favor, esteem, regard, 2

horribilis, -e: terrible, dreadful, horrible

immortālis, -e: immortal, 4

imperātor, -oris m.: commander, leader, 3

īnfēstus, -a, -um: hostile, dangerous (dat) 2

inter: between, among (+ acc.), 3

intersum, -esse, -fuī: be between, take part in

Iuppiter, Iovis m.: Jupiter, 2

liberō (1): free, set free, liberate, 3

magnus, -a, -um: great, large, tall; important, 5*

Mānliānus, -a, -um: of Manlius, 2

metus, -ūs f.: dread, fear, 7*

minus: less, 2

mūrus, -ī m.: (city) wall, rampart, 2

nīmīum: too much, too

pateō, -ēre, -ūī: lie open, extend, 2

pergō, -ere, -rēxī, -rēctum: continue, keep on, proceed, 2

porta, -ae f.: gate, city gate, 2

pūrgō (1): clean, clese, purge, make clean, 1

sinō, -ere, sīvī, situm: allow, permit, allow, leave

Stator, Statōris m.: Stayer, 2

taeter, -tra, -trum: loathsome, repulsive

totiēns: so many times, so often

versōr, -ārī, -ātus sum: be engaged in, live, 2

1 **quaē cum ita sint:** since these things are so, i.e. as a result, a common expression by Cicero; connective relative (In transitions Latin often prefers a relative pronoun where English prefers a demonstrative. See the box on p. 27.)

2 **proficīscere:** sg. imperative, deponent verb

nīmīum diū: for too long

imperātōrem: as their commander; apposition

illa Mānliāna castra: translate as nom. sg.;

at Faesulae in Etruria

dēsiderant: has been...; pres. but pres. pf.

progressive sense; translate as 3s

3 **ēdūc:** sg. imperative, ēdūcō

tēcum: cum tē

tuōs (virōs): your own (men)

sī minus: if less; i.e. if you lead out fewer than all; a comparative adv.

(ēdūc) quam plūrimōs: as many as possible; ellipsis: supply ēdūc; adv. quam + superlative (here of multus) means ‘as X as is possible;’ the verb potest, ‘is possible,’ is understood

4 **magnō...metū:** from...; abl. separation

liberāveris: fut. pf. indicative

modo...intersit: provided that...is between...; a proviso clause with pres. subj. of intersum

5 **nōbīscum:** cum nōbīs

diūtius nōn: no longer: diūtius is comparative adverb of diū, ‘for a long time’

nōn feram, nōn patiar, nōn sinam: asyndeton, and anaphora; 1s fut.

6 **magna...grātia:** much gratitude; the subject of habenda est, the separation between magna and grātia gives heightened emphasis

habenda est: must be felt; ‘is going to be held,’ gerundive (fut. pass. pple) + sum in the passive periphrastic; gratiam habēre, ‘to feel gratitude,’ is a common idiom

Quae cum ita sint, Catilīna,
1
perge quō coepistī:
ēgredere aliquandō ex urbe;
2
patent portae—
proficīscere.

Nimium diū tē imperātōrem tua illa Mānliāna castra dēsiderant.
3

Ēdūc tēcum etiam omnēs tuōs;
sī minus, quam plūrimōs;
4

pūrgā urbem.

Māgnō mē metū **līberāveris**,
modo inter mē atque tē mūrus intersit.
5

Nōbīscum versārī iam diūtius nōn **potes**;
nōn **feram**,
6
nōn **patiar**,
nōn **sinam**.

Māgna dīs immortālibus **habenda est**
atque huic ipsī Iovī Statōrī,
7
antīquissimō cūstōdī hūius urbis,
grātia,
quod hanc tam taetram,
tam horribilem
8
tamque īfēstam reī pūblicae pestem
totiēns iam effūgimus.

6 **dīs...atque...Statōrī**: to... gods and Jupiter...;
dat. ind. object; dīs = deīs; Cicero is standing in
the Temple of Jupiter Stator and likely pointing
to the statue of Jupiter as he speaks

6 **huic ipsī**: dat. sg. of hic and ipse

7 **Iovī**: dat. sg. of Juppiter
antīquissimō cūstōdī: dat. in apposition to Iovī
hūius urbis: of...; obj. gen.
quod...effūgimus: because...; causal quod

8 **reī pūblicae**: to...; dat. of reference

Supine²

A supine is a verbal noun formed by adding -ū in ablative and -um in accusative to the 4th principal part stem. The ablative is an ablative of respect (specification) which often follows adjectives, while the accusative expresses purpose. Both can be translated as infinitives in English. There are only two examples in the speech:

saltūtātūm: to greet (p. 23)

optimum factū: best to do (best in doing) (p. 62)

Nōn est saepius in ūnō homine summa salūs perīclitanda reī pūblicae. 1
 Quam diū mihi cōsulī dēsignātō, Catilīna, īnsidiātus es, nōn pūblicō mē praesidiō, sed prīvātā dīligentiā dēfendī. Cum proximīs comitiīs cōsulāribus mē cōsulem in Campō et competītōrēs tuōs interficere voluistī, compressī cōnātūs tuōs nefāriōs amīcōrum praesidiō et cōpiīs, nūllō 5 tumultū pūblicē concitātō; dēnique, quotiēnscumque mē petistī, per mē tibi obstitī, quamquam vidēbam perniciem meam cum māgnā calamitātē reī pūblicae esse coniūntam. 8

amīcus, -ī m.: friend, 2

calamitās, -itātis f.: loss, calamity, misfortune, 2
campus, -ī m.: field, plain, meadow

comitium, -ōrum n.: meeting, assembly, 2

competītōr, -ōris m.: rival candidate

comprimō, -ere, -pressī: press together, overwhelm, 2

cōnātus, -ūs f.: attempt

concitō (1): stir up, arouse, excite, 2

coniungō, -ere, -iūnxī, -iunctus: join, 2

cōsulāris, -e: consular, of a consul, 3

copia, -ae f.: forces, troops; abundance, supply

dēfendō, -ere, -fendī, -fensus: ward off, repel, 2
dēnique: at last, finally, 4

dēsignō (1): mark out, point out, designate, 3

diligentia, -ae f.: diligence, attentiveness, 3

homō, -inis m./f.: man, mortal, human, 8*

īnsidior, -ārī, -ātus sum: lie in wait for (dat), plot against, ambush (dat) 3

obstō, -āre, obstitī, obstatum: stand in the way, oppose (dat) 2

per: through, across, 4

perīclitor, -ārī, -ātus sum: put to the test, endanger, risk

perniciēs, -ēi f.: destruction, disaster, ruin, 4

petō, petere, petīvī, petītūm: to seek, aim at, 2

proximus, -a, -um: nearest, 3

quamquam: and yet; although, 5*

quotiēnscumque: howsoever often

saepe: often, 5*

tumultus, -ūs m.: confusion, uproar, panic

volō, velle, volū: will, wish, be willing, 4

1 **nōn...saepius**: *not too often*; comparative adv. of saepe
est...perīclitanda: *must be...*; ‘is (going) to be risked,’ passive periphrastic (gerundive + sum) expressing necessity; fem. sg. salūs is the subject

reī pūblicae: gen. with salūs or dat. of interest; This is not, however, a dat. of agent with the passive periphrastic

2 **quam diū...īnsidiātus es**: quam is a adv. introducing a temporal clause with pf. ind.
mihi: dat. object of īnsidiātus es

cōsulī dēsignātō: *as consul elect*; dat., in apposition to mihi, consuls are elected in July and begin office in January, until then they are consuls-elect or designated consuls. Cicero is talking about the period between his election in July 64 and his inauguration in January 63 BC.

3 **praesidiō...dīligentiā**: by...; abl. means
cum...voluistī: when...; 2s pf. volō
proximīs comitiīs cōsulāribus: *at the last...*; abl. time when. Consuls were elected at the

Centurion Assembly. The last elections were postponed from July to October. Here, Cicero is talking about the elections in October 63, which decided who would succeed Cicero in the consulship in January 62.

4 **mē cōsulem**: *me, the consul*

in campō: *in the Campus Martius*; a plain north of Rome’s city walls where elections were held
compressī: 1s pf.

5 **amīcōrum**: Cicero is using private resources
praesidiō et cōpiīs: by...; hendiadys, these two terms refer to one object: ‘a force of guards’ Cicero uses only private resources

6 **nūllō tumultū pūblicē concitātō**: abl. abs.

pūblicē: *at public expense*; adv., Cicero used private resources (amīcōrum) to check Catiline

per mē: *by myself*

tibi: dat. object of compound verb, 1s pf. obstō

7 **perniciēm...esse coniūntam**: *that...*; ind.

disc. with pf. pass. coniungō

reī pūblicae: *for...*; dat. of interest

Nōn est saepius in ūnō homine	1
summa salūs perīclitanda reī pūblicae.	
Quam diū mihi cōnsulī dēsignātō, Catilīna, īnsidiātus es,	2
nōn pūblicō mē praesidiō,	3
sed prīvātā dīligentia dēfendī.	
Cum proximus comitiīs cōnsulāribus	4
mē cōnsulem in Campō	
et competītōrēs tuōs interficere voluistī ,	5
compressī cōnātūs tuōs nefāriōs	
amīcōrum praesidiō et cōpiīs,	
nūllō tumultū pūblicē concitātō;	6
dēniqe, quotiēnscumque mē petistī,	
per mē tibi obstitī ,	7
quamquam vidēbam	
[perniciem meam cum māgnā calamitātē reī pūblicae esse coniūntam].	8

Ablative Absolute⁷

Absolutes are circumstantial, causal, or concessive in sense, even if the translation does not reveal it. Cum-clauses are just as versatile and can have a similar variety of meanings. Below are examples of absolutes with a PPP (perfect passive participle) and present participle:

tumultū concitātō	1. raw translation 2. circumstantial 3. causal 4. concessive	(with) <i>the tumult having been stirred up</i> <i>When/After the tumult had been stirred up</i> <i>Since/Because the tumult had been stirred up</i> <i>Although the tumult had been stirred up</i>	p. 26
mē imperante	1. raw translation 2. circumstantial 3. causal 4. concessive	(with) <i>me commanding</i> <i>When/While I was commanding</i> <i>Since/Because I was commanding</i> <i>Although I was commanding</i>	29

A third type of absolute worth mentioning does not have a participle at all, but can be translated in the same four ways as **mē imperante**:

Lepidō et Tullō cōnsulibus	1. raw translation 2. circumstantial	(with) <i>Lepidus and Tullus (being) consuls</i> <i>When/While Lepidus and Tullus were consuls...</i>	34
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There is no participle for the verb sum in Latin, and so speakers create an abl. absolute by placing both the subject and the predicate in the ablative. In translation, you must add a form of “to be.”

Connective Qui, Quae, Quod

Translate a relative pronoun at the beginning of a sentence as a demonstrative. When making transitions between sentences, Latin often prefers a relative where English prefers a demonstrative.

Quae cum ita sint	Since which things are so... → Since these things are so...	25
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12. Nunc iam apertē rem pūblicam ūniversam petis; templa deōrum 1
 immortālium, tēcta urbis, vītam omnium cīvium, Ītaliām tōtam ad exitium et
 vāstitātem vocās. Quā rē, quoniam id quod est prīnum et quod hūius imperiī
 disciplīnaeque māiōrum proprium est, facere nōndum audeō, faciam id quod
 est ad sevēritātem lēnius, ad commūnem salūtem ūtilius. Nam sī tē interfici 5
 iūsserō, residēbit in rē pūblicā reliqua coniūrātōrum manus; sīn tū, quod tē
 iam dūdum hortor, exieris, exhauriētur ex urbe tuōrum comitum māgna et
 perniciōsa sentīna reī pūblicae. Quid est, Catilīna? 13. Num dubitās id, mē
 imperante, facere quod iam tuā sponte faciēbās? Exīre ex urbe iubet cōnsul
 hostem. Interrogās mē, num in exsilium? Nōn iubeō, sed, sī mē cōnsulis, 10
 suādeō.

apertē: openly, plainly, clearly, 2
audeō, -ēre, ausus sum: dare, venture, 4
comes, comitis m.: companion, comrade
commūnis, -e: common
coniūrātus, -ī m.: conspirator
cōnsulō, -ere, -ūī, -tum: consult, ask (for advice)
deus, -ī m.: god, divinity, deity, 4
disciplīna, -ae f.: training, instruction
dubitō (1): waver, hesitate, be in doubt, 3
dūdum: a short time ago, a little while ago
exeō, -ire, -īī (īvī), -itus: go out, 4
exhauriō, -ire, -hausī, -haustum: drain off, draw
exitium, -īī n.: ruin, destruction, 3
exsilium, -īī n.: banishment, exile, 7*

hortor, hortārī, hortātus sum: encourage, urge
immortālis, -e: immortal, 4
imperium, -ī n.: command, order, power, 3
imperō (1): order, command, 2
interrogō (1): ask, question, interrogate
iubeō, iubērē, iussī, iussum: order, command, 4
lēnis, -e: soft, smooth, mild, gentle
nam: for, 2

1 **templa...Ītaliām tōtam:** asyndeton; with vōcās
 2 **tecta:** buildings; synecdoche, device where the part, ‘roof,’ refers to the whole, ‘building’
vītam: the lives; sg. where English prefers pl.
ad exitium...: for...; expressing purpose
 3 **quā rē:** for which reason; abl. of cause
id quod...et quod: that which...and which; the antecedent id is acc. object of facere audeō
est prīnum: is best; ‘is primary’
huius imperiī: of this power (of mine)

4 **māiōrum:** of (our) ancestors; ‘of those greater (by birth),’ a common substantive formed from

nōndum: not yet, 3
perniciōsus, -a, -um: destructive, ruinous, 4
petō, petere, petīvī, petītum: to seek, aim at, 2
prīmus -a -um: first, foremost, most excellent,
proprius, -a, -um: peculiar, characteristic of (gen)
quotiam: since, inasmuch as
reliquus, -a, um: remaining, the rest, 2
resideō, -ēre, -sēdī: remain (behind), stay, 2
sentīna, -ae f.: dregs; scum, bilge- or waste-water
sevēritās, -tatis f.: severity, sternness, 2
sīn: but if, if, however, 3
sponte: willingly, voluntarily
suādeō, -ēre, suāsī, suāsum: persuade, urge
tēctum, -ī n.: house, building, shelter; roof, 3
templum, -ī n.: temple, 3
tōtus -a, -um: whole, entire, 3
ūniversus, -a, -um: all together, entire, whole
ūtilis, -e: useful, effective
vāstitās, -tatis f.: devastation, ruin
vīta, -ae, f.: life, 9*

vōcō (1): call, name, address, summon

the comparative of magnus
proprium: characteristic of + gen.; acc.
 predicate of est
faciam: 1s fut.
id quod...: that which; different id from line 3
lēnius: neut. sg. comparative adj. from lēnis, -e
 5 **ad...ad...:** in regard to...in regard to...
lēnius...ūtilius: asyndeton; both are pred. adjs., neut. nom. sg. comparatives
sī iūsserō, residēbit...: if I order...; fut. more vivid condition (sī fut. (pf.), fut.), in English, translate the fut. pf. as a present with fut. sense

Nunc iam apertē rem pūblicam ūniversam petis ;	1
templa deōrum immortālium,	2
tēcta urbis,	
vītam omnium cīvium,	
Ītalianam tōtam	
ad exitium et vāstitātem vocās .	3
Quā rē, quoniam id quod est prīmum	
et quod hūius imperiī disciplīnaeque māiōrum proprium est,	4
facere nōndum audeō ,	
faciam	
id quod est ad sevēritātem lēnius,	5
ad commūnem salūtem ūtilius.	
Nam sī tē interfici iūsserō,	6
residēbit in rē pūblicā reliqua coniūrātōrum manus;	
sīn tū, quod tē iam dūdum hortor, exieris,	7
exhauriētur ex urbe tuōrum comitum māgna et perniciōsa sentīna reī pūblicae.	8
Quid est , Catilīna?	
Num dubitās id, mē imperante, facere	9
quod iam tuā sponte faciēbās?	
Exīre ex urbe iubet cōnsul hostem.	10
Interrogās mē, num in exsilium?	
Nōn iubeō ,	
sed, sī mē cōnsulis, suādeō .	11

interfici:: pres. pass. inf.

6 **manus**: group; 2nd decl. coniūrāt-ōrum is a partitive gen. modifying manus

sīn...exieris, exhauriētur: but if you go

out...; another fut. more vivid condition (sī fut. (pf.), fut.), as above, translate the fut. pf. of *exeō* in the present with fut. sense

quod...hortor: which...; the entire clause,

sīn...exieris is the antecedent of quod; hortor is pf. progressive (have been Xing) and governs a double acc.

7 **tuōrum comitum...sentīna reī pūblicae**: the dregs of the republic (made) of your comrades; This is a challenging passage to explicate. Both genitives modify *sentīna*: *reī pūblicae* is a partitive gen. while *comitum* is an appositional gen. (i.e. ‘the dregs of the republic, your

comrades,...); *sentīna* often refers to water that collects after storms in the hull of ships (i.e. bilge-water)

id...quod: that which...; id is object of facere

me imperante: (while) I...; abl. abs.

9 **tuā sponte**: by your own will, willingly

faciēbās: you were trying to do; conative impf., i.e. leaving the city and taking control of the rogue army

9 **hostem**: i.e. enemy of the state; a legal term

10 **num in exsilium**? There are two possibilites, the first interpreted is preferred to the second: (1) whether (you should go) into exile?, an ind. question governed by interrogās, or (2) Surely not into exile?, a direct question, as if Cicero is quoting Catiline. num commonly means ‘whether’ in indirect questions.

VI Quid est enim, Catilīna, quod tē iam in hāc urbe dēlectāre possit? in quā 1
 nēmō est extrā istam coniūrātiōnem perditōrum hominum, quī tē nōn metuat,
 nēmō quī nōn ḍerit. Quae nota domesticae turpitūdinis nōn inūsta vītae tuae
 est? Quod prīvātārum rērum dēdecus nōn haeret in fāmā? Quae libīdō ab
 oculīs, quod facinus ā manibus tuīs, quod flāgitium ā tōtō corpore āfuit? Cui 5
 tū adulēscēntulō, quem corruptēlārum illecebrīs irrētīssēs, nōn aut ad
 audāciām ferrum aut ad libīdinēm facem praetulisti? 7

absum, -esse, āfū: to be away, be absent, 2

adulēscēntulus, -ī m.: very young man

aut: or (aut...aut – either...or), 14*

corpus, **corporis**, n.: body, 3

corruptēla, -ae f.: corruption, seduction, temptation

dēdecus, -oris n.: disgrace, dishonor, shame

dēlectō (1): delight, please, charm

domesticus, -a, -um: domestic, of the home, 2

extrā: outside; beyond, outside of (acc.)

facinus, **facinoris** n.: (bad) deed, action; crime, 4

fāma, -ae f.: rumor, story, reputation, report

fax, **facis** f.: torch, firebrand, 2

1 **enim**: (yes), for...; postpositive, translate first
quid est...quod...possit: what is it that would...?

quod...possit is a relative clause of characteristic with 3s pres. subj. possum,

in quā...est: in which...; a relative clause (not an interrogative) with fem. urbe as antecedent

2 **perdit-ōrum**: lost, corrupted; 2nd decl. gen. pl. of the PPP of perdō, -ere,

quī...metuat: who would...; relative clause of characteristic with pres. subj. (quī = talis ut, ‘the sort that’); translate as a potential subj.

3 (et) **nēmō (est) quī...ḍerit**: who would...;
asyndeton and anaphora; another relative clause of characteristic (quī = talis ut); ḍī is a defective verb: pf. subj. in form, pres. in sense
quae nōta: what mark...; interrogative adj.; Cicero is perhaps alluding to the branding of runaway slaves with a letter ‘F’ for fugitīvus on their foreheads.

inusta...est: 3s pf. passive inūrō

ferrum, -ī n.: iron; sword, weapon, tool, 2

flāgitium, -īī n.: shameful deed, disgrace, 2

haereō, -ēre, **haesī**: cling, stick

illecebra, -ae f.: charm, enticement

inūrō, -ere, -ūssī, -ūstum: burn in, brand, curl

irrētiō, -īre, -īvī, -ītum: ensnare, entrap

libīdō, -inis f.: lust, pleasure, desire, passion, 2

metuō, -ere, -ūī: dread, fear, be afraid, 4

nōta, -ae f.: mark, note, sign, 1

ōdī, -isse: hate, 3

praeferō, -ferre, -tūlī, -lātum: offer, carry before

tōtus -a, -um: whole, entire, 3

turpitūdō, -dīnis f.: disgrace, shame, dishonor, 3

vītae tuae: on...; dat. of compound inūsta est

4 **quod...dēdecus**: what disgrace...?

quae libīdō...quod facinus...quod flāgitium: what...what...what...; anaphora and ellipsis; a series of three interrogative adjectives and subjects with one verb, āfuit, 3s pf. of absum; an excellent example of tricolon crescens

5 **Cui...adulēscēntulō...praetulisti**: to what young boy, whom you had ensnared with your charms of seduction, have you not brought either a sword for audacious crime or a torch for lust?; cui adulēscēntō is a dat. ind. obj. (or of compound verb); irrētīssēs is a plpf. subj. in a relative clause of characteristic; illecebrīs is abl. of means; and ad + acc. expresses purpose

7 **ferrum**: synecdoche, the part, ‘iron,’ refers to the whole, ‘sword’ (cf. Lesson 10)

facem: This is likely just a torch to light the way for a young man so he can travel by night and engage in an illicit affair with a woman.

ferō, ferre, tūlī, lātum: carry, bring; bear, endure

1st ferō ferimus

ferō is a regular 3rd conj. verb with the exception that 2s, 2p, & 3s present, the imperatives, and pres. act. and pass. inf. lack a vowel.

2nd fers¹ fertis

There are 21 uses of ferō and its eight compounds in the speech.

3rd fert¹ ferunt

Ferō almost always means “endure,” while the compounds with

imper. fer³ ferte

one exception (perferēmus, p. 6) mean “bring” or “carry.”

ferri¹

Quid **est** enim, Catilīna, 1
 quod tē iam in hāc urbe dēlectāre possit?
 in quā
 nēmō est extrā istam coniūrātiōnem perditōrum hominum, 2
 quī tē nōn metuat,
 nēmō, 3
 quī nōn ḍerit.

Quae nota domesticae turpitūdinis
 nōn **inūsta** vītae tuae **est**? 4

Quod prīvātārum rērum dēdecus
 nōn **haeret** in fāmā?

Quae libīdō ab oculīs, 5
 quod facinus ā manibus umquam tuīs,
 quod flāgitium ā tōtō corpore **āfuit**? 6

Cui tū adulēscēntulō,
 quem corruptēlārum illecebrīs irrētīssēs,
 nōn aut ad audāciam ferrum
 aut ad libīdinem facem **praetulisti**? 7

Conditions

If-then clauses are called conditions or conditional sentences. All conditions have two parts: (a) the **protasis** (premise, if-clause, or conditional) and (b) the **apodosīs** (result, then-clause, or consequent). In order to identify one of the six main types of pure conditions below, you must identify the tense and mood of the verbs in both the protasis and apodosīs. If the verbs do not fit one of these types, we call such a sentence a mixed condition.

<u>name</u>	<u>protasis</u>	<u>apodosīs</u>	<u>example in translation</u>
simple present ¹¹	pres.	pres.	<i>If you believe, you are mistaken.</i>
simple past ¹	past	past	<i>If you believed, you were mistaken.</i>
future more vivid ⁹	fut./fut. pf.	fut.	<i>If you will believe, you will be mistaken.</i>
future less vivid ³	pres. subj.	pres. subj.	<i>If you should believe, you would be mistaken.</i>
pres. contrafactual ³	impf. subj.	impf. subj.	<i>If you were believing, you would be mistaken.</i>
past contrafactual ¹	plpf. subj.	plpf. subj.	<i>If you had believed, you would have been mistaken.</i>

There are 28 pure conditions, 2 mixed contrafactuals, 1 mixed future vivid condition, and 12 other mixed or incomplete conditions. Throughout the commentary, the contrafactual is called a contrary-to-fact condition.

N.B. (1) Translate a future in a protasis as a present with future sense. English prefers the present.

e.g. sī t̄bis, laetus erō. *If you go (=will go), I will be happy.*

(2) Translate a future perfect in a protasis—very common in Cicero—as a present with future sense.

Cicero uses fut. pf. rather than fut. to emphasize that the action is completed (*perfectum*) before the action of the apodosīs. In English, we often leave that notion of completion unexpressed.

(3) A perfect may replace a pres. ind. or subj. in a protasis for the reason given in #2, and an imperative may replace (and does on several occasions) a pres. in an apodosīs.

14. Quid vērō? Nūper cum morte superiōris uxōris novīs nūptiīs domum 1
 vacuēfēcissēs, nōnne etiam aliō incrēdibilī scelere hoc scelus cumulāstī?
 Quod ego praetermittō et facile patior silērī, nē in hāc cīvitātē tantī facinoris
 immānitās aut exstisste aut nōn vindicāta esse videātur. Praetermittō ruīnās
 fortūnārum tuārum, quās omnēs proximīs īdibus tibi impendēre sentiēs; ad 5
 illa veniō quae nōn ad prīvātam īgnōminiam vitiōrum tuōrum, nōn ad
 domesticam tuam difficultātem ac turpitūdinem, sed ad summam rem
 pūblicam atque ad omnium nostrum vītam salūtemque pertinent. 8

alius, -a, -ud: other, another, else
cīvitās. cīvitātīs, f.: state, citizenship, 3
cumulō (1): heap up,
difficultās, -tatis f.: trouble, difficulty
domesticus, -a, -um: domestic, of the home, 2
exstō, -āre, -stītī: stand out, arise, exist, 2
facilis, -e: easy, 2
facinus, facinoris n.: (bad) deed, action; crime, 4
fortūna, -ae f.: fortune, chance, luck, 5*
īdūs, -uum: Ides
īgnōminia, -ae f.: disgrace, shame, dishonor
immānitās, -tatis f.: enormity, monstrousness,
impendeō, -ēre: hang over, threaten (dat) 4
incrēdibilis, -e: unbelieveable, 3

- 1 **quid vērō:** what (about it), indeed?
cum...vacuēfēcissēs: when...; plpf. subj.
morte: by...; abl. of means
superiōris: previous; comparative is temporal
novīs nūptiīs: for...; dative of purpose
 2 **nōnne...cumulā(vi)stī:** did you not...?; nōn-ne
 anticipates an elicits a 'yes' response; cumulāstī
 is a syncopated form of 2s pf. cumulā(vi)stī
etiam: still
aliō incrēdibilī scelere: abl. means; Catilina
 was rumored to have killed his own son for his
 second wife; the adj. is 3rd decl. i-stem abl.
 3 **quod:** this (wickedness) ...; connective relative,
 see box on p. 27
praetermittō: praeteritio, the device where a
 speaker mentions a point by asserting to not
 mention it; cf. Lesson 3
patior: I allow, 1s deponent
silērī: pres. pass. inf., quod is acc. subj.
facile: easily; adverb
 6 **nē...videātur:** so that...may not seem...; neg.

-ne: (introducing a yes/no question), 9*
novus, -a, -um: new, recent, novel, strange, 2
nūper: recently, lately, newly
nūptiae, -ārum: wedding, marriage
pertineō, -ēre, -tinū: to stretch out, reach
praetermittō, -ere, -mīsī: pass over, let go past, 2
proximus, -a, -um: nearest, 3
ruīna, -ae f.: ruin, downfall
sileō, -ēre, -uī: be silent, keep silent
turpitūdō, -dīnis f.: disgrace, shame, dishonor, 3
uxor, ūxōris f.: wife, spouse
vacuēfaciō, -ere, -fēcī, -factum: make empty, 2
vindicō (1): avenge, punish, protect, vindicate, 3
vitium, -īi n.: vice, fault, defect, 2

- purpose clause with 3s pres. pass. subj.; as
 before, the passive of videō is often translated
 as 'seem'
 4 **aut...aut:** either...or; with pf. active and pf.
 passive complementary infinitives respectively
 5 **quās omnēs:** all of which; 'which all'
proximīs īdibus: on...; ablative of time when;
 debts were often paid on the Kalends (1st) and
 Ides (13th - 15th) of each month, Cicero notes
 that Catiline will have a large debt to pay on the
 next Ides.
tibi: over you; 'on you,' dat. of compound verb
sentīs: 2s fut.
 6 **veniō:** I come; i.e. to the part of the speech
ad illa...qua...pertinent: to those things
 which...; illa is the neut. pl. antecedent of quae
ad...ad...ad...pertinent: pertain to....to....to;
anaphora; the verb pertineō often governs ad +
 accusative
 6 **omnīum nostrū:** of us all; gen. pl. of nōs and
 not a form of the possessive adj. noster

Quid vērō?	1
Nūper cum morte superiōris uxōris novīs nūptiīs domum vacuēfēcissēs,	2
nōnne etiam aliō incrēdibilī scelere hoc scelus cumulāvistī?	
Quod ego praetermittō et facile patior silērī,	3
nē in hāc cīvitātē tantī facinoris immānitās	4
aut exstittisse	
aut nōn vindicāta esse videātur.	
Praetermittō ruīnās fortūnārum tuārum,	5
quās omnēs proximīs īdibus tibi impendēre sentiēs;	
ad illa veniō	6
quaē nōn ad prīvātam īgnōminiam vitiōrum tuōrum,	
nōn ad domesticam tuam difficultātem ac turpitūdinem,	7
sed ad summam rem pūblicam	8
atque ad omnium nostrum vītam salūtemque pertinent.	

Quod Clauses³⁰

In addition to being a relative pronoun and interrogative adjective (*which, that*), quod is a conjunction which introduces a substantive clause (*that, the fact that...*) or causal quod clause (*because...*). Both are called quod clauses. There is no easy way to distinguish these uses, so context must be your guide.

1. Relative ¹⁵	id quod	<i>that which...</i>	12, 14, 16, 18, 28, 30, 32, 40, 44, 56, 68
Quod sī ³	quod sī...	<i>but if...</i>	62, 64, 66
2. Interrogative Adj. ³	quod facīnus...?	<i>which deed...?</i>	30
3. Substantive ⁵	illa...quod	<i>those things...(namely) that...</i>	6, 36, 36, 42, 42
4. Causal ⁴	quod...	<i>because...</i>	22, 24, 36, 42

Quod sī: Before a conjunction such as sī, quod is a connective relative pronoun (*this/that*) and acc. of respect (*in respect to..., as for...*). Quod sī, therefore, literally means “as for this, if...” but is often translated “but if...” and less often “now, if...” or “in fact if...” It occurs three times in the speech.

The conjunction quod was once an acc. of respect of the relative pronoun, “in which” or “in that,” but we now translate this conjunction as “that...,” “the fact that...,” or “because...” as seen below.

Substantive Clause of Fact (the fact that, that...): This quod clause is an alternative to acc. + inf clauses. It can be the subject of a verb, the object of a verb, or in apposition to a pronoun (e.g. illa... quod, p. 6 above). The entire quod clause can also be an acc. of respect, and in fact it is used in just this way four times with the interrogative *quid* in the speech:

quid quod...?: *What (do you say) in respect to the fact that...? → What about the fact that...?*

Causal Quod (because...): A substantive quod clause which is explanatory is called a “causal quod clause” and quod translates as “because.”

Habenda est grātia quod effūgimus. *Gratitude must be felt because we escaped...*

15. Potestne tibi haec lūx, Catilīna, aut hūius caelī spīritus esse iūcundus, 1
 cum sciās esse hōrum nēminem quī nēsciat tē prīdiē Kalendās Iānuāriās,
 Lepidō et Tullō cōnsulibus, stetisse in Comitiō cum tēlō? Manum cōnsulum
 et prīcipium cīvitātis interficiendōrum causā parāvisse? Scelerī ac furōrī tuō
 nōn mentem aliquam aut timōrem tuum, sed fortūnam populī Rōmānī 5
 obstitisse? Ac iam illa omittō—neque enim sunt aut obscūra aut nōn multa
 commissa posteā—quotiēns tū mē dēsignātum, quotiēns cōnsulem interficere
 cōnātus es! Quot ego tuās petītiōnēs ita coniectās ut vītārī posse nōn
 vidērentur, parvā quādam dēclīnātiōne et, ut āiunt, corpore effūgī! Nihil
 assequeris neque tamen cōnārī ac velle dēsistis. Quotiēns tibi iam extorta est 10
 ista sīca dē manibus!

āiō: say, assert

aliquī, -qua, -quod: some, any, definite, 5*

assequor, -ī, secūtūs: to attain, reach (by pursuit)

caelum, -ī n.: sky

causā: for the sake of (+ preceding gen.), 3

cīvitās, cīvitātis, f.: state, citizenship, 3

comitium, -ōrum n.: meeting, assembly, 2

commissum, -ī n.: offense, crime

cōnātus, -ūs f.: attempt

conīcio, -ere, -iēcī: throw, cast, hurl

cōnor, cōnārī, cōnātus sum: to try, attempt, 2

corpus, corporis, n.: body, 3

dēclīnātiō, -ōnis f.: swerve, bend, tilt

dēsignō (1): mark out, point out, designate, 3

dēsistō, -ere, -stītī, -stītus: cease (from), desist

effugiō, -ere, effūgī: flee away, escape, 2

extorqueō, -ēre, -torsī, -tortum: twist away

Iānuārius, -a, -um: of January

iūcundus, -a, -um: pleasant, agreeable, delightful

Lepidus, -ī m.: Manius Aemilius Lepidus, 2

lūx, lūcis, f.: light, 3

nesciō, -ire, -ivī: not know, be ignorant, 3

obscūrō (1): hide, conceal

obstō, -āre, obstītī, obstatum: stand in the way, oppose, 2

omittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missum: let go, pass over

parō (1): prepare, make (ready)

parvus, -a, -um: small

petītiō, -ōnis f.: thrust, blow, attack, aim

populus, -ī m.: people, nation, 4

posteā: thereafter, afterwards, 2

prīdiē: on the day before, the previous day

prīnceps, -cipis m./f.: leader, chief, foremost, 3

quot: how many? 1

quotiēns: how often?, 4

sciō, -ire, -ivī, -itus: know (how), understand 4

sīca, -ae f.: dagger

spīritus, -ī n.: breath, spirit

stō, -āre, stētī: stand

tēlum, -ī n.: weapon, projectile, arrow, spear, 3

timor, -oris m.: fear, dread, anxiety, 3

Tullus, -ī m.: Tullus (nomen)

vītō (1): avoid, evade, shun, 4

volō, velle, volūī: will, wish, be willing, 4

1 **potestne...esse:** is...able to be...?

tibi: dat. of reference with iūcundus

lux...aut...spīritus: Because of the disjunction

aut, there are two subjects but a 3s verb

(potest-ne) and singular predicate (iūcundus)

hūius caelī: gen. sg. modifying spīritus

2 **cum sciās:** since you know...; + three infinitives

cum is causal in sense; pres. subj. sciō

esse...nēminem: that there is...; ind. disc.,

hōrum refers to the senators

qui nēsciat: relative clause of characteristic with pres. subj.

tē...stetisse: that you...; ind. disc., pf. inf. stō

prīdiē Kalendās Iānuāriās: on the day before the Kalends of January; i.e. Dec. 31st, the day before Cicero took office

3 **Lepidō et Tullō cōnsulibus:** (while) Lepidus and Tullus (were) consuls; abl. abs.

(tē) manum...parāvisse: That (you)...; ellipsis, 2nd ind. disc. governed by nēsciat; pf. inf. parō

manum: a group; i.e. of assassins, acc. d.o.

cōnsulum...interficiendōrum causā: for the sake of killing...; ‘for the sake of consuls going to be killed’ Perform a gerund-gerundive flip.

Potestne tibi haec lūx, Catilīna,	1
aut hūius caelī spīritus esse iūcundus,	
cum sciās	2
[esse hōrum nēminem quī nēsciat]	
[tē prīdiē Kalendās Iānuāriās, Lepidō et Tullō cōnsulibus, stetisse	3
in Comitiō cum tēlō]?	
[Manum	
cōsulūm et prīncipium cīvitātis interficiendōrum causā parāvisse]	4
[Scelerī ac furōrī tuō	
nōn mentem aliquam	5
aut timōrem tuum,	
sed fortūnam populī Rōmānī obstitisse]	6
Ac iam illa omittō	
—neque enim sunt aut obscūra aut nōn multa commissa posteā—	7
quotiēns tū mē dēsignātum,	
quotiēns cōnsulem interficere cōnātus es!	8
quot ego tuās petītiōnēs	
ita coniectās ut vītarī posse nōn vidērentur,	9
parvā quādam dēclīnātiōne et, ut āiunt, corpore effūgī!	
Nihil assequeris neque tamen cōnārī ac velle dēsistis.	10
Quotiēns tibi iam extorta est ista sīca dē manibus!	11

4 **Scelerī...mentem...obstissete:** (*who does not know*) *that not any thought...*; a 3rd ind. disc.

‘ governed by nēsciat; pf. inf. obstō
scelerī ac furōrī tuō;’ dat. of compound inf.

6 **omittō;** praeteritiō; illa, ‘those things,’ is acc.
neque enim sunt: (*yes*), *for they are not...*
aut...aut; either...or
nōn multa;; few; litotes, ‘not many’

7 **commissa:** *crimes committed*; ‘things having been committed,’ a neut. pl. substantive formed from the PPP; the verb committō has a negative connotation (i.e. commit a crime).

quotiēns, quotiēns...quotiēns: anaphora; here introducing exclamations rather than questions
mē dēsignātum (consulem)...(mē) consulem:
ellipsis; *me as consul elect... (me) as consul*;
acc. direct object and acc. apposition

8 **conātus es:** *you tried*; deponent 2s pf.
quot...tuās petītiōnēs...: *how many of your*

thrusts did I...?; the context suggests that the petītiōnēs are thrusts of a sword in a swordfight
ut...vidērentur: *so that they seemed...*; a result clause with impf. subj; the understood subject is petītiōnēs

9 **parvā dēclīnātiōne...corpore:** *with some small swerve of the body*; hendiadys, a devise where a two terms refer to one object; in this case, ‘swerve and body’ for ‘swerve of the body’
ut aiunt: *as they say*; i.e. as the saying goes

10 **assequeris:** 2s pres. deponent
cōnārī ac velle: *from...*; in keeping with English idiom, translate these infinitives of cōnor and volō as gerunds (-ing) following 2s pres. dēsistō

tibi: *your*; dat. of possession with manibus; the alternative, ‘from you,’ dat. of compound verb, seems unlikely with dē manibus

11 **ista:** *that...of yours*

16. Quotiēns excidit cāsū aliquō et ēlāpsa est! Quae quidem quibus abs tē
VII initiāta sacrīs ac dēvōta sit, nesciō, quod eam necesse putās esse in cōnsulis
corpore dēfigere. Nunc vērō quae tua est ista vīta? Sīc enim iam tēcum
loquar, nōn ut odiō permōtus esse videar, quō dēbeō, sed ut misercordiā,
quae tibi nūlla dēbētur. Vēnistī paulō ante in senātum. Quis tē ex hāc tantā
frequentiā, tot ex tuīs amīcīs ac necessāriīs salūtāvit? Sī hoc post hominum
memoriam contigit nēminī, vōcis exspectās contumēliam, cum sīs
gravissimō iūdiciō taciturnitātis oppressus? Quid quod adventū tuō ista
subsellia vacuēfacta sunt, quod omnēs cōnsulārēs, quī tibi persaepe ad
caedem cōnstitūtī fuērunt, simul atque assēdistī, partem istam subselliōrum
nūdam atque inānem relīquērunt, quō tandem animō tibi ferendum putās?

adventus, -ūs m.: arrival, approach

aliquandō: sometimes, at some time, 3

amīcus, -ī m.: friend, 2

animus, -ī m.: spirit, soul, breath, courage, 5*

assidō, -ere, -sēdī: take a seat, sit down, be seated
cāsūs, -ūs m.: misfortune, chance; accident, event

constituō, -ere, -uī, -ūtūs: decide, establish, 4

cōnsulāris, -e: consular, of a consul, 3

contingō, -ere, -tīgī, -tāctus: touch, befall

contumēlia, -ae f.: insult, abuse, reproach

corpus, corporis, n.: body, 3

dēbeō, dēbēre, dēbuī, dēbitum: to ought, owe, 6*

dēfigō, -ere, -fixī, -fixum: fix, fasten down

dēvoveō, -ere, -vōvī, -vōtūm: vow, consecrate

ēlābor, ēlābī, ēlāpsus sum: slip off or away

ēō, īre, īvī, itūm: to go, come, 5*

excidō, -ere, excidī: fall out, slip out from
frequentia, -ae f.: multitude, crowd, 2

inānis, is: empty; vain, groundless

initiō (1): initiate, begin, consecrate

iūdiciū, -ī n.: judgment, trial, sentence 2

loquor, -ī, locūtūs: speak, say, 6*

memoria, -ae f.: memory, 2

misercordia, -ae f.: pity, compassion, sympathy

necessāriūs, ī m.: connections; relations

1 **excidit**: 3s pf.; add sīca, ‘dagger’ as subject
cāsū aliquō: by...; abl. of manner

quae: this (dagger); connective relative, p. 27

quae quibus...sacrīs...initiāta (sit)...dēvōta

sit: by what rites this....; ind. question with
quibus as an interrogative adj.; translate quae,
the subject, as demonstrative ‘this;’ 3s pf.

pass. subj. verbs

quod...putās: because...; causal quod

necessis, -e: necessary

nesciō, -īre, -īvī: not know, be ignorant, 3

nūdus, -a, -um: nude, bare

odium, -ī n.: hatred, loathing, 2

opprimō, -ere, -pressī, -pressum: check,
overpower, 3

pars, partis, f.: part, share, 3

paulus, -a, -um: little, small, 4

permōveō, -ere: to move deeply, stir, agitate

persaepe: very often, 2

post: after, behind (+ acc.); afterward, next

putō (1): to think, imagine, 5*

quidem: indeed, in fact, assuredly, certainly, 2

quotiēns: how often?, 4

relinquō, -ere, -līquī, -līctum: to leave behind,
abandon, 4

sacer, sacra, sacrum: sacred; n. pl. sacred rites

salūtō (1): greet, salute, pay respects to, 2

sīc: thus, in this way, 3

simul: at the same time, at once

subsellium, -ī n.: seat, bench, 2

taciturnitās, -tātis f.: silence

tot: so many

vacuēfaciō, -ere, -fēcī, -factum: make empty, 2

eam necesse...esse: that it is necessary

to...; ind. disc. governed by putās; eam (the
sīca) is obj. of dēfigere

3 **Nunc vērō**: but now; vērō, ‘but,’ is abl. as adv.

tua...ista: that...of yours

enīm: i.e. I say this because...; postpositive

loquar: 1s fut. deponent

4 **ut...videar**: so that...; a purpose clause with
1s pres. subj.; videor, ‘seem,’ as a linking verb

Quotiēns **excidit** cāsū aliquō et **ēlāpsa est!** 1
 Quae quidem quibus abs tē initiāta sacrīs ac dēvōta sit, **nesciō,** 2
 quod eam necesse putās esse in cōnsulis corpore dēfigere. 3
 Nunc vērō quae tua **est** ista vīta?
 Sīc enim iam tēcum **loquar,** 4
 nōn ut odiō permōtus esse videar,
 quō dēbeō,
 sed ut misericordiā,
 quae tibi nūlla dēbētur. 5
Vēnistī paulō ante in senātum.
 Quis tē ex hāc tantā frequentiā, 6
 tot ex tuīs amīcīs ac necessāriīs salūtāvit?
 Sī hoc post hominum memoriam contigit nēminī, 7
 vōcis **exspectās** contumēliam,
 cum sīs gravissimō iūdiciō taciturnitātis oppressus? 8
 Quid quod adventū tuō ista subsellia **vacuēfacta sunt,** 9
 quod omnēs cōnsulārēs,
 quī tibi persaepe ad caedem cōnstitūtī fuērunt, 10
 simul atque assēdistī,
 partem istam subselliōrum nūdam atque inānem **relīquērunt,**
 quō tandem animō [tibi ferendum] **putās?** 11

4 **quō (permōtus esse) debeō:** by which (hatred); ellipsis, quō is abl. means, and the antecedent is odiō; supply permōtus esse from above
ut misericordiā (permōtus esse videar): ellipsis; supply the clause from above to complete the purpose clause

5 **nūlla:** not at all; a strong negative with quae dēbētur: is owed
paulō: a little: abl. degree of difference

6 **tot:** modifying amīcīs ac necessāriīs
hoc...contigit: this happens; i.e. no greeting
post hominum memoriam: in the memory of people; i.e. as far back as people can recollect

7 **nēminī:** to no one (else); dat. of interest, nēmō
exspectās: are you waiting for...?; in a question
cum sīs oppressus: when you are overwhelmed
 8 **quid quod...quod:** what about the fact that...

(and the fact) that...?; these substantive quod clauses are both acc. of respect: 'what (do you say) in respect to the fact that...'

adventū tuō: because of...; abl. of cause
ista subsellia: those chairs near you

9 **omnēs cōnsulārēs:** all of consular rank
ad caedem: for...; expressing purpose

10 **cōnstitūtī fuērunt:** were (those) decided upon;
 3p pf. sum + PPP cōnstituō as predicate adj.

simul atque: as soon as...; common idiom
partem istam: i.e. that part near you
nūdam...inānem: acc. predicate adjectives

11 **quō tandem animō...:** with what purpose, pray...?; in what state of mind...?; manner
tibi ferendum (esse): that (this) must be....; ind. disc. with passive periphrastic (gerundive + sum) with a dative of agent (tibi); add esse

17. Servī mēhercule meī sī mē istō pactō metuerent, ut tē metuunt omnēs 1
 cīvēs tuī, domum meam relinquendam putārem: tū tibi urbem nōn arbitrāris?
 Et sī mē meīs cīvibus iniūriā suspectum tam graviter atque offēsum
 vidērem, carēre mē aspectū civium quam īfestīs omnium oculīs cōspicī
 māllem: tū, cum cōscientiā scelerum tuōrum agnōscās odium omnium, 5
 iūstum et iam diū tibi dēbitum, dubitās, quōrum mentēs sēnsūsque vulnerās,
 eōrum aspectum praesentiamque vītāre? Sī tē parentēs timērent atque
 ḍissent tuī neque eōs ratiōne ūllā plācāre possēs, ut opīnor, ab eōrum oculīs
 aliquō concēderēs. Nunc tē patria, quae commūnis est parēns omnium
 nostrum, ḍit ac metuit, et iam diū nihil tē iūdicat nisi dē parricīdiō suō 10
 cōgitāre; hūius tū neque auctōritātem verēbere nec iūdiciū sequēre nec vim
 pertimēscēs? 12

agnōscō, -ere, agnōvī: recognize, acknowledge
aliquandō: sometimes, at some time, 3
aliquō: (to) somewhere
arbitror, -ārī, arbitrātus sum: to judge, think, 2
aspectus, -ūs m.: sight, look
careō, -ere, caruī: lack, be without (+ abl.), 2
cōgītō (1): to think, ponder, consider; plan, 4
commūnis, -e: common
concēdō, -ere: go away, withdraw, retire, yield
cōscientia, -ae f.: consciousness, knowledge
conspectiō, -ere, -spēxī, -spectus: see, behold
dubitō (1): waver, hesitate, be in doubt, 3
īnfēstus, -a, -um: hostile, dangerous, 2
iniūria, -ae f.: wrong, insult, injustice
iūdiciū, -ī n.: judgment, trial, sentence 2
iūdicō (1): judge, decide, assess, investigate, 3
iūstus, -a -um: just, fair, right(eous), 3
mālō, mālle, māluī (magis vōlō): prefer, wish, 2
Mēhercule: By Hercules! (an exclamation)
metuō, -ere, -uī: dread, fear, be afraid, 4
nec: and not, nor, 3
nisi: if not, unless 3
ōdī, -isse: hate, 3

- 1 **Servī...meī:** subject of metuerent
sī...metuerent...putārem: if...feared...I would
 think...; present contrary to fact condition (sī
 impf. subj., impf. subj.)
ut...metuunt: as...; ut in a comparative clause
- 2 **domum meam relinquendam (esse):** that...
 must be...; ind. disc., with passive periphrastic
 (gerundive + sum), supply the inf. esse
- 3 **tibi urbem (reliquendam esse):** that...; ellipsis
 ind. disc., urbem is acc. subj., add the passive

odium, -ī n.: hatred, loathing, 2
offendō, -ere, -dī, offensum: offend, taunt, strike
opīnor, -ārī, opīnātus: to suppose, believe, think
pactum, -ī n.: pact, agreement, 2
parēns, -ntis m/f: parent, 2
parricīdiūm, -ī n.: parricide, murder, treason, 2
patria, -ae f.: fatherland, country, 6*
pertimēscō, -ere, -timuī: become very fearful, 3
plācō (1): to appease, reconcile, calm, 1
praesentia, -ae f.: presence
ratiō, ratiōnis, f.: account, reason, way, 2
relinquō, -ere, -līquī, -lictum: to leave behind,
 abandon, 4
sēnsus, -ūs m.: feeling, perception, sensation
sequor, -ī, secūtus: follow, attend, accompany
servus, -ī, m.: slave, 2
suspiciō, -ere, -spēxī, -spectus: suspect, look upon
timeō, -ēre, -uī: fear, dread, 4
ūllus, -a, -um: any, 4
vereor, -ērī, -itus: be afraid, fear; revere, 3
vīs, (vīs), f.: force, power, violence, 4
vītō (1): avoid, evade, shun, 4
vulnerō (1): wound, injure, 2

- periphrastic from above; tibi is dat. of agent
arbitrāris: 2s pres. deponent
sī...vidērem...māllem: If I saw ... I would
 prefer; pres. contrary to fact (sī impf. subj.,
 impf.) 1s impf. subj. mālō, mālle
meīs cīvibus: in the eyes of...; dat. of reference
iniūriā: with injustice; i.e. unjustly, abl. manner
4 cārēre mē quam...cōspicī: that I...than I be...
 ind. disc. which includes a comparison; mē is
 the acc. subj. of both act. inf. and pass. inf.

Servī mēhercule meī sī mē istō pactō metuerent, 1
ut tē metuunt omnēs cīvēs tuī, 2
[domum meam relinquendam] **putārem**:
tū [tibi urbem] nōn **arbitrāris**?

Et sī mē meīs cīvibus iniūriā suspectum tam graviter offēnsum vidērem, 3-4
[carēre mē aspectū civium
quam īfestīs omnium oculīs cōspicī] **māllem**: 5
tū, cum cōnscientiā scelerum tuōrum agnōscās
[odium omnium, iūstum et iam diū tibi dēbitum,] 6
dubitās,
quōrum mentēs sēnsūsque vulnerās,
eōrum aspectum praesentiamque vītāre? 7

Sī tē parentēs timērent atque ūdissent tuī 8
neque eōs ratiōne ūllā plācāre possēs,
ut opīnor,
ab eōrum oculīs aliquō **concēderēs**. 9

Nunc tē patria,
quae commūnis est parēns omnium nostrum, 10
ōdit ac metuit,
et iam diū [nihil tē **iūdicat**
nisi dē parricīdiō suō cōgitāre]; 11
hūius tū neque auctōritātem **verēbere**
nec iūdiciūm **sequēre**
nec vim **permīescēs**? 12

4 **aspectū**: from...; abl. of separation
īfestīs...oculīs: abl. of means

5 **cum...agnōscās**: when...; with 2s pres. subj., cōnscientiā is abl. of means

6 **odium omnium iūstum et...debitum (esse)**:
that...; ind. disc., odium is acc. subj., supply
the inf. esse; omnium is a subjective gen.
quōrum mentēs sēnsūsque vulnerās...eōrum:
of those whose minds and feelings you wound;
eōrum, 'of those,' is the antecedent of quōrum

8 **sī timērent...ōdissent...possēs,...concēderēs**:
if (they) feared...hated....you were able..., you
would withdraw; present contrary to fact
condition (sī impf. subj., impf. subj.); ūdi is a

defective verb: thus, ūdissent is plpf. subj. in
form impf. in sense

8 **tuī**: your; with parentēs, in emphatic position
ut opīnor: as I believe; parenthetical

9 **aliquō**: somewhere; adv. (cf. quō)
10 **nostrum**: gen. pl. of nōs, not a possessive adj.
nihil tē...cōgitāre: that you think (about)
nothing...; ind. disc. governed by patria iūdicat
nihil is acc. of the inf., and tē is acc. subject
nisi: except..

11 **hūius**: of this one; i.e. of the patria
verēber(is)...sequēr(is): 2s fut. deponents

12 **permīescēs**: 2s fut.; all 12 lines (conditions +
questions) form a very large tricolon crescens

18. Quae tēcum, Catilīna, sīc agit et quōdam modō tacita loquitur: “Nūllum iam aliquot annīs facinus exstitit nisi per tē, nūllum flāgitium sine tē; tibi ūnī multōrum cīvium necēs, tibi vexātiō dīreptiōque sociōrum impūnīta fuit ac lībera; tū nōn sōlum ad neglegendās lēgēs et quaesitiōnēs, vērum etiam ad ēvertendās perfringendāsque valuistī. Superiōra illa, quamquam ferenda nōn fuērunt, tamen, ut potuī, tulī; nunc vērō mē tōtam esse in metū propter ūnum tē, quidquid increpuerit, Catilīnam timērī, nūllum vidērī contrā mē cōnsilium inīrī posse quod ā tuō scelere abhorreat, nōn est ferendum. Quam ob rem discēde atque hunc mihi timōrem ēripe; sī est vērus, nē opprimar, sīn falsus, ut tandem aliquandō timēre dēsinam.”

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abhorreō, -ēre: shrink from; is averse to (+ab), 2
aliquandō: sometimes, at some time, 3
aliquot: some, a few
annus, -ī m.: year
contrā: opposite, facing (acc.); in response, 4
dēsinō, -ere, dēsītī, dēsītūm: cease, leave off, 2
dīreptiō, -iōnis f.: plundering, pillaging
discēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum: to go away, depart
ēripiō, -ere, -uī, reptus: rescue, snatch from, 2
ēvertō, -ere, ēvertī, ēversum: overturn
exstō, -āre, -stītī: stand out, arise, exist, 2
facinus, facinoris n.: (bad) deed, action; crime, 4
fallō, -ere, fefellī, falsum: deceive, trick, escape notice of, 2
flāgitium, -ī n.: shameful deed, disgrace, 2
impūnītūs, -a, -um: unpunished, unrestrained
increpō, -āre, -uī, -itum: make a sound, rustle
inēō, -ire, -ī, -itus: to enter, begin, go in,
lēx, lēgis f.: law, regulation, decree, 3
līber, lībera, līberum: free
neglegō, -ere, -lēxī, -lēctum: overlook, omit, 2
nex, necis f.: murder, violent death, slaughter, 2

nisi: if not, unless 3
ob: on account of (acc.), 2
oprimō, -ere, -pressī, -pressum: check, overpower, 3
per: through, across, 4
perfringō, ere, -frēgī, -fractum: break through, shatter, 1
propter: on account of, because of (acc.) 3
quaesitiō, -tiōnis f.: investigation, inquiry
quisquis, quidquid: whoever, whatever
sic: thus, in this way, 3
sīn: but if, if, however, 3
sine: without (abl.)
socius, -ī m.: ally, companion, comrade, 3
sōlus, -a, -um: alone, only, lone, sole, 5*
tacitus, -a, -um: silent, quiet, still, tacit, 2
timeō, -ēre, -uī: fear, dread, 4
timor, -oris m.: fear, dread, anxiety, 3
tōtūs -a, -um: whole, entire, 3
valeō, -ēre, -uī: to fare well, be strong, prevail
vexātiō, -tiōnis f.: harassing, vexing, troubling

- 1 **Quae:** *this one; Personification*; i.e. Patria, a connective relative
sīc agit: *thus pleads...; ‘carries on thus’*
quōdam modō: *in a certain manner*; manner
tacita: translate the nom. sg. adj. as an adverb
2 **aliquot annīs:** *within...; abl. of time within*
nisi: *except*
(b) **nūllum flāgitium (exstitit):** *asyndeton and ellipsis*; nom. subject; supply the verb
tibi ūnī...tibi...: *for you alone...for you*; dat. of interest (or dat. of possession); ūnus is a pronomial adj. (gen. sg. ūnīus, dat. sg. ūnī)
3 **multōrum cīvium necēs (fuērunt impūnītāe ac līberae):** heavy *ellipsis*; parallel to the

- following clause; referring to Catiline’s role in the proscriptions of Sulla
sociōrum: *of allies*; referring to 67 BC when Catiline was propraetor in North Africa
impūnīta...ac lībera: *with impunity and free (from restraint)*; singular predicates and 3s verb agreeing with plural subjects
4 **nōn sōlum...vērum etiam:** *not only...but also*; vērum, ‘in truth,’ is an adverbial acc.
ad neglegendās...: *for neglecting...; perform a gerund-gerundive flip*: translate this gerundive as a gerund (-ing); ad + acc. expressing purpose
5 **ad (lēgēs) ēvertendās perfringendāsque:** another gerund-gerundive flip; supply lēgēs

Quae tēcum, Catilīna, sīc agit 1
 et quōdam modō tacita loquitur:
 “Nūllum iam aliquot annīs facinus exstitit nisi per tē, 2
 nūllum flāgitium sine tē;
 tibi ūnī multōrum cīvium necēs, 3
 tibi vexātiō dīreptiōque sociōrum impūnīta fuit ac lībera; 4
 tū nōn sōlum ad neglegendās lēgēs et quaesitiōnēs,
 vērum etiam ad ēvertendās perfringendāsque valuistī. 5
 Superiōra illa,
 quamquam ferenda nōn fuērunt, 6
 tamen, ut potuī, tulī;
 nunc vērō
 [mē tōtam esse in metū propter ūnum tē]; 7
 [quidquid increpuerit, Catilīnam timērī],
 [nūllum vidērī contrā mē cōnsilium inīrī posse 8
 quod ā tuō scelere abhorreat],
 nōn est ferendum. 9
 Quam ob rem discēde
 atque hunc mihi timōrem ēripe;
 sī est vērus, nē opprimar,
 sīn falsus, ut tandem aliquandō timēre dēsinam.” 10

- 5 **Superiōra illa:** *those previous (actions);* subj.
ferenda fuērunt: *did have to be endured;* a passive periphrastic (gerundive + 3p pf.); illa is the subject
- 6 **ut potuī:** *as (much as) I was able*
tulī: 1s pf. ferō
nunc vērō: *but now; ‘now in truth’ abl. as adv.*
mē tōtam...esse, Catilīnam...timērī, nūllum ...vidērī: *that I entirely...that Catiline...that no plan seems...;* asyndeton, three acc. + inf. clauses (~ind. disc.) governed by ferendum est, ‘it must not be endured,’ below; the 1st pers. speaker is still personified fem. sg. Patria
ūnum tē: *you alone*
- 7 **quidquid increpuerit:** *whatever (sound he)...;* pf. subj. of a subordinate clause in an inf. clause (Catilīnam timērī); quidquid is an inner acc.; the missing antecedent is an abl. of respect, i.e. in respect to sound whatever (sound)...

- Catilīnam timērī:** ind. disc. with pass. inf.
inīrī posse: governed by vīdērī, ‘seems’ inf. possum and pass. inf. of ineō, inīre, ‘enter’
quod...abhorreat: *which...;* pres. subj. of a subordinate clause in an inf. clause (~ ind. disc.), the neuter antecedent is cōnsilium
nōn est ferendum: *it must not be endured;* an impersonal passive periphrastic that governs three inf. clauses starting from line 6
quam ob rem: ob quam rem; a connective relative adj.: translate quam as ‘this’
- 9 **mihi:** *from me;* dat. of compound verb
sī est vērus: supply masc. sg. timor as subject
nē opprimar: *so that I may...;* neg. purpose clause with 1s pres. subj. passive
sīn falsus (est): *but if...;* parallel to above
- 10 **ut...dēsinam:** *so that...;* purpose clause with 1s pres. subj.

VIII 19. Haec sī tēcum, ita ut dīxī, patria loquātur, nōnne impetrāre dēbeat, 1
 etiam sī vim adhibēre nōn possit? Quid quod tū tē ipse in custōdiam
 dedistī, quod vītandae suspīciōnis causā ad M. Lepidum tē habitāre velle
 dīxistī? Ā quō nōn receptus, etiam ad mē venīre ausus es, atque ut domī
 meae tē asservārem rogāstī. Cum ā mē quoque id respōnsum tulissēs, mē 5
 nūllō modō posse eīsdem parietibus tūtō esse tēcum, quī māgnō in
 perīculō essem, quod eīsdem moenibus continērēmur, ad Q. Metellum
 praetōrem vēnistī. Ā quō repudiātus, ad sodālem tuum, virum optimum, 10
 M. Metellum dēmigrāstī; quem tū vidēlicet et ad cūstōdiendum tē
 dīlignantissimum et ad suspicandum sagācissimum et ad vindicandum
 fortissimum fore putāstī. Sed quam longē vidētur ā carcere atque ā
 vinculīs abesse dēbēre, quī sē ipse iam dignum cūstōdiā iūdicārit? 12

absum, -esse, āfuī: to be away, be absent, 2
adhibeō, -ēre, -uī, -itum: to apply, admit
asservō (1): watch over, protect, guard, keep
audeō, -ēre, **ausus sum**: dare, venture, 4
carcer, -eris m.: prison
causā: for the sake of (+ preceding gen.), 3
contineō, -ēre, -nuī, -tentum: hold together, 3
cūstōdia, -ae f.: guard, sentinel, custody, 3
custōdiō, -īre, -īvī, -ītum: guard, defend, watch 2
dēmigrō (1): to move away, remove, depart
dignus, -a, -um: worthy of, deserving of (+ abl.)
dīligēns, -entis: diligent, careful, industrious, 2
dō, dare, **dedī**, **datum**: give; grant, allow, 3
habitō (1): to live, dwell
impetrō (1): attain (one's request), accomplish
iūdicō (1): judge, decide, assess, investigate, 3
Lepidus, -ī m.: Manius Aemilius Lepidus, 2
longē: far, afar
Metellus, -ī m.: Metellus, 2
moenia, -ōrum n.: walls (of a city) 3

1 **haec**: *these things*; acc. object
sī...loquātur, ...nōnne dēbeat: *if...should, ought it not...?*; a fut. less vivid condition (sī pres. subj., pres. subj.)
ita ut dīxi: *thus as...;* parenthetical
impetrāre: *to obtain (her request);* supply acc.
 2 **etiam sī...possit**: *even if...should;* 2nd protasis;
 in the same condition, pres. subj. possum
quid quod...quod: *what about the fact that... (and the fact) that...;* ellipsis and asyndeton;
 these substantive quod clauses are both acc. of respect: 'what (do you say) in respect to the fact that...'; see also Lesson 18 (p. 37)

optimus, -a, -um: best, noblest, finest, 5*
pariēs, -etis m.: wall, house walls, 2
praetor, -ōris m.: praetor, 3
Quintus (Q.) -ī m.: Quintus, 1
quoque: also
recipiō, -ere, -cēpī, -ceptus: take back, recover
repudiō, -āre, -āvī, -ātum: reject, scorn
respōnsum, -ī n.: response, reply, 1
rogō (1): to ask, 3
sagāx, -ācis: keen, alert, wise
sodālis, -is m.: companion, comrade
suspīciō, -ōnis f.: suspicion, mistrust, 2
suspīcor, -ārī: mistrust, suspect
tūtus, -a, -um: safe, secure, guarded (adv. tūtō)
vidēlicet: of course (vidēre licet: 'you may see') 2
vinculum, -ī n.: bond, chain, 2
vindicō (1): avenge, punish, protect, vindicate, 3
vīs, (vīs), f.: force, power, violence, 4
vītō (1): avoid, evade, shun, 4
volō, velle, volūtī: will, wish, be willing, 4

in **custōdiam dedistī**: in October, Catiline was charged on the *Lex Plautia dē vī*, and released into the custody of a fellow Roman.
 3 **vītandae...causā** : *for the sake of...;* translate as gerund (-ing) in a gerund-gerundive flip.
tē...velle: *that...;* ind. disc. inf. volō
 4 Ā **quō**: *by this one;* agent; Latin prefers a relative where English prefers a demonstrative
ausus es: 2s pf. deponent, audeō is semi-deponent (deponent only in the pf. tenses)
ut...asservārem: *that...;* ind. command with 1s
 impf. subj., governed rogā(vi)stī, 2s pf. rogō
domī meae: *at...:* locative domus

Haec sī tēcum, ita ut dīxī, patria loquātur,
nōnne impetrāre dēbeat,
etiam sī vim adhibēre nōn possit? 1
Quid quod tū tē ipse in custōdiam dedistī,
quod vītandae suspīciōnis causā
[ad Mānium Lepidum tē habitāre velle] dīxistī? 2
Ā quō nōn receptus,
etiam ad mē venīre ausus es,
atque ut domī meae tē asservārem rogāstī. 3
Cum ā mē quoque id respōnsum tulissēs,
[mē nūllō modō posse eīsdem parietibus tūtō esse tēcum], 4
quī māgnō in perīculō essem,
quod eīsdem moenibus continēremur,
ad Quīntum Metellum praetōrem vēnistī. 5
Ā quō repudiātus,
ad sodālem tuum, virum optimum, Mārcum Metellum dēmigrāstī;
[quem tū vidēlicet 6
et ad cūstōdiendum tē dīlignantissimum
et ad suspicandum sagācissimum
et ad vindicandum fortissimum fore] putāstī. 7
Sed quam longē vidētur ā carcere
atque ā vinculīs abesse dēbēre,
quī sē ipse iam dīgnūm cūstōdiā iūdicārit? 8
12

5 **cum...tulissēs:** after...carried; plpf. subj. ferō id: this; demonstrative adj.

mē...posse...esse: (namely) that...; ind. disc. (inf. clause) in apposition to respōnsum

6 **nūllō modō:** in...; abl. of manner

eīs-dēm parietibus: in...; abl. place where
tūtō: in safety; adverb from tūtus

quī...essem: who...was..; relative clause of characteristic with 1s impf. subj. sum. Though these clauses are often consecutive (result) in sense, this one is causal (equiv. to ‘cum ego’)

7 **quod...continēremur:** because...; subj. of a subordinate clause in ind. disc.; causal quod
eīsdem moenibus: with...; abl. of means

8 **praetōrem:** Quintus Metellus Celer in 63

9 **Ā quō:** by this one; abl. agent with PPP repudiō

quem...fore: that this one...would be...; ind. disc.; quem (make a demonstrative) is acc. subj. and fore = futūrum esse, the fut. inf. of sum

tū vidēlicet: outside the ind. disc. with putāstī
et ad cūstōdiendum tē dīlignantissimum: most diligent for guarding you; superlative predicate adj. (after fore); perform a gerund-gerundive: translate the gerundive as gerunds (-ing) + tē

10 **et ad suspicandum (tē)...fortissimum:** repeat the note above twice; add tē to each gerundive

11 **putā(vi)stī:** syncopated 2s pf.

quam longē...vidētur...abesse dēbēre: how far does it seem (that one) ought to be from...?

12 **iūdicā(ve)rit:** judged (x) (y); pf. subj., relative clause of characteristic with a double acc.; acc. obj. sē and acc. pred. dignum + abl. (respect)

20. Quae cum ita sint, Catilīna, dubitās, sī ēmorī aequō animō nōn potes, 1
 abīre in aliquās terrās et vītam istam, multīs suppliciīs iūstīs dēbitīsque
 ēreptam, fugae sōlitūdinīque mandāre? “Refer,” inquis, “ad senātū;” id
 enim postulās, et sī hic ūrdō placēre sibi dēcrēverit tē īre in exsilium,
 obtemperātūrum tē esse dīcis. Nōn referam id quod abhorret ā meīs mōribus, 5
 et tamen faciam ut intellegās quid hī dē tē sentiant. Ēgredere ex urbe,
 Catilīna, līberā rem pūblicam metū; in exsilium, sī hanc vōcem exspectās,
 proficīscere. Quid est, Catilīna? Ecquid attendis? Ecquid animadvertis
 hōrum silentium? Patiuntur, tacent. Quid exspectās auctōritātem loquentium,
 quōrum voluntātem tacitōrum perspicis? 10

abeō, -īre, -īi (īvī), -itus: go away or off, depart
abhorreō, -ēre: shrink from; is averse to (+ab), 2
aequus, -a, -um: level, equal, even, impartial
aliquandō: sometimes, at some time, 3
animadvertō, -ere, -vertī, -versum: to notice,
 turn attention to, 2
attendō, -ere, attendī: pay attention to, consider
dēcernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētūm: decide, resolve, 3
dubitō (1): waver, hesitate, be in doubt, 3
equis, ecquid: any? anyone? anything?, 2
ēgredior, -ī, -gressus: go out, disembark, 3
ēmorior, ēmorī, ēmortuus sum: die, die off
ēripiō, -ere, -uī, ēreptus: rescue, snatch from, 2
fuga, -ae f.: flight, haste, exile, speed, 2
inquam: say
iūstus, -a -um: just, fair, right(eous), 3

līberō (1): free, set free, liberate, 3
mandō (1): entrust, commned, order, command, 2
mōs, mōris m.: custom, manner, way; character, 3
obtemperō (1): comply with, conform to, obey
ordō, -inis m.: order, rank, line, 3
perspiciō, -ere, -spexī: to observe, perceive
placet (placeō, -ēre, -uī): it is pleasing, 2
postulō (1): demand, claim, request, ask, 2
referō, -ferre, -tuli, -lātūm: report, bring back, 3
silentium, -īi n.: silence
sōlitūdō, sōlitūdinis f.: loneliness, solitude
taceō, -ēre, -uī, -itum: be silent, say nothing, 3
tacitus, -a, -um: silent, quiet, still, tacit, 2
terra, -ae f.: land, earth, 4
vōcō (1): call, name, address, summon
voluntās, -tātis f.: will, free-will, wish, choice, 2

1 **quae cum ita sint:** since these things are so,
 i.e. as a result; cum is causal; see also L. 12

2 **dubitās:** do you hesitate...?; + two infinitives
aequō animō: with a calm mind, with a level
 head, or with a tranquil heart; abl. of manner

2 **suppliciīs...dēbitīsque:** from...; separation

3 **ēreptam:** PPP modifying vītam

mandāre: to entrust (acc.) to (dat. ind. obj.)

refer: bring (a motion); sg. imperative, an
 idiom; Catiline challenges Cicero to bring the
 a motion for exile to a vote before the Senate
enim: (I say this) for...; postpositive

4 **sī...dēcrēverit, ...obtemperātūrum esse dīcis:**

you say that you will comply, if...decrees; a fut.
 more vivid condition (sī fut. pf., fut.) in ind.
 disc.: the apodosis becomes a fut. inf. and the
 protasis should be pres. subj. but is here fut. pf.

hic ūrdō: i.e. the senate

placēre sībi: that it is...; ind. disc., placēre is an
 impers. inf.; dat. of interest of reflexive sē

tē īre in exsilium: that you ...; inf. eō; subject
 of placēre

5 **referam:** 1s fut., see note for refer in line 3

id quod: that which

ā moribus meīs: from...; separation, in the pl.
 mōs may be ‘character’, ‘habits,’ or ‘practice’

6 **faciam ut intellegās:** I will bring it about that...
 faciō commonly governs a result (consecutive)
 clause, here with 2s pres. subj.; faciam is 1s fut.

quid...sentiant: ind. question with pres. subj.

Ēgredere...līberā...proficīscere: singular
 imperative, deponent, active, and deponent

7 **metū:** from...; abl. of separation

8 **Ecquid attendis?:** Are you paying any
 attention?; ecquid is a neut. inner acc.

9 **hōrum:** i.e. of these senators

patiuntur: they allow (it); i.e. exile

Quid: why...?

loquentium: of those...; gen. pl. pres. pple

10 **tacitōrum:** in their silence; modifying quōrum

- Quae cum ita sint, Catilīna,
dubitās,
sī ēmorī aequō animō nōn potes,
abīre in aliquās terrās et vītam istam,
multīs suppliciīs iūstīs dēbitīsque ēreptam,
fugae sōlitūdiniq̄ue mandāre?
“Refer,” inquis, “ad senātum;”
id enim postulās,
et [sī hic ūrdō [placēre sibi] dēcrēverit [tē īre in exsilium],
obtemperatūrum tē esse] dīcis.
Nōn referam,
id quod abhorret ā meīs mōribus,
et tamen faciam
ut intellegās quid hī dē tē sentiant.
Ēgredere ex urbe, Catilīna,
liberā rem pūblicam metū;
in exsilium, sī hanc vōcem exspectās, proficīscere.
Quid est, Catilīna?
Ecquid attendis?
ecquid animadvertis hōrum silentium?
Patiuntur, tacent.
Quid exspectās auctōritātem loquentium,
quōrum voluntātem tacitōrum perspicis?

Quam

There are two uses of quam in Cicero: (1) the interrogative/relative pronoun and (2) an adv. of degree (“to what degree” or “how”) formed from the fem. sg. of the pronoun and introducing a new clause.

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|---|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Interrogative/Relative fem. sg. ⁶ | pestem quam | <i>the plague which</i> | p. 4, 20, 40, 50, 52 |
| 2. Adverb (how, as) ¹² | | | |
| a. how (interrogative adv.) ³ | quam diū...? | <i>How long?</i> | 2, 26, 42 |
| b. as (relative adv. in a clause of comparison) | | | |
| i. with positive degree adj./adv. ² | tam...quam | <i>so....as...</i> | 14, 16 |
| ii. with comparative adj./adv. ⁶ | ācriōribus quam | <i>harsher than...</i> | 6, 12, 18, 38, 56, 60 |
| iii. with superlative adj./adv. ¹ | quam plūrimōs (potest) | <i>as many as possible</i> | 24 |

Because comparative clauses in #2b regularly repeat verbs and other words from the main clause, Latin often uses ellipsis to remove repetition either in the main clause or in the clause of comparison. English readers naturally add these words when they translate (e.g. ‘potest’ in iii. above).

21. At sī hoc idem huic adulēscētī optimō, P. Sēstiō, sī fortissimō virō, M. Mārcellō, dīxissem, iam mihi cōnsulī hōc ipsō in templō senātus iūre optimō vim et manūs intulisset. Dē tē autem, Catilīna, cum quiēscunt, probant; cum patiuntur, dēcernunt; cum tacent, clāmant; neque hī sōlum quōrum tibi auctōritās est vidēlicet cāra, vīta vīlissima, sed etiam illī equitēs Rōmānī, honestissimī atque optimī virī, cēterīque fortissimī cīvēs, quī circumstant senātum, quōrum tū et frequentiam vidēre et studia percipere et vōcēs paulō ante exaudīre potuistī, quōrum ego vix abs tē iam diū manūs ac tēla contineō. eōsdem facile addūcam ut tē, haec quae vāstāre iam prīdem studēs relinquētem, ūsque ad portās prōsequantur.

10

- addūcō, -ere, -duxī:** to prompt, lead to, bring, 2
adułescens, -ntis m./f.: youth, young
cārus, -a, -um: dear, precious, costly, 2
cēterī, -ae, -a: the remaining, the rest, the others 4
circumstō (1): stand around, surround, 2
clāmō (1): call, cry, shout
contineō, -ere, -nuī, -tentum: hold together, 3
dēcernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētum: decide, resolve, 3
eques, equitis m.: equestrian, 3
exaudiō, -ire, -ivī, -itum: hear clearly, hear
facilis, -e: easy, 2
frequentia, -ae f.: multitude, crowd, 2
honestus, -a, -um: honorable, respectable, noble
inferō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātus: bring (into), wage, 2
iūs, iūris n.: justice, law, right, 3
Mārcellus, -i m.: Marcellus
paulus, -a, -um: little, small, 4
percipiō, -ere, -cēpī, -ceptum: perceive; seize, 2
porta, -ae f.: gate, city gate, 2
prīdem: long before, long ago, 4

- 1 **sī...dīxissem,...intulisset:** *If I had...,...would have...;* past contrary to fact condition (sī plpf. subj., plpf. subj.), dīcō and inferō
hoc idem: neuter sg. acc. obj.
adulēscētī: dat. ind. object of dīxissem
virō: dat. ind. object of dīxissem
2 **mihi cōnsuli:** *upon me the consul;* dat. of compound verb and dat. of apposition
hōc ipsō in templō: in hōc templō ipsō
iūre optimō: *very rightly;* ‘with very good right,’ dat. of manner, see also iūre in Lesson 7
3 **vim et manūs:** *violent hands;* hendiadys the two terms refer to one object: ‘the violence of these hands!’
probant: supply mē as object
4 **patiuntur:** *they allow (me to talk);* 3p pres. subj

- probō (1):** approve, esteem, commend, 1
prōsequor, -qui, prōsecūtus: escort, accompany
Publius (P.), -ii m.: Publius, 2
quiēscō, -ere, -quiēvī: keep quiet, be still, rest
relinquō, -ere, -liquī, -lictum: to leave behind, abandon, 4
Sēstius, -ii m.: Sestius
studeō, -ere, uī: be eager, strive for, 2
studium, -ī n.: enthusiasm, zeal, desire, pursuit, 2
taceō, -ere, -uī, -itum: be silent, say nothing, 3
tēlum, -ī n.: weapon, projectile, arrow, spear, 3
templum, -ī n.: temple, 3
ūsque: all the way, continuously, as far as, 2
vāstō (1): lay waste, destroy, devastate, 3
vidēlicet: of course (vidēre licet: ‘you may see’) 2
vīlis, -e: cheap, common, worthless
vīs, (vīs), f.: force, power, violence, 4
vix: with difficulty, with effort, scarcely, 3
vōcō (1): call, name, address, summon

- neque hī sōlum...sed etiam illī...:** *and not only these (senators) ...but also those...;* nom. subj. of the preceding verbs, quiēscunt to clāmant
tibi: *to you;* dat. of reference with predicate adjectives, cara and superlative vīlissima
5 **(et quōrum) vīta (est) vīlissima:** *and whose lives are...;* asyndeton and ellipsis; Latin uses the sg. vīta where English expects pl. vītae
7 **(et) quōrum:** *(and) whose...;* modifies three acc. objs.: frequentiam, studia and vōcēs;
et...et...et: *both...and...and*
paulō: *a little:* abl. of degree of difference
8 **potuistī:** 2s pf. possum
(et) quōrum: *(and) whose...;* antecedents are the senators, equestrians, cīvēs in lines 4-6; another possible antecedent is the eōsdem

At sī hoc idem huic adulēscētī optimō, Pūbliō Sēstiō,
1
sī fortissimō virō, Mārcō Mārcellō, dīxissem,
2
iam mihi cōnsulī
hōc ipsō in templō
senātus iūre optimō
vim et manūs **intulisset.**
3

Dē tē autem, Catilīna,
cum quiēscunt, **probant;**
cum patiuntur, **dēcernunt;**
cum tacent, **clāmant;**
4

neque hī sōlum
quōrum tibi auctōritās est vidēlicet cāra,
5
vīta vīlissima,
sed etiam illī equitēs Rōmānī,
honestissimī atque optimī virī,
6
cēterīque fortissimī cīvēs,
quī circumstant senātum,
7
quōrum tū
et frequentiam vidēre
et studia percipere
et vōcēs paulō ante exaudīre potuistī.
8

quōrum ego vix abs tē iam diū manūs ac tēla contineō.
9

eōsdem facile **addūcam**
ut tē,
haec quae vāstāre iam prīdem studēs relinquētēs,
10
ūisque ad portās prōsequantur.

9 **contineō:** *I have been holding back;* pres. pf. progressive in sense following iam diū
eōsdem: *these same men;* i.e. the senators, equestrians and fortissimī cīvēs

facile: adverb

addūcam ut...prōsequantur: *I will prompt...that...;* 1s fut. governing an ind. command with pres. subj.; cf. addūcor ut in Lesson 6

haec quae...studēs: *these things which...;* haec

is acc. object of the pres. pple relinquētēs; the relative clause govern 2s pres. indicative studeō
iam prīdem: *long before now;* often as one word, iamprīdem

studēs: *you have been eager;* 2s pres.

10 **relinquentēs:** pres. pple reliquo
prōsequantur: *escort;* ‘follow in front,’ 3p pres. subj. in the ind. command

IX 22. Quamquam quid loquor? Tē ut ūlla rēs frangat? Tū ut umquam tē 1
 corrigās? Tū ut ūllam fugam meditēre? Tū ut ūllum exsilium cōgitēs?
 Utinam tibi istam mentem dī immortālēs duint! Tametsī videō, sī, meā vōce
 perterritus, īre in exsilium animum indūxeris, quanta tempestās invidiae
 nōbīs, sī minus in praesēns tempus, recentī memoriā scelerum tuōrum, at in 5
 posteritātem impendeat. Sed est tantī, dummodo ista sit prīvāta calamitās et
 ā reī pūblicae perīculīs sēiungātur. Sed tū ut vitiīs tuīs commoveāre, ut
 lēgum poenās pertimēscās, ut temporibus reī pūblicae cēdās, nōn est
 postulandum. Neque enim is es, Catilīna, ut tē aut pudor umquam ā
 turpitūdine aut metus ā perīculō aut ratiō ā furōre revocārit. 10

calamitās, -itātis f.: loss, calamity, misfortune, 2
cēdō, -ere, cessī, cессum: move away, withdraw,
 yield (dat)
cōgitō (1): to think, ponder, consider; plan, 4
commoveō, -ere, -mōvī, mōtum: trouble, upset, 3
corrigō, -ere, -rēxī, -rēctum: reft, correct
deus, -ī m.: god, divinity, deity, 4
dō, dare, dedī, datum: give; grant, allow, 3
dummodo: provided only, provided that
frangō, -ere, frēgī, frāctus: break, shatter
fuga, -ae f.: flight, haste, exile, speed, 2
immortālis, -e: immortal, 4
impendeō, -ere: hang over, threaten, 4
indūcō, -ere, -dūxī, -ductum: bring or lead into
invidia, -ae f.: envy, hatred, ill-will, 11*
lēx, -lēgis f.: law, regulation, decree, 3
meditor, -ārī, -ātus sum: reflect, think, consider 2
memoria, -ae. f.: memory, 2
minus: less, 2

perterreō, -ēre: frighten, terrify
pertimēscō, -ere, -timuī: become very fearful, 3
poena, poenae, f.: punishment, 3
posteritās, posteritātis f.: posterity, future, 3
postulō (1): demand, request, ask, 2
praesēns, -ntis: present, instant
pudor, -oris m.: sense of shame, modesty
quantus, -a, -um: how great, much, or many, 2
ratiō, ratiōnis, f.: account, reason, way, 2
recēns, -ntis: fresh, recent
revocō (1): recall, call back,
sēiungō, -ere, -iūnxī, -iūnctum: separate, sever
tametsi: and yet, although; even if
tempestās, -tātis f.: tempest, storm
turpitūdō, -dīnis f.: disgrace, shame, dishonor, 3
ūllus, -a, -um: any, some, 4
umquam: ever, 2
utinam: would that...
vitiūm, -ī n.: vice, fault, defect, 2

1 **quamquam:** and yet; elsewhere ‘although’
 tē ut...frangat: so that...may...; parallelism, anaphora; a series of four purpose clauses with pres. subj. in response to the initial question; the pronouns tē and tū belong within the clause
 2 **meditē(ris):** contracted 2s pres. subj deponent
 3 **Utinam...duint:** Would that...give...!; Utinam introduces an optative subj. (subj. of wish); duint, equiv. to dent, is an old form of 3s pres. subj. for dō, dare
dī: nom. pl. deus
Tametsī videō: and yet I see; i.e. I understand; Cicero is talking about understanding not vision
sī...animum indūxeris, quanta...impendeat: if you should draw your attention..., how great...would...; a fut. less vivid condition (sī pres. (pf.) subj., pres. subj.), here with a pf.

subj. (translate as a present); the apodos is an ind. question governed by videō
 4 **perterritus:** PPP modifies 2s subject, ‘you’
īre: inf. eō, īre, ‘go’
quanta tempestās...impendeat: how great...; ind. question with interrogative adj.; pres. subj.
invidiae: appositional gen. with tempestās
 5 **nōbīs:** over us; dat. of compound impendeat
sī minus in praesēns tempus...at in posteritātem: if less so at the present time—because of the fresh memory of your crimes—at least in the future; minus is a comparative adv. memoriā is an abl. of accuse
 6 **est tantī:** it is worthwhile (for me); i.e. it is worthwhile to be an object of hatred (invidiae); lit. ‘it is of such great value,’ gen. of price or value (variation of gen. quality) as the predicate

Quamquam quid loquor ?	1
Tē ut ūlla rēs frangat?	
Tū ut umquam tē corrigās?	2
Tū ut ūllam fugam meditēre?	
Tū ut ūllum exsilium cōgitēs?	
Utinam tibi istam mentem dī immortālēs duint!	3
Tametsī videō ,	
sī, meā vōce perterritus,	4
īre in exsilium animum indūxeris,	
quanta tempestās invidiae nōbīs,	5
sī minus in praesēns tempus,	
recentī memoriā scelerum tuōrum,	
at in posteritātem impendeat.	6
Sed est tantī,	
dummodo ista sit prīvāta calamitās	
et ā reī pūblicae perīculīs sējungātur.	7
Sed tū ut vitiīs tuīs commoveāre,	
ut lēgum poenās pertimēscās,	8
ut temporibus reī pūblicae cēdās,	
nōn est postulandum.	9
Neque enim is es , Catilīna,	
ut tē	
aut pudor umquam ā turpitūdine	10
aut metus ā perīculō	
aut ratiō ā furōre revocārit.	

6 **dummodo...sit...sējungātur**: *provided that...*; a proviso clause governs a subj., here 3s pres. subj. of sum and **sējungō**

7 **ā...perīculīs**: *from...*; abl. of separation
tū ut...commoveār(is)...ut...ut: *that you are troubled...*; asyndeton and parallelism a series of ind. commands with pres. subj. as subject of a passive periphrastic, **postulandum est**; **commoveāre** is a contracted 2s pres. pass. subj. **vitiīs tuīs**: *by...*; abl. of cause

8 **lēgum poenās**: i.e. punishments demanded by the laws; subjective gen.
temporibus: *to the (present) circumstances*;

with a slightly negative connotation: ‘the present needs’ or ‘distressful circumstances’
reī pūblicae: gen. sg.

cēdās: *you yield to, you give way to* (dat.)
postulandum est (nōbīs): *it must be... (by us)*; or actively ‘we must not...’ impers. passive periphrastic (gerundive + sum); add dat. agent

9 **neque enim**: *for...not*
is...ut...revocā(er)it: *such a man that...*; ‘is’ is a demonstrative, nom. pred.; a result clause with syncopated 3s pf. subj. (translate as pf.)
10 **aut...aut...aut**: *either...or...or*; parallelism; three nom. subjects and three abl. separations

23. Quam ob rem, ut saepe iam dīxī, proficīscere, ac, sī mihi inimīcō, ut 1
 praedicās, tuō cōnflāre vīs invidiam, rēctā perge in exsilium. Vix feram
 sermōnēs hominum, sī id fēceris; vix mōlem istūs invidiae, sī in exsilium
 iūssū cōnsulis ieris, sustinēbō. Sīn autem servīre meae laudī et glōriae māvis,
 ēgredere cum importūnā scelerātōrum manū, cōnfer tē ad Mānlīum, concitā 5
 perditōs cīvēs, sēcerne tē ā bonīs, īfer patriae bellum, exsultā impiō
 latrōciniō, ut ā mē nōn ēiectus ad aliēnōs, sed invītātus ad tuōs īsse videāris. 7

aliēnus, -a, -um: of another, foreign

bellum, -ī, n.: war, 6*

concitō (1): stir up, arouse, excite, 2

cōnferō, -ferre: bring (together); defer, postpone 3

cōnflō (1): kindle, arouse, blow up, 2

ēgredior, -ī, -gressus: go out, disembark, 3

ēiciō, -ere, ēiēcī, ēiectum: cast or throw out, 2

exsultō (1): jump up, spring up; exult, 2

glōria, -ae, f.: glory, fame, 2

impius, -a, -um: undutiful, disloyal, impious, 3

importūnus, -a, -um: unfit, grievous, dangerous

inferō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātūs: bring (into), wage, 2

inimīcus, -a, -um: rival, hostile, unfriendly, 2

invītō (1): to invite, 2

iussū: by order, at the command, 3

latrōcinium, -ī m.: highway robbery, banditry, 3

laus, laudis f.: praise, glory, merit

mālō, mālle, māluī (magis vōlō): prefer, wish, 2

Mānlīus, -īī m.: Manlius, Gaius Manlius, 3

mōlēs, -is f.: mass, weight, load, burden

ob: on account of (acc.), 2

pergō, -ere, -rēxī, -rēctum: continue, keep on, proceed, 2

praedicō (1): proclaim, publish, declare, 2

rēctā: straightforward, straight, directly

scelerātus, -a, -um: wicked, criminal, vicious, 3

sēcernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētum: separate, set apart, distinguish, 3

sermō, -ōnis n.: conversation, discourse, speech

serviō, -īre, -īvī: to serve, be of service to (dat)

sīn: but if, if, however, 3

sustineō, -ere, -uī: hold up, support, sustain, 1

vīs, (vīs), f.: force, power, violence, 4

vix: with difficulty, with effort, scarcely, 3

1 **quam ob rem:** *for this reason;* connective relative adj.

ut: *as;* parenthetical, clause of comparison

proficīscere: sg. imperative, deponent

sī...vīs, perge: *if you wish...;* simple pres.

condition (*sī* pres., pres. or equiv.); 2s volō and a sg. imperative

mihi inimīcō...tuō: *toward...;* dat. ind. object with cōnflāre

ut praedicās: *as...;* parenthetical

2 **feram, sī fēceris:** *I will..., if you do this;* fut.. more vivid condition (*sī* fut. (pf.), fut.), translate the fut. pf. as present with fut. sense; Cicero says that he will endure the hatred of the people as long as Catiline leaves.

3 **istūs:** *of that...;* gen. sg. with gen. invidiae

sī ieris, sustinēbō: another fut. more vivid condition, here with fut. pf. of eō, īre (translate as present with fut. sense)

4 **sīn...māvis..., ēgredere:** *but if you prefer...;* simple present condition (see note for line 1); māvis is 2s pres. mālō

5 **ēgredere, cōnfer,...exsultā:** *asyndeton, a series of six imperatives;* ēgredere is a sg. deponent imperative, while cōnfer and infer are sg. imperatives which lack the final stem-vowel

6 **perditōs:** *corrupted;* PPP perdō

ā bonīs: *from...;* i.e. noble men, the senators, abl. of separation

patriae: *on...;* dat. of compound verb īfer

impiō latrōciniō: *in...;* abl. of cause

7 **ut...videāris:** *so that you may seem...;* purpose clause with 2s pres. subj.

ā mē: *by...;* abl. agent

aliēnōs: *strangers;* substantive

tuōs (virōs): i.e. comrades, companions

īsse: pf. inf. eō, īre, i(v)ī

Quam ob rem, ut saepe iam dīxī,
proficīscere,
ac, sī mihi inimīcō, ut praedicās, tuō cōnflāre vīs invidiam,
rēctā perge in exsiliū.
Vix feram sermōnēs hominū,
sī id fēceris;
vix mōlem istīus invidiae,
sī in exsiliū iūssū cōnsulis ieris, **sustinēbō.**
Sīn autem servīre meae laudī et glōriae māvis,
ēgredere cum importūnā scelerātōrum manū,
cōnfér tē ad Mānlium,
concitā perditōs cīvēs,
sēcerne tē ā bonīs,
īfer patriae bellum,
exsultā impiō latrōciniō,
ut ā mē
nōn ēiectus ad aliēnōs,
sed invītātus ad tuōs īsse videāris.

Common Uses of the Ablative in the Speech

Every use is found within the speech.

<u>construction</u>	<u>example</u>	<u>translation</u>
Ablative Absolute	urbe captā	<i>the city having been captured</i>
Ablative of Agent	ā matre vocātur	<i>he is called by his mother</i>
Ablative of Means (instrument)	stilō scrībēns	<i>writing with a stylus</i>
Ablative of Cause	gaudiō commōtus	<i>moved by joy</i>
Ablative of Place Where	in urbībus	<i>in the cities</i>
Ablative of Place From Which	ab marī	<i>from the sea</i>
Ablative of Separation (includes From Which)	timore liberātūr	<i>she is free from fear</i>
Ablative of Source (Origin)	clārior luce	<i>brighter than light</i>
Ablative of Accompaniment	cum amīcīs	<i>with friends</i>
Ablative of Manner	cum dīligențiā	<i>with diligence</i>
Ablative of Time When	eō tempore	<i>at that time</i>
Ablative of Respect (Specification)	linguā differunt	<i>differ in respect to language</i>
Ablative of Quality (Description)	est animō bonō	<i>is of good will</i>
Ablative of Comparison	clārō patre	<i>from a famous father</i>
Ablative of Degree of Difference	multō clārior	<i>much brighter</i>
Ablative of Attendant Circumstances	cum salūte	<i>to the security of the republic</i>
w/ verbs: <i>potior, utor, fungor, fruor, vescor</i>	utī gladiō	<i>to employ a sword</i>
w/ adjectives: <i>dignus, indignus</i>	glōriā indignus	<i>unworthy of glory</i>

24. Quamquam quid ego tē invītem, ā quō iam sciam esse praemissōs quī 1
 tibi ad Forum Aurēlium praestōlārentur armātī, cui iam sciam pactam et
 cōnstitūtam cum Mānliō diem, ā quō etiam aquilam illam argenteam, quam
 tibi ac tuīs omnibus cōfidō perniciōsam ac fūnestram futūram, cui domī
 tuae sacrārium scelerātum cōnstitūtum fuit, sciam esse praemissam? Tū ut 5
 illā carēre diūtius possīs quam venerārī ad caedem proficīscēns solēbās, ā
 cūius altāribus saepe istam impiam dexteram ad necem cīvium trānstulistī? 7

altar (altāre), altāris n.: altar
aquila, -ae f.: eagle
argenteus, -a, -um: silvery, of silver
armātus, -a, -um: armed, armor-clad, 1
Aurēlius, -a, -um: of Aurelius, Aurelian
careō, -ere, caruī: be without, lack (+ abl.), 2
confidō, -ere: trust, believe firmly, rely upon, 2
constituō, -ere, -ui, -ūtus: decide, establish, 4
dexter, -tera, -terum: right, right (arm)
forum, -i n.: forum, marketplace
fūnestus, -a, -um: deadly, fatal, destructive
impius, -a, -um: undutiful, disloyal, impious, 3
invītō (1): to invite, 2

- 1 **quamquam**: and yet
quid: why?; ‘in respect to what,’ acc. of respect
invītem: should I invite, am I to invite...; 1s pres. deliberative subj. in a lengthy question five lines long, what follows modifies acc. tē
ā quō sciam...cui sciam...ā quō...sciam: by whom I know that...; for whom I know that...by whom I know that...; three relative clauses of characteristic with the same antecedent (tē, line 1) and the same verb: 1s pres. subj. sciō; all three verbs (sciam) govern ind. disc.
esse praemissōs: that (those)...; first ind. disc. with pf. pass. inf. praemittō; add an acc. subject
quī...praestōlārentur armātī: who would...; relative clause of purpose with 3p impf. subj. deponent; the antecedent is the missing acc. subj. of praemissōs esse above
- 2 **ad Forum Aurelium**: near...; ‘up to,’ town on the Via Aurelia 50 miles north from Rome
cui: for whom; dat. of interest
pactam (esse) et cōnstitūtam (esse)...diem: that the day was...; ellipsis; second ind. disc., add esse to create two pf. pass. infinitives
- 3 **aqūlam...esse praemissam**: that that eagle ...; a third and lengthy ind. disc. governed by the third sciam in l. 5; pf. pass. inf. praemittō
quam...confidō...futūram (esse): which I

Mānlius, -iī m.: Manlius, Gaius Manlius, 3
nex, necis f.: murder, violent death, slaughter, 2
pacīscor, -ī, pactus sum: agree upon, bargain, 1
perniciōsus, -a, -um: destructive, ruinous, 4
praemittō, -ere: send forward, send ahead, 2
praestōlor, -ārī, -ātus sum: wait for, expect,
sacrārium, -i n.: shrine, chapel
scelerātus, -a, -um: wicked, criminal, vicious, 3
sciō, -tre, -trī, -tūtus: know (how), understand 4
soleō, -ere, -itus sum: be accustomed
trānsferō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātum: carry, transfer
veneror, -ārī, -ātus sum: venerate, rever

- trust...; relative clause modifying aquilam; confidō governs ind. disc. and quam is the acc. subj.; futūram (esse) is the fut. inf. of sum
tibi ac tuīs omnibus: for...; dat. of interest
(et) cui...fuit: (and) for which a unholy shrine was established in your house; asyndeton; a second relative clause modifying aquilam; cui is dat. of interest and domī tuae is locative
- 5 **ut...possīs**: How could you...?; either (1) ut, ‘how?’ introduces a question with a potential subj or (2) ‘Would that you could...!’ and ut, just as utinam in L. 24, introduces an optative subj. in exclamation; 2s pres subj. possum
- 6 **illā**: i.e. aquila, abl. of separation with carēre
diūtius: for longer; comparative adv. of diū
quam...solēbās: which...; relative clause, the antecedent is illā (i.e. the aquila)
illā...quam: (from) that which...; i.e. the fem. sg. aquila mentioned above; illā is an abl. of separation governed by carēre
ad caedem: for...; expressing purpose
(et) ā cūius altāribus...trānstulistī: (and) from whose altars... asyndeton; while the antecedent is still illā, Cicero is referring to the sacrārium
- 7 **ad necem**: for...; expressing purpose
cīvium: pl. objective gen. cīvis
trānstulistī: 2s pf. trānsferō

Quamquam quid ego tē **invītem**, 1
 ā quō iam **sciām** [esse praemissōs
 quī tibi ad Forum Aurēlium praestōlārentur armātī], 2
 cui iam **sciām** [pactam et cōnstitūtam cum Mānliō diem], 3
 ā quō [etiam aquilam illam argenteam,
 [quam tibi ac tuīs omnibus cōfidō 4
 perniciōsam ac fūnestram futūram],
 cui domī tuae sacrārium scelerātum cōnstitūtum fuit, 5
 sciām esse praemissam]?
 Tū ut illā carēre diūtius **possīs** 6
 quam venerārī ad caedem proficīscēns solēbās,
 ā cūius altāribus saepe istam impiam dexteram ad necem cīvium trānstulistī? 7

Relative Clauses with Subjunctive

N.B.: translate subjunctives in these clauses (1) in the tense you find them (characteristic, result)
 or more often (2) with modal “would” (characteristic, purpose).

1. Relative Clause of Characteristic¹⁷

The most common use of the subjunctive in a relative clause is characteristic, although it is rarely taught in grammar classes and will be new to many readers. For a fuller explanation, see page 15. The indefinite antecedents (is, ea, id, nēmō, etc.) are a very easy way to distinguish this clause from the others below.

2. Relative clause of purpose⁵

p. 22, 52, 56

A relative clause of purpose behaves the same way as an adverbial purpose clause (ut + subj.) but it begins with a relative pronoun instead of ut (i.e. quī = ut is). In addition to translating this clause with the modal verbs “may” and “might,” readers may also use the modal verb “would.”

e.g. equitēs quī liberārent equestrians who might/would free... (p. 22)

3. Relative clause of result²

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A relative clause of result behaves the same way as an adverbial result clause (ut + subj.) but it begins with a relative pronoun (i.e. quī = ut is, quae = ut ea, etc.). Some label this clause as a relative clause of characteristic, while others (including this commentary) recognize a small difference. While relative clauses of characteristic are preceded by indefinite antecedents, relative clauses of result are preceded, just as regular result clauses, by tam, sīc, ita, tantus, etc.:

e.g. nēmō est...quī tē nōn metuat there is no one who would not fear you... 30

nēmō **tam** improbus..., quī nōn fateātur no one **so** wicked who does not acknowledge... 12

The first example is a relative clause of characteristic (i.e. “there is no one (of the sort) who (as a result) would not fear you”). The second example looks very similar but the relative clause is preceded by ‘tam’ (i.e. “no one **so** wicked who (as a result) does not acknowledge...”). Both instances of the relative clause of result are preceded by ‘tam.’

4. Relative (subordinate) clause in indirect discourse⁴

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In indirect statement, the verbs in the main clauses become infinitives and the verbs of subordinate clauses (including relative clauses) become subjunctive. And so, if a verb in relative clause was originally indicative or subjunctive, it will be subjunctive in indirect discourse.

X 25. *Ibis*, tandem aliquandō quō tē iam prīdem tua ista cupiditās effrēnāta ac 1 furiōsa rapiēbat; neque enim tibi haec rēs affert dolōrem, sed quondam incrēdibilem voluptātem. Ad hanc tē āmentiam nātūra peperit, voluntās exercuit, fortūna servāvit. Numquam tū nōn modo ḍōtium, sed nē bellum quidem nisi nefārium concupīstī. Nactus es, ex perditīs atque ab omnī nōn 5 modo fortūnā, vērum etiam spē dērelīctīs cōnflātam, improbōrum manum.

26. Hīc tū quā laetitiā perfruēre, quibus gaudiīs exsultābis, quantā in voluptāte baccābere, cum in tantō numerō tuōrum neque audiēs virum bonum quemquam neque vidēbis! 9

afferō, -ferre, attulī, allātum: bring (to), add
aliquandō: sometime, at some time, 3
āmentia, -ae f.: mindlessness, madness, folly, 2
audiō, audīre, -ivī, -itum: to hear, listen to, 2
baccor, -ī, -ātus sum: revel, exult
cōnflō (1): melt, fuse, blow together (as metal)
cupiditās, -tātis f.: desire, passion, eagerness
concupiscō, -ere, -cupīvī: desire eagerly, covet
dērelinquō, -ere, -quī: forsake, abandon, desert
dolor, -ōris m.: pain, grief, anger, passion
effrēnātus, -a, -um: unbridled, unrestrained, 2
exerceō, -ere, -uī, -itum: train, practice, exercise
exsultō (1): jump up, spring up; exult, 2
furiōsus, -a, -um: full of madness or raving
gaudium, -ī n.: joy, gladness
hic: here, 4
incrēdibilis, -e: unbelievable, 3
laetitia, -ae f.: gladness, joy, delight

- 1 **ibis:** 2s fut. eō, īre
- 2 **quō...rapiēbat:** (to) where...; relative adverb
- 3 **tua ista:** that...of yours
- 4 **neque enim:** for...not
- 5 **tibi:** dat. ind. obj.
- 6 **haec rēs:** this situation; i.e. leaving the city
- 7 **ad hanc...āmentiam:** without tē; tē is acc. obj.
- 8 **peperit:** pf. pariō
- 9 **exercuit...servāvit:** asyndeton; add tē as acc. object
- 10 **numquam nōn modo...sed:** not only...never ...but...; take numquam just with nōn modo
- 11 **nē...quidem:** not even....; the pair, as often, emphasizes the intervening word
- 12 **nisi nefārium (bellum):** unless...; or ‘except’
- 13 **nactus es...improbōrum manum:** 2s pf. dep. nācīscor governing the acc. manum, ‘group;’ improbōrum is a substantive: ‘of the wicked’
- 14 **ex perditīs atque...dērelictīs cōnflātam:** fused

nācīscor, nācīscī, nactus: attain, obtain, meet
nātūra, -ae. f.: nature
nisi: if not, unless 3
numerus, -ī m.: number, multitude, 3
numquam: never, 2
ōtium, -ī n.: leisure, peace
pariō, ere, peperī, partum: bring forth, beget, 2
perfruor, -fruī, -frūctus: enjoy (abl) thoroughly
prīdem: long before, long ago, 4
quantus, -a, -um: how great, much, or many, 2
quidem: indeed, in fact, assuredly, certainly, 2
quisquam, quidquam: anyone, anything; any, 3
quondam: formerly, once, 3
rapiō, -īre, rapuī, raptum: seize, carry off
servō (1): save, keep, protect, preserve
spēs, -ēī f.: hope, expectation, 2
voluntās, -tātis f.: will, free-will, wish, choice, 2
voluptās, -tātis f.: pleasure, delight, enjoyment, 2

- together out of those ruined and abandoned not only by all fortune but also by hope; a participle phrase; the PPP of cōnflō modifies fem. sg. manum; both perditīs and dērelictīs are substantives formed from the PPP of perdō and dērelinquō; ā/ab + abl. is able of agent; and vērum, ‘but’ is an adverbial acc.*
- 7 **quā laetitiā:** what...!; quā is an interrogative adj. in an exclamation; This ablative of means is the object of perfruēr(is).
 - 8 **perfruēr(is):** contracted 2s fut. deponent + abl. quibus gaudiīs: in what...; interrogative adj. in an exclamation; abl. of cause;
 - 9 **quantā in voluptāte:** in quantā volupitate
 - 10 **baccāber(is):** contracted 2s fut. deponent tuōrum (virōrum): partitive gen.
 - 11 **neque...neque:** neither...nor
 - 12 **audiēs:** fut.
 - 13 **quemquam:** acc. sg. quisquam

1
Ibis, tandem aliquandō
 quō tē iam prīdem tua ista cupiditās effrēnāta ac furiōsa rapiēbat;
 neque enim tibi haec rēs **affect** dolōrem,
 sed quondam incrēdibilem voluptātem.
 Ad hanc tē āmentiam
 nātūra **perperit**,
 voluntās **exercuit**,
 fortūna **servāvit**.
 Numquam tū nōn modo ūtium,
 sed nē bellum quidem nisi nefārium **concupīstī**.
Nactus es,
 ex perditīs
 atque ab omnī nōn modo fortūnā,
 vērum etiam spē dērelīctīs cōnflātam,
 improbōrum manum.
Hīc tū
 quā laetitiā **perfruēre**,
 quibus gaudiīs **exsultābis**,
 quantā in voluptāte **baccābere**,
 cum in tantō numerō tuōrum
 neque audiēs virum bonum quemquam
 neque vidēbis!

Common Uses for the Dative in the Speech

<u>construction</u>	<u>example</u>	<u>translation</u>
Dative of Indirect Object	vīrō dīxissem	<i>I had said to the man</i>
Dative of Compound Verbs	tibi impendere	<i>to hang over you</i>
Dative of Agent + Pass. Periphrastic	tibi ferendum esse	<i>it must be endured by you</i>
Dative of Purpose	nōvīs nuptiīs	<i>for a new wedding</i>
Dative of Possession + sum	paulum tibi esse	<i>a little was to you (= you had a little)</i>
Dative of Interest (Advantage)	contigit nēminī	<i>this happens to no one</i>
Dative of Reference*	clāriōra nōbīs	<i>clearer to us (i.e. from our viewpoint)</i>
Dative of Special Adjectives	fūgae similem	<i>similar to flight</i>
Double Dative (purpose + interest)	tibi esse morae	<i>was for a delay for you → served as a delay for you</i>

*for some, interest and reference are the same construction

Ad huius vītae studium meditātī illī sunt quī feruntur labōrēs tuī, iacere 1
 humī nōn sōlum ad obsidendum stuprum vērum etiam ad facīnus obeundum,
 vigilāre nōn sōlum insidianem somnō maritōrum vērum etiam bonīs
 ūtiōsōrum. Habēs ubi ostentēs tuam illam praeclāram patientiam famis,
 frīgoris, inopiae rērum omnium, quibus tē brevī tempore cōflectum esse 5
 sentiēs. 27. Tantum prōfēcī tum, cum tē ā cōnsulātū reppulī, ut exsul potius
 temptāre quam consul vexāre rem pūblicam possēs, atque ut id, quod est ā tē
 scelerātē susceptum, latrōcinium potius quam bellum nōminārētur. 8

brevis, -e: short, 2

cōnficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum: wear out, exhaust

cōnsulātū, -ūs m.: office of consul, consulship 2

exsul, exsulīs m/f: an exile

facinus, facinoris n.: (bad) deed, action; crime, 4

famēs, -is f.: hunger

frīgus, -goris n.: cold, coldness, chill, 1

humī: on the ground (locative)

iaceō, -ere, iacuī: to lie (down)

inopia, -ae f.: poverty, need; lack of

insidior, -ārī, -ātūs sum: lie in wait for, plot

against, ambush, 3

labor, labōris m.: labor, toil, 1

latrōcinium, -īm m.: highway robbery, banditry, 3

marītus, -ī m.: husband

meditor, -ārī, -ātūs sum: reflect, design, practice

nōminō (1): call by name, name, mention, 2

obeō, obīre, obīī: accomplish, perform; go to

obsidēō, -ēre, -sēdī, -sessum: besiege, beset, 3

ostentō (1): show off (frequentive of ostendō)

otīosus, -a, -um: at leisure, peaceful

patientia, -ae f.: endurance; patience, 2

potius: rather (comparative adv.) 3

praeclārus, -a, -um: famous, distinguished, 2

prōficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum: accomplish, affect

repellō, -ere, repulī: drive away, ward off, reject

scelerātus, -a, -um: wicked, criminal, vicious, 3

somnus, -ī m.: sleep

studium, -ī n.: zeal, desire, pursuit, 2

stuprum, -ī n: unlawful sex, debauchery, lewdness

suscipiō, -ere, -cēpī, -ceptum: undertake, receive

temptō (1): attempt, try, test, attack, assail

tum: then, at that time, 4

ubi: where, when, 2

vexō (1): annoy, harass, vex, trouble, 2

vigilō (1): keep awake, be watchful (all night), 2

1 **Ad huius vītae...tuī:** those labors of yours, which are reported, have been designed for the pursuit of this (sort of) life; deponent meditātī sunt is pf. passive in sense; ferō, as often, means ‘to carry by word of mouth’ or ‘report’ **iacere...vigilāre:** to lie down... (and) to stay awake...; asyndeton, these two infinitives are in apposition to labōrēs

2 **nōn solum...vērum etiam:** not only... but also; vērum, ‘in truth,’ is an adverbial acc.

ad obsidendum...ad obeundum: for...; ad + noun + gerundive (fut. pass. pple) expressing purpose. Perform a gerund-gerundive flip and translate the acc. noun + gerundive as gerund (-ing) + acc. object; obsideō can mean ‘to take possession of’ as the result of a seige.

3 **insidianem:** plotting against (+ dat. of compound verb); this pres. pple modifies the understood acc. subject (tē) of vigilāre

4 **ubi ostendēs:** (a place) where you may...; or ‘(an opportunity) where...’ a relative clause of

purpose with pres. subj.; the missing antecedent is the direct object of habēs

famis, frīgoris, inopiae: asyndeton; obj. gen.

5 **quibus:** by which...; the antecedent is famis...

inopiae, abl. of means with cōflectum esse

tē...cōflectum esse: that you...; ind. disc.

governed by the fut. of sentiō

brevī tempore: in...; abl. of time when

6 **tantum:** (only) this much; acc. direct object

prōfēcī, repulī: 1s pf. prōficiō, repellō

cum: when

ut...possēs: so that you might...; purpose clause (or result) with 1s impf. subj. possum

exsul...consul: as an exile...as a consul; both are in apposition to the understood 2s subject

potius...quam: rather...than

7 **ut id...nōminārētur:** so that that...might be...; purpose clause (or result) with impf. subj.; id is nom. subj.

id, quod: that which...

8 **latrōcinium...bellum:** nom. pred.

Ad huius vītae studium meditātī illī sunt	1
quī feruntur labōrēs tuī	
iacere humī	2
nōn sōlum ad obsidendum stuprum	
vērum etiam ad facīnus obeundum,	
vigilāre	3
nōn sōlum insidianem somnō maritōrum	
vērum etiam bonīs ūtiōsōrum.	4
Habēs ubi ostentēs	
tuam illam praeclāram patientiam	
famis,	
frīgoris,	5
inopiae rērum omnium,	
quibus [tē brevī tempore cōfectum esse] sentiēs.	6
Tantum prōfēcī tum, cum tē ā cōnsulātū reppulī,	
ut exsul potius temptāre	7
quam consul vexāre rem pūblicam possēs,	
atque	
ut id, quod est ā tē scelerātē susceptum,	8
latrōcinium potius	
quam bellum nōminārētur.	

Common Uses for the Accusative in the Speech

<u>construction</u>	<u>example</u>	<u>translation</u>
Accusative Direct Object	Gracchum interfēcit	<i>he killed Gracchus</i>
Accusative Subject of Infinitive	cōsilia patēre	<i>that your plans lie open</i>
Accusative Place to which	in senātūm	<i>into the senate</i>
Accusative Duration of Time	vīcēsimūm diem	<i>for the twentieth day</i>
Accusative Exclamation	Ō tempora, ō mōrēs!	<i>Oh the times! Oh the conduct!</i>

Impersonal Verb Constructions

Impersonal verbs are found in the 3s and translated into English with the subject “it.” These verbs often govern an acc. + inf. clause and a dat. of interest. In reality, the acc. + inf. clause is the subject, but we prefer in English to translate it after the verb:

e.g. placet tē īre it is pleasing that you go (= that you go is pleasing)

convenit ¹	<i>it is agreed</i>	p. 10
oporet ³	<i>it is fitting/appropriate</i>	p. 4, 13, 20
placet ²	<i>it is pleasing</i>	p. 22, 44
licet ¹	<i>it is allowed</i>	p. 14

XI Nunc, ut ā mē, patrēs cōscriptī, quandam prope iūstam patriae 1
 querimōniam dētester ac dēprecer, percipite, quaesō, diligenter quae dīcam,
 et ea penitus animīs vestrīs mentibusque mandāte. Etenim, sī mēcum patria,
 quae mihi vītā meā multō est cārior, sī cūncta Ītalia, sī omnis rēs pūblica
 loquātur: “M. Tullī, quid agis? Tūne eum, quem esse hostem comperistī,
 5 quem ducem bellī futūrum vidēs, quem exspectārī imperātōrem in castrīs
 hostium sentīs, auctōrem sceleris, prīcipem coniūrātiōnis, ēvocātōrem
 servōrum et cīvium perditōrum exīre patiēre, ut abs tē nōn ēmissus ex urbe,
 sed immissus in urbem esse videātur? Nōnne hunc in vincula dūcī, nōn ad
 mortem rapī, nōn summō suppliciō mactārī imperābis?” 10

auctōr, -ōris m.: father, founder
cārus, -a, -um: dear, precious, costly, 2
comperiō, -īre, -perī: find out, discover, 2
cūnctus, -a, um: all together, whole, entire, all
dēprecōr, -ārī, -ātus: avert by prayer, ward off
dētestor, -ārī, -ātus: avert by oath, reject
diligēns, -entis: diligent, careful, industrious, 2
dūcō, -ere, dūxī, ductum: to lead, draw, 2
dux, ducis m./f.: leader, guide, chieftain, 2
ēmittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missum: send forth
etenim: for truly, and indeed, 4
ēvocātor, -ōris m.: summoner, recruiter
exeō, -īre, -ī (īvī), -itus: go out, 4
immittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missum: send in, admit
imperātor, -ōris m.: commander, leader, 3
imperō (1): order, command, 2

- 1 **ut...dētester ac dēprecer:** so that I may...;
 purpose clause with a 1s pres. subj.
ā mē: from...; abl. of separation
prope: almost, nearly; an adverb
- 2 **percipite:** pl. imperative
quaesō: I beg you; i.e. please, in exclamation
quae dīcam...ea: those things which...; relative
 clause of characteristic with 1s pres. subj.; the
 antecedent ea is a neut. acc. pl. demonstrative
- 3 **mandāte:** entrust (acc) to (dat, ind. object)!
- 4 **sī...sī...sī...loquātur:** if...if...if...should say;
 protasis in a mixed condition (sī pres. subj., fut.
 indicative); the apodosis does not appear until
 Lesson 31, after the Patria speaks
- 5 **vītā meā:** than...; abl. of comparison
multō: much; ‘by much’ abl. degree of
 difference with comparative cārior
- 5 **M. Tullī:** Marcus Tullius Cicero; direct address
quid agis?: What are you doing?
Tūne eum...patiēre: Will you allow him...;

iūstus, -a -um: just, fair, right(eous), 3
mactō (1): sacrifice, kill, slaughter, 2
mandō (1): entrust, commned, order, command, 2
multō (1): punish, 2
penitus: within, inwardly, deeply
percipiō, -ere, -cēpī, -ceptum: perceive; seize, 2
prīceps, -cipis m./f.: leader, chief, foremost, 3
prope: near, close; *adv.* almost, nearly
quaesō: I beg, I pray, please
querimōnia, -ae f.: complaint
rapiō, -īre, rapuī, raptum: seize, carry off
servus, -ī, m.: slave, 2
Tullius, -ī m.: Tullius
vester, tra, -trum: your, yours, 2
vinculum, -ī n.: bond, chain, 2

- contracted 2s fut. deponent (patiēre → patiēris)
quem...quem...quem: whom...whom...
whom...; asyndeton tricolon crescens; eum is
 the antecedent of all three relative clauses; and
 each clause has ind. disc. (quem is acc. subject)
quem esse hostem: ind. disc., pres. inf. sum
 6 **quem...futūrum (esse):** ind. disc. with fut. inf.
 sum (add esse); ducem is the predicate
quem exspectārī imperātōrem...hostium:
whom...as commander...; ind. disc. governed
 by sentīs; imperātōrem is in apposition
auctōrem...prīcipem...ēvocātōrem: parallel
 to imperātōrem, all acc. in apposition to quem
 8 **exīre:** complementary inf. of main verb patiēre
ut...videātur: so that he seem to be...; purpose
 9 **nōnne hunc...imperābis:** Will you not order
 this one...?; imperō governs acc. + inf. rather
 than ind. command if the infinitives are passive
dūcī, rāpī, mactārī: pres. passive infinitives
summō suppliciō: by...; abl. of means

Nunc, ut ā mē, patrēs cōnscriptī, 1
 quandam prope iūstam patriae querimōniam dētester ac dēprecer, 2
percipite, quaesō, dīligerter, quae dīcam,
 et ea penitus animīs vestrīs mentibusque **mandāte**. 3
 Etenim,
 sī mēcum patria, quae mihi vītā meā multō est cārior, 4
 sī cūncta Ītalia,
 sī omnis rēs pūblica loquātur: 5
 “Mārce Tullī, quid agis?
 Tūne eum,
 [quem esse hostem] comperistī,
 [quem ducem bellī futūrum] vidēs, 6
 [quem exspectārī imperātōrem in castrīs hostium] sentīs,
 auctōrem sceleris,
 prīncipem coniūratiōnis,
 ēvocātōrem servōrum et cīvium perditōrum 8
exīre patiēre,
 ut abs tē
 nōn ēmissus ex urbe,
 sed immissus in urbem esse videātur? 9
 Nōnne [hunc in vincula dūcī],
 nōn [ad mortem rapī], 10
 nōn [summō suppliciō mactārī]
imperābis?

Common Uses for the Genitive in the Speech

construction	example	translation
Genitive of Possession	M. Laecae domum	<i>the house of Marcus Laecus</i>
Partitive Genitive	quem nostrū	<i>which one of us</i>
Appositional Genitive	quid cōsiliī	<i>what of a plan (what plan)</i>
Genitive of Quality (Description)	cōsultum eius modī	<i>resolution of this kind</i>
Objective Genitive	necem civium	<i>murder of the citizens (he murders citizens)</i>
Subjective Genitive	lēgum poenās	<i>punishment of the laws (the laws punish...)</i>
Genitive of Value or Price	est tantī	<i>it is of great worth</i>
Genitive of Charge	inertiae ...condemnō	<i>I condemn myself for idleness...</i>

“Quid tandem tē impedit? Mōsne māiorum? 28. At persaepe etiam prīvātī 1
in hāc rē pūblicā perniciōsōs cīvēs morte multārunt. An lēgēs, quae dē
cīvium Rōmānōrum suppliciō rogātae sunt? At numquam in hāc urbe, quī ā
rē pūblicā dēfēcērunt, cīvium iūra tenuērunt. An invidiam posteritātis timēs?
Praeclāram vērō populō Rōmānō refers grātiā, quī tē, hominem per tē 5
cōgnitum, nūllā commendātiōne māiōrum, tam mātūrē ad summum
imperium per omnēs honōrum gradūs extulit, sī propter invidiam aut alicūius
perīculī metum salūtem cīvium tuōrum neglegis. 29. Sed, sī quis est invidiae
metus, num est vehementius sevēritātis ac fortitūdinis invidia quam inertiae
ac nēquitiāe pertimēscenda? An, cum bellō vastābitur Ītalia, vexābuntur 10
urbēs, tēcta ardēbunt, tum tē nōn exīstimās invidiae incendiō
cōnflagrātūrum?”

an: or, whether; (a new point) but, or perhaps, 4
ardeō, -ere, ārsī: be on fire, burn
cognōscō, -ere, -nōvī, -nitum: to learn, *pf.* know
commendātiō, -ōnis f.: recommendation, support
cōnflagrō (1): burn up, be consumed
dēficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum: fail, give out
efferō, -ferre, extulī, ēlātum: raise up, lift
existimō (1): judge, consider, regard, think, 1
fortitūdō, -dīnis f.: strength; bravery, courage
gradus, -ūs m.: step, grade
grātia, -ae f.: thanks; favor, esteem, regard, 2
honor, -ōris m.: political office; honor, offering
impendeō, -ere: hang over, threaten, 4
imperium, -ī n.: command, order, power, 3
incendium, -ī n.: fire, burning fire, 4
inertia, -ae f.: idleness, inertia, neglect, 2
iūs, iūris n.: justice, law, right, 3
lēx, lēgis f.: law, regulation, decree, 3
mātūrus, -a, -um: ripe, opportune; quick, early
mōs, mōris m.: custom, manner, way; character, 3
multō (1): punish, 2

- 1 **mōsne maiōrum?**: *the way of the ancestors?*
- At...at....: *but...but...;* ‘at’ indicates a change of speaker; Patria asks the questions while Cicero responds with ‘at’ statements.
- 2 **multā(vē)runt:** syncopated 3p pf.
An **legēs:** *Or (is it) the laws...?*; Patria speaks
- 3 **rogātae sunt:** *have been proposed;* the idiom *rogāre lēgem* means ‘to proposal a law’
quī...dēfēcērunt: *(those) who have defected...;* the missing antecedent is subject of *tenuērunt*
- 4 **iūra:** *the rights...;* + gen. pl. cīvis
- 5 **vērō:** *in truth;* or ‘indeed,’ abl. as adverb

neglegō, -ere, -lēxī, -lēctum: overlook, omit, 2
nēquitiā, -ae f.: worthlessness, badness, 2
numquam: never, 2
per: through, across, 4
perniciōsus, -a, -um: destructive, ruinous, 4
persaepe: very often, 2
permēscō, -ere, -timuī: become very fearful, 3
posteritās, posteritātis f.: posterity, future, 3
praeclārus, -a, -um: famous, distinguished, 2
propter: on account of, because of, 3
referō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātum: report, bring back, 3
rogō (1): to ask, 3
sevēritās, -tātis f.: severity, sternness, 2
tēctum, -ī n.: house, building, shelter; roof, 3
teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentum: to hold, keep, 3
timeō, -ere, -uī: fear, dread, 4
tum: then, at that time, 4
vāstō (1): lay waste, destroy, devastate, 3
vehemēns, -entis: violent, vehement, strong, 4
vexō (1): annoy, harass, vex, trouble, 2

- 6 **refers:** 2s pres., governs acc. and dat. ind. obj.; Cicero is being sarcastic. Such an action would show ingratitude.
- hominem....cognitum:** in apposition to tē
- per tē: *through yourself;* i.e. by your deeds
- 7 **nūllō commendātiōne maiōrum:** *by no recommendation of (your) ancestors;* i.e. Cicero did not win because of an illustrious lineage
- 7 **per....:** *through all the steps of political offices*
- extulit:** the obj. is tē in line 5; 3s pf. effero
- propter...metum:** two objects joined by ‘aut’
- alicuius perīculī:** *of some danger;* gen. sg.

Quid tandem tē impedit?	1
Mōsne māiorum?	
At persaepe etiam prīvātī in hāc rē pūblicā	2
perniciōsōs cīvēs morte multārunt.	
An lēgēs,	
quae dē cīvium Rōmānōrum suppliciō rogātae sunt?	3
At numquam in hāc urbe,	
quī ā rē pūblicā dēfēcērunt,	4
cīvium iūra tenuērunt.	
An invidiam posteritātis timēs?	
Praeclāram vērō populō Rōmānō refers grātiam,	5
quī tē, hominem per tē cōgnitum,	6
nūllā commendātiōne māiōrum,	
tam mātūrē ad summum imperium	7
per omnēs honōrum gradūs extulit,	
sī propter invidiam aut alicūius perīculī metum	8
salūtem cīvium tuōrum neglegis.	
Sed, sī quis est invidiae metus,	9
num est vehementius sevēritātis ac fortitūdinis invidia	
quam inertiae ac nēquitiae permīscenda?	10
An, cum	
bellō vastābitur Ītalia,	
vexābuntur urbēs,	11
tēcta ardēbunt,	
tum tē nōn existimās [invidiae incendiō cōnflagrātūrum]?"	12

8 **sī quis...metus:** if there is any fear of hatred
quis becomes indefinite before sī
 9 **num:** surely...not?; Patria still speaks to Cicero
est...permīscenda: must be...; ‘is (going) to
be feared’ a passive periphrastic (gerundive +
sum), invidia is fem. sg. subject
vehementius...quam: more strongly...than;
comparative adv. and clause of comparison
sevēritātis ac fortitūdinis invidia: hatred
for...; objective gen.
inertiae ac nēquitiae (invidia): the hatred
for...; ellipsis, objective gen., supply ‘invidia’

10 **an...nōn existimās:** or do you not think...;
governs ind. disc., tē...cōnflagrātūrum (esse)
cum...vastābitur...vexābuntur...ardēbunt:
when... (and)... (and)...; asyndeton, all three
verbs are governed by the same ‘cum;’ As
often, translate the fut. ind. of all three verbs as
a present with future sense
tēcta: buildings; ‘roofs,’ synecdoche
 11 **tē...cōnflagrātūrum (esse):** that you...; ind.
disc. with fut. inf. cōnflagrō
invidiae incendiō: with...; abl. of means and
appositional gen.

XII Hīs ego sānctissimīs reī pūblicae vōcibus et eōrum hominum, quī hoc 1
 idem sentient, mentibus pauca respondēbō. Ego, sī hoc optimum factū
 iūdicārem, patrēs cōnscrip̄tī, Catilīnam morte multārī, ūnīus ūsūram hōrae
 gladiātōrī istī ad vīvendum nōn dedissem. Etenim, sī summī virī et
 clārissimī cīvēs Sāturnīnī et Gracchōrum et Flaccī et superiōrum 5
 complūrium sanguine nōn modo sē nōn contāminārunt, sed etiam
 honestārunt, certē, verendum mihi nōn erat nē quid, hōc parricīdā cīvium
 interfec̄tō, invidiae mihi in posteritātem redundāret. Quod sī ea mihi
 māximē impendēret, tamen hōc animō fuī semper, ut invidiam virtūte
 partam glōriam, nōn invidiam putārem. 10

certus, -a, -um: definite, sure, certain, reliable, 3
clārus, -a, -um: clear, famous, bright, loud, 3

complūres n.: many, several, 2

contāminō (1): contaminate, defile, disgrace

dō, dare, dēdī, datum: give; grant, allow, 3

etenim: for truly, and indeed, 4

Flaccus, -ī m.: Flaccus

gladiātor, -ōris m.: gladiator

glōria, -ae, f.: glory, fame, 2

Gracchus, -ī m.: Tiberius or Gaius Gracchus, 3

honestō (1): honor, ennable, glorify

hora, -ae f.: hour

impendeō, -ēre: hang over, threaten, 4

iūdicō (1): judge, decide, assess, investigate, 3

maximē: especially, in particular, exceedingly
pariō, ere, peperi, partum: bring forth, beget, 2

parricīda, -ae f.: murderer; parricide, traitor

paucī, -ae, -a: little, few, scanty

posteritās, posteritātis f.: posterity, future, 3

redundō (1): overflow, flow back

respondeō, -ēre, -dī, -ōnsus: say in response, 1

sānctus, -a, -um: sacred, holy, 2

sanguis, -inis m.: blood, bloodshed

Sāturnīnus, -ī m.: Saturninus, 2

semper: always, ever, forever

ūsūra, -ae f.: use, practice

vereor, -ērī, -itus: be afraid, fear; revere, 3

virtūs, -ūtis f.: valor, manhood, excellence, 3

1 **Hīs...vōcibus...et...mentibus:** to these...
 words and... thoughts; ind. obj.; The Patria
 has finished speaking, and Cicero resumes.

eōrum hominum: of those people; modifying
 mentibus; demonstrative adj.

hoc idem: this same thing; neuter acc. sg.

2 **pauca:** a few (words); neut. acc. pl. substantive
sī...iūdicārem...dedissem: If I were judging
 ...I would have...; mixed contrary-to-fact
 condition (sī impf. subj., plpf. subj.)

hoc: this; i.e. Catilinam...multārī below

optimum factū: the best thing to do; factū is a
 supine (PPP + ū) behaving as a abl. of respect
patrēs cōnscrip̄tī: voc. direct address

3 **Catilīnam...multārī:** (namely) that...; in
 apposition to hoc above
ūnīus: gen. sg. with hōrae, modifying ūsūram

4 **gladiātōrī istī:** dat. ind. obj., i.e. Catiline
ad vīvendum: for...: ad + gerund (-ing)
 expressing purpose

sī...contāminā(vē)runt...honestā(vē)runt,
verendum erat: if...; a simple past condition

(sī pf. ind., impf. ind.), syncopated 3p pf. forms

5 **Sāturnīnī...complūrium:** a series of genitives
 modifying sanguine, abl. of means

superiōrum complūrium: of many previous
 men; i.e. men of the past; gen. pl.

6 **nōn modo...sed etiam:** not only...but also

7 **verendum mihi...erat:** I did not have to fear;
 ‘it was (going) to be feared by me’ impersonal
 passive periphrastic with a dat. of agent

nē quid...invidiae...redundāret: lest any
 hatred...; a clause of fearing with impf. subj.;
 quid becomes indefinite (any) before ‘nē,’ and
 is modified by a partitive gen.: ‘any of hatred’

7 **hoc parricidā...interfec̄tō:** abl. absolute
mihi: on me; dat. of compound verb

8 **quod sī impendēret...fuī:** but if...threatened...
 I was...; mixed condition (sī impf. subj., pf.
 ind.); quod here is an acc. of respect: ‘in respect
 to which, if...’ or ‘as for this, if...’ (see p. 33)

ea: this (hatred); supply invidia

Hīs ego sāctissimīs reī pūblicae vōcibus 1
 et eōrum hominum, quī hoc idem sentient, mentibus 2
 pauca **respondēbō.**

Ego,
 sī hoc optimum factū iūdicārem, patrēs cōnscrīptī, 3
 [Catilīnam morte multārī],
 ūnīus ūsūram hōrae gladiātōrī istī ad vīvendum nōn **dedissem.** 4

Etenim,
 sī summī virī et clārissimī cīvēs 5
 Sāturnīnī et Gracchōrum et Flacci et superiōrum complūrium sanguine 6
 nōn modo sē nōn contāminārunt,
 sed etiam honestārunt, 7
certē, verendum mihi erat
 nē quid, hōc parricīdā cīvium interfectō, 8
 invidiae mihi in posteritātem redundāret.

Quod sī ea mihi māximē impendēret, 9
 tamen hōc animō **fuī** semper,
 ut invidiam virtūte partam glōriam, 10
 nōn invidiam putārem.

8 **mihi:** (*over*) me; dat. of compound verb

9 **hōc animō fuī:** *I was of such a mind;* abl. of quality as predicate

ut...putārem: so that...; result clause, 1s impf. subj.

invidiam virtūte partam (esse) glōriam, nōn

invidiam: that...; ind. disc. invidiam

virtūte partam is acc. subject; supply the linking inf. esse

virtūte: by...; abl. of means or cause with partam

10 **partam:** (*if*) having been born...; PPP of pariō is conditional in sense

glōriam: acc. pred.

Purpose Constructions in the Speech

There are a variety of ways to express purpose with a verb in Cicero's *First Catilinarian*. In addition to the reasons below, Cicero uses dat. of purpose and more frequently ad + noun.

ut/nē + subj.¹⁶ (purpose)	ut/nē audīret	<i>so that he might (not) hear...</i>
qui + subj.⁵ (purpose)	qui audīret	<i>who would hear...</i>
ad + acc. (gerund⁰)	ad haec audiendum	<i>for hearing these things...</i>
ad + acc. (+ gerundive¹¹)	ad haec audienda	<i>for these things (going) to be heard</i>
causā + gen. (gerundive⁴)	audiendī huius causā	<i>for the sake of this to be heard</i>
gratiā + gen.⁰	audiendī huius grātiā	<i>for the sake of this to be heard</i>
supine in acc.¹	vīsum	<i>to see...</i>
future pple⁰	vīsūrus	<i>intending to see</i>

30. Quamquam nōn nūllī sunt in hōc ōrdine, quī aut ea, quae imminent, nōn 1
 videant aut ea, quae vident, dissimulent; quī spem Catilīnae mollibus
 sententiīs aluērunt coniūrātiōnemque nāscētēm nōn crēdendō
 corrōborāvērunt; quōrum auctōritātē multī nōn sōlum improbī, vērum etiam 5
 imperītī, sī in hunc animadvertissem, crūdēliter et rēgiē factum esse dicerent.
 Nunc intellegō, sī iste, quō intendit, in Mānliāna castra pervēnerit, nēminem
 tam stultum fore, quī nōn videat coniūrātiōnem esse factam, nēminem tam 10
 improbum, quī nōn fateātur. Hōc autem ūnō interfectō, intellegō hanc reī
 pūblicae pestem paulisper reprīmī, nōn in perpetuum comprīmī posse. Quod
 sī sē ēiēcerit sēcumque suōs ēdūxerit et eōdem cēterōs undique collēctōs 12
 naufragōs aggregārit, exstinguētur atque dēlēbitur nōn modo haec tam adulta
 reī pūblicae pestis, vērum etiam stirps ac sēmen malōrum omnium.

adultus, -a, -um: full-grown, grown up, mature
aggregō (1): bring to the flock, join, collect
alō, -ere, aluī: feed, nourish, support
animadvertō, -ere, -vertī, -versum: to notice, pay attention to, 2
cēterī, -ae, -a: the remaining, the rest, the others 4
colligō, -ere, collēgī, collēctum: gather, collect
comprīmō, -ere, -pressī: press together, overwhelm, 2
corrōborō (1): strengthen, encourage
crēdō, -ere, -dīdī, -ditum: believe, trust, 3
crūdēlis, -e: cruel, severe, merciless, 2
dēleō, -ēre, dēlēvī, dēlētum: destroy, erase
dissimulō (1): disguise, conceal
ēdūcō, -ere, -dūxī, -ctus: lead forth, bring out, 3
ēiciō, -ere, ēiēcī, ēiectum: cast or throw out, 2
extinguō, -ere, -strīnxī: put out, extinguish
fateor, -ērī, fassus sum: admit, confess, 2
immīneō: overhang, threaten; be imminent
imperītus, -a, -um: unexperienced, unskilled

1 **quamquam:** and yet

nōn nūllī sunt: there are some; litotes; ‘there are not none’

in hōc ōrdine: i.e. the senatorial class

quī...aut videant...aut dissimulent: who would... relative of characteristic, pres. subj.
ea quae: those (things) which...

2 **quī spem...aluērunt...:** these nourished...

translate quī as a transitional demonstrative
Catilīnae: gen. sg. modifying spem

3 **nascentem:** pres. pple

crēdendō: by...; gerund (-ing), abl. of means

4 **quōrum auctōritātē:** by their authority...; as

intendō, -ere, intendī, intentum: aim, strive, head

malus, -a, -um: bad, evil, wicked

Mānliānus, -a, -um: of Manlius, 2

mollis, -e: soft, tender, weak

nāscor, nāscī, nātus sum: be born

naufragus, -a, -um: shipwrecked, wrecked, ruined

ordō, -inis m.: order, rank, line, 3

paulisper: for a little while

perpetuus, -a, -um: perpetual, everlasting, lasting

perveniō, -ire, -vēnī, -ventum: to come through, arrive

rēgiē: tyrannically, despontically

reprīmō, -ere, -pressī, -um: repress, check, 2

sēmen, sēminis n.: seed, source

sententia, -ae f.: opinion, purpose, 2

spēs, -ēi f.: hope, expectation, 2

stirps, stirpis f.: trunk

stultus, -a, -um: foolish, silly, stupid

undique: from everywhere, from or on all sides 2

above, translate as a transitional demonstrative

nōn sōlum...vērum etiam: not only...but also subject of the main verb dicerent below

5 **sī...animadvertissem...dīcerent:** if I had paid attention...would say; mixed contrary-to-fact condition (sī plpf. subj., impf. subj.)

crūdēliter et rēgiē factum esse: that (this) was done...; ind. disc., with pf. pass; add a subject

6 **sī...pervēnerit...fore:** that if he reaches...would be...; fut. more vivid (sī fut. pf., fut. ind.). In ind. disc., the apodosis becomes a fut inf. (fore =futūrum esse) and protasis (originally fut. pf.) becomes pf. subj; pf. subj. pervēnerit

Quamquam nōn nūllī **sunt** in hōc ūrdine,
1
quī aut ea, quae imminent, nōn videant
2
aut ea, quae vident, dissimulent;
quī spem Catilīnae mollibus sententiīs aluērunt
3
coniūrātiōnemque nāscētēm nōn crēdēndō corrōborāvērunt;
4
quōrum auctōritātē multī
nōn sōlum improbī,
vērum etiam imperītī,
5
[sī in hunc animadvertissem,
crūdēliter et rēgiē factum esse] dicerent.

Nunc **intellegō**,
6
sī iste, quō intendit, in Mānliāna castra pērvēnerit,
nēminem tam stultum fore,
7
quī nōn videat [coniūrātiōnem esse factam],
nēminem tam improbum,
8
quī nōn fateātur.

Hōc autem ūnō interfēctō,
intellegō
9
[hanc reī pūblicae pestem
paulisper reprīmī,
nōn in perpetuum comprīmī posse].

Quod sī sē ejēcerit
10
sēcumque suōs ēdūxerit
et eōdem cēterōs undique collēctōs naufragōs aggregārit,
11
exstinguētur atque dēlēbitur
nōn modo haec tam adulta reī pūblicae pestis,
12
vērum etiam stirps ac sēmen malōrum omnium.

- 7 **quō intendit**: (*to*) *where...*; following castra
nēminem: acc. subj. nēmo of fore, fut. inf. sum
quī...videat: *who ...*; relative clause of result
(*qui* = *ut is*)
coniūrātiōnem esse factam: *that...*; ind. disc.
with pf. pass. inf.
- 8 **quī nōn fateātur**: *who...*; relative of result
hōc...interfēctō: abl. absolute; ūnō: ‘alone’
- 9 **hanc pestem...reprīmī...comprīmī posse**:
that this pestilence...; ind. disc. with pres. inf.
possum + pass. infinitives
in perpetuum: *forever*; ‘in perpetuity’

- 9 **quod sī**: *but if...*; quod is an acc. of respect: ‘in
respect to which, if...’ or ‘as for this, if...’ p. 33
10 **sī...ejēcerit...ēdūxerit...aggregā(ve)rit,**
exstinguētur...dēlēbitur: fut. more vivid (sī
fut. (pf.), fut.) with fut. pf. indicatives; translate
the fut. pf. verbs as present with future sense
sē: *himself*; emphatic reflexive pronoun
sēcumque: et cum sē
suōs (virōs): *his own (men)*
eōdem: *to the same place*; adv.
naufragōs: *shipwrecks*; i.e. corrupt men
11 **nōn modo...vērum etiam**: *not only...but also*

XIII 31. Etenim iam diū, patrēs cōscriptī, in hīs perīculīs insidiīsque 1
 versāmur, sed nēsciō quō pactō omnium scelerum ac veteris furōris et
 audāciae mātūritās in nostrī cōsulātūs tempus ērūpit. Quod sī ex tantō
 latrōciniō iste ūnus tollētur, vidēbimur fortasse ad breve quoddam tempus
 cūrā et metū esse relevātī; perīculum autem residēbit et erit inclūsum 5
 penitus in vēnīs atque in vīsceribus reī pūblicae. Ut saepe hominēs aegrī
 morbō gravī, cum aestū febrīque iactantur, sī aquam gelidam bibērunt,
 prīmō relevārī videntur, deinde multō gravius vehementiusque
 afflīctantur, sīc hic morbus, quī est in rē pūblicā, relevātus istūs poenā, 10
 vehementius reliquīs vīvīs ingravēscet.

aeger, -gra, -grum: sick, weary
aestus, -ūs m.: heat
affictō, -āre, -āvī, -ātūm: afflict, damage
aqua, -ae f.: water
bibō, -ere, bibī: drink
brevis, -e: short, 2
cōsulātūs, -ūs m.: office of consul, consulship 2
cūra, -ae, f.: care, attention, caution, anxiety, 2
deinde: then
ērumpō, -ere, -rūpī, -mptum: burst, break out, 2
etenim: for truly, and indeed, 4
febris, -is f.: fever
fortasse: perhaps, perchance
gelidus, -a, -um: cold, cool
iactō (1): toss, buffet; vaunt, boast, 2
inclūdō, -ere, -sī, inclūsum: inclose, shut in 2
ingravēscō, -ere: grow heavy, become worse
insidiae, -ārum, f.: ambush, plot, treachery
latrōcinium, -ī m.: highway robbery, banditry, 3

- 1 **patrēs cōscriptī:** voc. direct address
- versāmur: *we have been engaging in*; pf. progressive in sense following iam diū
- nēsciō quō pactō: *in some way*; ‘by I-don’t-know-what pact’; nēsciō quī is equivalent to an indefinite pronoun with a sense of uncertainty
- 2 **omnium...audāciae:** gen. modifying mātūritās
- 3 **in...tempus:** *during...*; with intervening gen. sg quod sī: *but if...*; quod is an acc. of respect: ‘in respect to which, if...’ or ‘as for this, if...’ p. 33
- 4 **sī...tollētur, vidēbimur:** fut. more vivid (sī fut. fut.), translate tollētur as pres. with future sense
- tollētur: *is removed*; i.e. is lifted up and out
- vidēbimur: *we will seem*
- ad breve quoddam tempus: *for...*; duration
- 5 **cūrā et metū:** *from...*; abl. separation
- esse relevātī: pf. pass. inf. following vidēbimur

mātūritās, -tātīs f.: maturity. ripeness
morbus, -ī m.: disease, sickness, illness, 2
multō (1): punish, 2
nēsciō, -ire, -ivī: not know, be ignorant, 3
pactum, -ī n.: pact, agreement, 2
penitus: within, inwardly, deeply
poena, poenae, f.: punishment, 3
prīmō: at first (adv.)
relevō (1): relieve, loosen, lighten, 3
reliquus, -a, um: remaining, the rest, 2
resideō, -ere, -sēdī: remain (behind), stay, 2
sīc: thus, in this way, 3
tollō, tollere, sustulī, sublātum: to raise, lift up
vehemēns, -entīs: violent, vehement, strong, 4
vēna, -ae f.: vein
versōr, -ārī, -ātūs sum: be engaged in, live, 2
vetus, -eris: old, former, ancient
vīscus, vīsceris n.: entrails, vitals, viscera

- autem: *however*; postpositive
- 6 **ut saepe...:** *just as often...*; simile
- morbō gravī:** *by a serious...*; abl. of cause
- 7 **cum...:** when
- aestū febrīque: *by...*; abl. 3rd decl. (i-stem) adj.
- 8 **prīmō...deinde:** *at first...then*
- 8 **multō:** much; abl. of the degree of difference
- gravius vehementiusque:** comparative adverbs
- 9 **sīc: so...**; marking the end of the simile
- relevātus:** (*if having been relieved*; this PPP is conditional in sense)
- istūs:** *of that one*; i.e. Catiline, gen. sg.
- poenā:** abl. of means, not separation
- reliquīs vīvīs:** *since the rest are alive*; ‘the rest (being) alive’ an abl. absolute, causal in sense
- 10 **vehementius:** comparative adverb
- ingravēscet: fut.

Etenim iam diū, patrēs cōscriptī,
in hīs perīculīs insidiīsque **versāmūr**,
sed nēsciō quō pactō omnium scelerum ac veteris furōris et audāciae
mātūritās in nostrī cōsulatūs tempus **ērūpit**.
Quod sī ex tantō latrōciniō iste ūnus tollētur,
vidēbimur fortasse ad breve quoddam tempus
cūrā et metū **esse** relevātī;
perīculum autem **residēbit** et
erit inclūsum penitus in vēnīs atque in vīsceribus reī pūblicae.
Ut saepe hominēs aegrī morbō gravī,
cum aestū febrīque iactantur,
sī aquam gelidam bibērunt,
prīmō relevārī **videntur**,
deinde multō gravius vehementiusque **afflīctantur**,
sīc hic morbus,
quī est in rē pūblicā,
relevātus istīus poenā,
vehementius reliquīs vīvīs **ingravēscet**.

10

Forty Deponent Verbs

abūtor, -ūtī, -usus sum: abuse, use up (abl)
admīror, -ārī, -ātus sum: wonder at, admire
arbitror, -ārī, arbitrātus sum: to judge, think, 2
assequor, -ī, secūtūs: to attain, reach (by pursuit)
audeō, -ēre, ausus sum: dare, venture, 4*
baccor, -ī, -ātus sum: revel, exult
cōnor, cōnārī, cōnātūs sum: to try, attempt, 2
dēprecor, -ārī, deprecātūs sum: avert by prayer
dētestor, -ārī, -ātus sum: avert, protest against
ēgredior, -ī, -gressus sum: go out, disembark, 3
ēlabor, ēlābī, ēlāpsus sum: slip off or away
ēmorior, ēmōrī, ēmortuus sum: die, die off
fateor, -ērī, fassus sum: admit, confess, 2
fiō, fierī, factus sum: become, be made*
hortor, hortārī, hortātūs sum: encourage, urge
īnfītior, -ārī, īfītiātūs sum: deny, contradict
īnsidior, -ārī, -ātus: lie in wait for, plot against, 3
loquor, -ī, locūtūs sum: speak, say, 6
māchinor, -ārī, -ātus sum: contrive, devise
meditor, -ārī, -ātus sum: reflect, think, consider2

mōlier, -īrī, -ītūs: set in motion, devise, stir, 2
nanciscor, nanciscī, nactus: attain, obtain, meet
nāscor, nāscī, nātūs sum: be born
oblīviscor, -scī, oblītūs sum: forget (gen)
opīnor, -ārī, opīnātūs: suppose, believe, think
pacīscor, -ī, pactūs sum: agree upon, contract, 1
patior, -ī, passūs sum: suffer, allow, endure, 6
perfruor, -frūī, -frūctūs sum: enjoy thoroughly
perīclitor, -ārī, -ātūs sum: put to the test, risk
polliceor, -cērī, -cītūs: promise, offer, 2
praestōlor, -ārī, -ātūs sum: wait for, expect,
proficiōscor, -ī, -fectūs: set out, depart, 6
prōsequor, -quī, prōsecūtūs sum: pursue, escort
remoror, -ārī, -ātūs sum: delay, linger, defer
sequor, -ī, secūtūs: follow, attend, accompany
speculator, -ārī, -ātūs sum: spy out, watch
suspīcor, -ārī: mistrust, suspect
veneror, -ārī, -ātūs sum: venerate, rever
vereor, -ērī, -ītūs: be afraid, fear; revere, 3
versor, -ārī, -ātūs sum: be engaged in, live, 2

The two verbs marked with an * are semi-deponent: only their pf. tenses are deponent.

32. Quā rē sēcēdant improbī, sēcernant sē ā bonīs, ūnum in locum 1
 congregentur, mūrō dēnique, quod saepe iam dīxī, sēcernantur ā nōbīs;
 dēsinant īnsidiārī domī suaē cōnsulī, circumstāre tribūnal praetōris urbānī,
 obsidēre cum gladiīs Cūriam, malleolōs et facēs ad īflammandum urbēm
 comparāre; sit dēnique īscrīptum in fronte ūnīus cūiusque, quid dē rē 5
 pūblicā sentiat. Polliceor hoc vōbīs, patrēs cōscriptī, tantam in nōbīs
 cōnsulibus fore dīlignantiam, tantam in vōbīs auctoritātem, tantam in
 equitibus Rōmānīs virtūtem, tantam in omnibus bonīs cōsēnsiōnem, ut
 Catilīnae profectiōne omnia patefacta, illūstrāta, oppressa, vindicāta esse
 videātis. 10

- circumstō** (1): stand around, surround, 2
comparō (1): prepare, get ready, provide
congregō (1): gather together, assemble
cōsēnsiō, -iōnis f.: agreement, harmony
Cūria, -ae f.: Curia, Senate-house
dēnique: at last, finally, 4
dēsinō, -ere, **dēsītī**, **dēsītūm**: cease, leave off, 2
dīlignantia, -ae f.: diligence, attentiveness, 3
eques, **equitis** m.: equestrian, 3
fax, **facis** f.: torch, firebrand, 2
frōns, **frontis** f.: forehead, brow, front
gladius, -i m.: sword
illūstrō (1): light up, make clear, reveal, 2
īflammatō (1): set on fire, kindle, burn
īscrībō, -ere, -scrīpsī, -scrīptūm: write on
īnsidiōr, -ārī, -ātūs sum: plot against, lie in
 wait for, ambush (dat) 3
locus, -i m.: place, situation; opportunity, 2

- 1 **quā rē**: for which reason; abl. of cause
sēcēdant...sēcernant...dēsinant: let the wicked...let...let...; asyndeton; 3p jussive subj.
 ā bonīs: i.e. from the senators; abl. separation
ūnum in locum: in ūnum locum
 2 **quod...**: which...; the main clause is antecedent
 3 **dēsinant...īnsidiārī...circumstāre...**: let them cease to...; asyndeton, a series of infinitives governed by dēsinant
domī suaē: at his own house; locative
cōnsulī: dat. obj. of deponent inf. īnsidiārī
praetōris urbānī: gen. possession
 4 **ad īflammandam urbēm**: for...; ad + acc. + gerundive expresses purpose: Perform gerundive flip and translate as a gerund (-ing)
 5 **sit**: let it be: jussive pres. subjunctive of sum with PPP as predicate
in fronte: on the forehead

- malleolus**, -ī m.: fire-darts (projectiles)
mūrus, -ī m.: (city) wall, rampart, 2
obsidēō, -ēre, -sēdī, -sessum: besiege, beset, 3
opprimō, -ere, -pressī, -pressum: check, overpower, 3
patefaciō, -ere, -fēcī, -factum: open, disclose
polliceor, -ērī, -cītus: promise, offer, 2
praetor, -ōris m.: praetor, 3
profectiō, -iōnis f.: departure, setting out
quisque, **quaeque**, **quidque**: each one, every, 3
sēcēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum: go away, withdraw
sēcernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētūm: separate, set apart, distinguish, 3
tribūnal, -ālis n.: platform, tribunal
urbānus, -a, -um: urban, of the city
vindicō (1): avenge, punish, protect, vindicate, 3
virtūs, -ūtis f.: valor, manhood, excellence, 3

- ūnīus cūiusque**: gen. sg. ūnus quīque
quid...sentiat: what...; ind. question with pres. subj., the subject is the same as ūnīus cūiusque
 6 **hoc**: this; acc. obj. of polliceor
tantam...fore dīlignantiam: (namely) that there will be...; ind. disc. in apposition to acc. sg. hoc above; fore = futūram esse, fut. inf. of sum
 7 **tantam...(fore) auctoritātem, tantam...(fore) virtūtem**: (and) that there will be... (and) that there will be...; anaphora and asyndeton, ind. disc.; add inf. fore following each tantam
 8 **ut...videātis**: that you will see; result clause. Since pres. subj. denotes action at the same time as main verb, translate in future tense.
 9 **Catilīnae profectiōne**: with...; + subj. gen.
omnia patefacta (esse)...vindicata esse: that all things ...; asyndeton, ind. disc. with a series of pf. pass. infinitives (add esse to each PPP)

Quā rē	1
sēcēdant improbī,	
sēcernant sē ā bonīs,	
ūnum in locum congregentur ,	2
mūrō dēnique, quod saepe iam dīxī, sēcernantur ā nōbīs;	
dēsinant	3
īnsidiārī domī suaē cōnsulī,	
circumstāre tribūnal praetōris urbānī,	
obsidēre cum gladiīs Cūriam,	4
malleolōs et facēs ad īflammandum urbem comparāre;	5
sit dēnique īscrīptum in fronte ūnīus cūiusque,	
quid dē rē pūblicā sentiat.	6
Polliceor hoc vōbīs, patrēs cōscriptī,	
[tantam in nōbīs cōnsulibus fore dīlignantiam,	7
tantam in vōbīs auctoritātem,	
tantam in equitibus Rōmānīs virtūtem,	8
tantam in omnibus bonīs cōsēnsiōnem],	
ut [Catilīnae profectiōne omnia	9
patefacta,	
illūstrāta,	
oppressa,	
vindicāta esse] videātis.	10

enim⁸ (postpositive), nam², etenim⁴, quod⁴

Consider the following: Did I see you at the store yesterday? Yes, I had to buy some milk.

In the reply, the word “for” or “because” should follow “yes,” but is missing and understood. English does this all the time. Enim, “indeed,” and nam are affirmative particles that serve the same role as “yes,” above—they are both affirmative and explanatory—and can often be translated as just “indeed” or “indeed for/because” or finally “for/because” with the affirmative understood. This explains why enim and nam will never follow the interrogative cūr, “why:” e.g. why did I see you? Yes because... We never follow “why?” with the equivalent of an affirmative “yes.” Enim and nam are equivalent in meaning, but while nam occurs first in the sentence (praepositive), enim occurs second (postpositive).

The particles namque⁰ and etenim⁴, “and indeed,” have the same sense as nam or enim but often are ellipsis for “and (this is so) indeed (for).”

Finally, quod also can mean “because.” (See pg. 33 for all uses.) Unlike enim and nam, quod can answer the question “why?” and is often used as a subordinate conjunction (a conjunction between a main clause and a subordinate clause).

33. Hīscē ūminibus, Catilīna, cum summā reī pūblicae salūte, cum tuā peste 1
 ac perniciē cumque eōrum exitiō, quī sē tēcum omnī scelere parricidiōque
 iūnxērunt, proficīscere ad impium bellum ac nefārium. Tū, Iuppiter, quī
 eīsdem, quibus haec urbs, auspiciīs ā Rōmulō es cōnstitūtus, quem Statōrem
 hūius urbīs atque imperī vērē nōmināmus, hunc et hūius sociōs ā tuīs 5
 cēterīsque templīs, ā tēctīs urbīs ac moenībus, ā vītā fortūnīsque cīvium
 arcēbis, et hominēs bonōrum inimīcōs, hostēs patriae, latrōnēs Ītaliae,
 scelerū foedere inter sē ac nefāriā societāte coniūnctōs, aeternīs suppliciīs
 vīvōs mortuōsque mactābis. 9

- aeternus, -a, -um:** lasting, enduring, perpetual
arceō, -ere, -uī: fend off, ward away
auspiciūm, -ī n.: augury, omen (by birds signs)
cēterī, -ae, -a: the remaining, the rest, the others 4
coniungō, -ere, -iūnxī, -iunctum: join, 2
constituō, -ere, -uī, -ūtus: decide, establish, 4
exitium, -ī n.: ruin, destruction, 3
foedus, -eris n.: agreement, treaty, alliance
imperium, -ī n.: command, order, power, 3
impīus, -a, -um: undutiful, disloyal, impious, 3
inimīcus, -a, -um: rival, hostile, unfriendly, 2
inter: between, among (+ acc.), 3
iungō, -ere, iūnxī, iūncetus: join, yoke, unite
Iuppiter, Iovis m.: Jupiter, 2
latrō, latrōnīs m.: robber, bandit

- mactō (1):** sacrifice, kill, slaughter, 2
moenia, -ōrum n.: walls (of a city) 3
mortuus, -a, -um: dead
nōminō (1): call by name, name, mention, 2
ōmen, ūminis n.: omen, sign, auspices
parricidium, -ī n.: parricide, murder, treason, 2
perniciēs, -ētī f.: destruction, disaster, ruin, 4
-que: and, 29
Rōmulus, -ī m.: Romulus
societās, -tātīs f.: alliance, partnership, union
socius, -ī m.: ally, companion, comrade, 3
Stator, Statōris m.: Stayer, 2
tēctum, -ī n.: house, building, shelter; roof, 3
templum, -ī n.: temple, 3
vīvus, -a, -um: living, alive, 2

- 1 **hīscē ūminibus:** with... ; abl. accompaniment or abl. absolute; deictic -ce, 'here,' is an intensive found on forms of hic, haec, hoc
cum summā reī pūblicae salūte...cum...cum: to the great security of the republic...to...
 to...; abl. of attendant circumstances, which is translated a bit awkwardly in English (the words 'along with' will not work)
- 2 **eōrum...quī:** of those who...; demonstrative omnī...parridicidōque: abl. of means
- 3 **proficīscere:** sg. imperative, deponent
Tū, Iuppiter: you, Jupiter; Cicero addresses the statue of Jupiter the Stayer in the temple traditionally established by Romulus himself
- 4 **eīs-dem...auspiciīs:** abl. of means
quibus haec urbs (cōnstitūta est): by which...; ellipsis, supply a verb; the antecedent is auspiciīs
es cōnstitūtus: constitūtus es; 2s pf. pass.
quem...nōmināmus: whom...; i.e. Jupiter the verb governs a double acc: obj. and pred.
Statōrem..imperī: the Stayer of this city and

- the empire; acc. pred.; imperī (imperiī) is gen.
 5 **vērē:** genuinely, rightly or truly; adv. vērus
hunc et hūius sociōs: acc object; i.e. Catiline and Catiline's companions
ā tuīs...ā vītā...cīvium: from...; abl. of separation
 7 **arcēbis:** you will ward (acc.) off from (abl.); the fut. functions as a gentle command
et hominēs...vīvōs mortuōsque: hominēs is the acc. obj., the rest of accusatives are in apposition to hominēs or modifying adjectives
bonōrum inimīcōs: rivals of good men; two substantives, inimīcos is in apposition to hominēs; bonī, as before, refers to senators
 8 **foedere...ac...societātē:** by... ; abl. means governed by PPP coniūnctōs; scelerū is gen. pl. modifying both nouns
inter sē: among themselves
aeternīs suppliciīs: with...; abl. of means
mactābis: you will slaughter...; the object is hominēs...vīvōs mortuōsque; the future serves, as above, as gentle command

Hīsce ūminibus, Catilīna,
1
 cum summā reī pūblicae salūte,
cum tuā peste ac perniciē
2
 cumque eōrum exitiō,
quī sē tēcum omnī scelere parricīdiōque iūnxērunt,
3
proficīscere ad impium bellum ac nefārium.
 Tū, Iuppiter,
4
 quī eīsdem, quibus haec urbs, auspiciīs ā Rōmulō es cōnstitūtus,
5
 quem Statōrem hūius urbis atque imperī vērē nōmināmus,
 hunc et hūius sociōs
6
 ā tuīs cēterīsque templīs,
 ā tēctīs urbīs ac moenībus,
 ā vītā fortūnīsque cīvium
arcēbis,
7
 et hominēs
bonōrum inimīcōs,
 hostēs patriae,
 latrōnēs Ītaliae,
 scelerum foedere inter sē ac nefāriā societāte coniūnctōs,
8
 aeternīs supplicīs
 vīvōs mortuōsque
9
mactābis.

Aftermath

Catiline immediately fled Rome with some conspirators and carried the silver eagle standard of Rome. On Nov. 9th, Cicero delivered his *Second Catilinarian* on the rostra to justify his actions to the people. By mid-November, the Senate declared Catiline and Manlius *hostes*, “public enemies,” and directed Cicero’s co-consul Antonius Hybrida to destroy the rebellion. At this time the conspiracy approached the Allobroges, a Gallic tribe in Roman territory, who secretly acted as spies on behalf of Cicero.

When the Allobroges asked for written instructions about the plot, Cicero ordered two praetors to ambush and retrieve the instructions and the conspirators. On Dec. 3rd Cicero led five conspirators, Lentulus, Cethegus, Statilius, Gabinius, and Caeparius, to the Temple of Concord where he and the senators questioned the men. On the same day Cicero delivered his *Third Catilinarian* before the people to announce the findings. A cache of arms were found in the home of Cethegus, and both the conspirators and Allobroges gave evidence against Catiline.

On Dec. 5th the Senate debated the punishment of the prisoners. Julius Caesar spoke in favor of imprisonment, while Marcus Cato and Cicero, in his *Fourth Catilinarian*, argued in favor of death. The Senate agreed with Cicero, and the five conspirators were executed. On Jan. 5th near Pistoria, Catiline and 3000 men were killed by the army of Antonius under the legate M. Petreius.

	<u>1st Declension</u>		<u>2nd Declension (m.)</u>		<u>2nd Declension (n.)</u>	
Nom.	copia	copiae	legatus	legatī	proelium	proelia
Gen.	copiae	copiārum	legatī	legatōrum	proeliī	proeliōrum
Dat.	copiae	copīs	legatō	legatīs	proeliō	proeliīs
Acc.	copiam	copīs	legatum	legatōs	proelium	proelia
Abl.	copīa	copīs	legatō	legatīs	proeliō	proeliīs
	<u>3rd Declension (m/f)</u>				<u>3rd Declension (n.)</u>	
Nom.	mīles	mīlites			iter	itinera
Gen.	mīlitīs	mīlitum			itineris	itinerum
Dat.	mīlitī	mīlitibus			itinerī	itineribus
Acc.	mīlitēm	mīlites			iter	itinera
Abl.	mīlite	mīlitibus			itinere	itineribus
	<u>4th Declension (m/f)</u>				<u>4th Declension (n.)</u>	
Nom.	manus	manūs			cornū	cornua
Gen.	manūs	manuum			cornūs	cornuum
Dat.	manuī	manibus			cornū	cornuibus
Acc.	manum	manūs			cornū	cornua
Abl.	manū	manibus			cornū	cornuibus
	<u>5th Declension (m/f)</u>					
Nom.	rēs	rēs				
Gen.	rēi	rērum				
Dat.	rēi	rēbus				
Acc.	rem	rēs				
Abl.	rē	rēbus				

Selected Pronouns

Nom.	<i>is</i>	<i>he</i>	<i>ea</i>	<i>she</i>	<i>id</i>	<i>it</i>
Gen.	<i>eius</i>	<i>his</i>	<i>eius</i>	<i>her</i>	<i>eius</i>	<i>its</i>
Dat.	<i>eī</i>	<i>to/for him</i>	<i>eī</i>	<i>to/for her</i>	<i>eī</i>	<i>to/for it</i>
Acc.	<i>eum</i>	<i>him</i>	<i>eam</i>	<i>her</i>	<i>id</i>	<i>it</i>
Abl.	<i>eō</i>	<i>with/from him</i>	<i>eā</i>	<i>with/from her</i>	<i>eō</i>	<i>with/from it</i>
Nom.	<i>eī</i>	<i>they</i>	<i>eae</i>	<i>they</i>	<i>ea</i>	<i>they</i>
Gen.	<i>eōrum</i>	<i>their</i>	<i>eārum</i>	<i>their</i>	<i>eōrum</i>	<i>their</i>
Dat.	<i>eīs</i>	<i>to/for them</i>	<i>eīs</i>	<i>to/for them</i>	<i>eīs</i>	<i>to/for them</i>
Acc.	<i>eōs</i>	<i>them</i>	<i>eās</i>	<i>them</i>	<i>ea</i>	<i>them</i>
Abl.	<i>eīs</i>	<i>with/from them</i>	<i>eīs</i>	<i>with/from them</i>	<i>eīs</i>	<i>with/from them</i>

**is, ea, id* is a demonstrative and in the speech is often translated as “this/that” in the singular and “these/those” in the plural.

	<i>m.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>n.</i>	
Nom.	<i>quī</i>	<i>quae</i>	<i>quod</i>	<i>quī</i>	<i>quae</i>	<i>quae</i>	<i>who, which, that</i>
Gen.	<i>cuius</i>	<i>cuius</i>	<i>cuius</i>	<i>quōrum</i>	<i>quārum</i>	<i>quōrum</i>	<i>whose, of whom/which</i>
Dat.	<i>cuī</i>	<i>cuī</i>	<i>cuī</i>	<i>quibus</i>	<i>quibus</i>	<i>quibus</i>	<i>to whom/which</i>
Acc.	<i>quem</i>	<i>quam</i>	<i>quod</i>	<i>quōs</i>	<i>quās</i>	<i>quae</i>	<i>whom, which, that</i>
Abl.	<i>quō</i>	<i>quā</i>	<i>quō</i>	<i>quibus</i>	<i>quibus</i>	<i>quibus</i>	<i>by/with/from whom/which</i>

Nom.	ille	illa	illud	<i>that</i>	hic	haec	hoc	<i>this</i>
Gen.	illīus	illīus	illīus	<i>of that</i>	huius	huius	huius	<i>of this</i>
Dat.	illī	illī	illī	<i>to/for that</i>	huic	huic	huic	<i>to/for this</i>
Acc.	illum	illam	illud	<i>that</i>	hunc	hanc	hoc	<i>this</i>
Abl.	illō	illā	illō	<i>with/from that</i>	hōc	hāc	hōc	<i>b/w/f this</i>
Nom.	illī	illae	illa	<i>those</i>	hī	hae	haec	<i>these</i>
Gen.	illōrum	illārum	illōrum	<i>of those</i>	hōrum	hārum	hōrum	<i>of these</i>
Dat.	illīs	illīs	illīs	<i>to those</i>	hīs	hīs	hīs	<i>to these</i>
Acc.	illōs	illās	illa	<i>those</i>	hōs	hās	haec	<i>these</i>
Abl.	illīs	illīs	illīs	<i>with/from those</i>	hīs	hīs	hīs	<i>with/from these</i>

* *iste, ista, istud*, “that of yours,” has the same endings as *ille*

	reflexive pronoun	possessive reflexive adjective						
Nom.	---		suus	sua	suum	suī	suae	sua
Gen.	suī		suī	suae	suī	suōrum	suārum	suōrum
Dat.	sibi		suō	suae	suō	suīs	suīs	suīs
Acc.	sē		suum	suam	suum	suōs	suās	sua
Abl.	sē		suō	suā	suō	suīs	suīs	suīs

Adjectives and Adverbs

Decl.	Positive	Comparative	Superlative
1 st /2 nd	altus, -a, -um ⁴ <i>high</i>	altior, altius <i>higher</i>	altissimus, -a, -um <i>highest, very high, most high</i>
	altē <i>deeply</i>	altius <i>more deeply</i>	altissimē <i>very highly, most highly</i>
3 rd	fortis, forte <i>brave</i>	fortior, fortius <i>braver, more brave</i>	fortissimus, -a, -um <i>bravest, very brave, most brave</i>
	fortiter <i>bravely</i>	fortius <i>more bravely</i>	fortissimē <i>very bravely, most bravely</i>

Irregular Adjectives and Adverbs

Positive	Comparative	Superlative
bonus, -a, -um ⁸ <i>good</i>	melior, melius ⁰ <i>better</i>	optimus, -a, -um ⁵ <i>best</i>
magnus, -a, -um ⁵ <i>great</i>	māior, māius ⁵ <i>greater</i>	maximus, -a, -um ¹ <i>greatest</i>
parvus, -a, -um ¹ <i>small</i>	minor, minus ² <i>smaller</i>	minimus, -a, -um ⁰ <i>smallest</i>
multus, -a, -um ¹⁴ <i>much</i>	---, plūs ⁰ <i>more</i>	plūrimus, -a, -um ¹ <i>most</i>

Correlative Pronouns and Adjectives from First Catilinarian*

	Demonstrative	Relative	Interrogative	Indefinite
quantity	is, ea, id ²⁵ <i>this, that</i>	qui ¹¹⁰ <i>who</i>	quis? <i>who?</i>	aliquis ⁵ <i>someone, anyone</i>
quality	tālis <i>such</i>	quālis <i>which sort</i>	quālis? <i>what sort?</i>	
quantity	tantus ¹² <i>so great</i>	quantus ² <i>as great as</i>	quantus? <i>how great?</i>	aliquantus <i>some</i>
	tot ^{1**} <i>so many</i>	quot ^{1**} <i>as many as</i>	quot? <i>how many?</i>	aliquot ^{1**} <i>some, several</i>
	totiēns ¹ <i>so many times</i>	quotiēns ⁴ <i>as many times as</i>	quotiēns? <i>how many times?</i>	aliquotiēns <i>several times</i>

Correlative Adverbs from First Catilinarian*

	Demonstrative	Relative	Interrogative	Indefinite
place	ibi <i>there</i>	ubi ² <i>where</i>	ubi? <i>where?</i>	alicubi <i>somewhere</i>
	eō (eōdem) ² <i>thither, to there</i>	quō ⁵ <i>whither, to where</i>	quō? <i>whither? to where?</i>	aliquō <i>to somewhere</i>
	inde <i>thence, from there</i>	unde <i>whence, from where</i>	unde? <i>whence? from where?</i>	alicunde <i>from somewhere</i>
time	tum ⁴ <i>then</i>	cum ²⁰ <i>when</i>	quando? <i>when?</i>	aliquando ¹ <i>some time</i>
	tamdiū <i>so long</i>	quam diū ² <i>as long as</i>	quam diū ¹ <i>how long?</i>	aliquamdiū <i>for some long time</i>
manner	eā <i>that way</i>	quā <i>which way</i>	quā? <i>which way?</i>	aliquā <i>in some way</i>
degree	tam <i>so</i>	quam ⁹ <i>as (than)</i>	quam? ³ <i>How?</i>	aliquam

*The relative and interrogative frequency count have been tallied together in the relative column.

**indeclinable adjectives

Prepositions in the speech

ā, ab, abs: (away) from, out of; by (abl.), 35
ad: to, toward (acc.), 49

ante: before, in front of (acc.); *adv.* before, 6

apud: among, in the presence of (acc.)

causā: for the sake of (+ preceding gen.), 3

cum: with (abl.)²²; when, since, although, 42

dē: down from, from, about, concerning (abl.), 11

ex, ē: out from, from, out of (abl.), 10

in: in (abl.) , into, to, among (acc.), 68

inter: between, among (acc.), 3

intrā: within, among (acc.), 1

ob: on account of (acc.), 2

per: through, across (acc.), 4

post: after, behind (acc.); *adv.* afterward, next

propter: on account of, because of (acc.), 3

sine: without (abl.)

amō, amāre, amāvī, amātum: to love

	active	translation	passive	translation	
Indicative					
Pres.	amō amās amat	amāmus amātis amant	I love	amor amāris amātur	I am (being) loved
Impf.	amābam amābās amābat	amābāmus amābātis amābant	I was loving	amābar amābāris amābātūr	I was (being) loved
Fut.	amābō amābis amābit	amābimus amābitis amābunt	I will love	amābor amāberis amābitur	I will be loved
Perf.	amāvī amāvistī amāvit	amāvimus amāvistis amāvērunt	I have loved	amāta sum amāta es amāta est	I have been loved was loved
Plpf.	amāveram amāverās amāverat	amāverāmus amāverātis amāverant	I had loved	amāta eram amāta erās amāta erat	I had been loved
Fut. Pf	amāverō amāveris amāverit	amāverimus amāveritis amāverint	I will have loved	amāta erō amāta eris amāta erit	I will have been loved
Subjunctive					
Pres.	amem amēs amet	amēmus amētis ament	same as indicative	amer amēris ametur	same as indicative
Impf.	amārem amārēs amāret	amārēmus amārētis amārent		amārer amārēris amāretur	amārēmur amārēminī amārentur
Perf.	amāverim amāverīs amāverit	amāverīmus amāverītis amāverint		amāta sim amāta sīs amāta sit	amātae sīmus amātae sītis amātae sint
Plpf.	amāvissem amāvissēs amāvisset	amāvissēmus amāvissētis amāvissent		amāta essem amāta essēs amāta esset	amātae essēmus amātae essētis amātae essent
Imperative					
	amā	amāte	love!		
Participle					
Pres.	amāns (gen. amantis)	loving			
Perf.			amātus, -a, -um	having been loved	
Fut.	amātūrus, -a, -um	going to love	amandus, -a, -um	going to be loved	
Infinitive					
Pres.	amāre	to love	amārī	to be love	
Perf.	amāvisse	to have loved	amātum esse	to have been loved	
Fut.	amātūrum esse	to be going to love			

teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentum: to hold						
	active		translation	passive		translation
Indicative						
Pres.	teneō	tenēmus	<i>I hold</i>	teneor	tenēmur	<i>I am (being) held</i>
	tenēs	tenētis		tenēris	tenēminī	
	tenet	tenent		tenētūr	tenēntur	
Impf.	tenēbam	tenēbāmus	<i>I was holding</i>	tenēbar	tenēbāmur	<i>I was (being) held</i>
	tenēbās	tenēbātis		tenēbāris	tenēbāminī	
	tenēbat	tenēbant		tenēbātūr	tenēbantur	
Fut.	tenēbō	tenēbimus	<i>I will hold</i>	tenēbor	tenēbimur	<i>I will be held</i>
	tenēbis	tenēbitis		tenēberis	tenēbiminī	
	tenēbit	tenēbunt		tenēbitūr	tenēbuntur	
Perf.	tenuī	tenuimus	<i>I have held</i>	tenta sum	tentae sumus	<i>I have been held</i>
	tenuistī	tenuistis		tenta es	tentae estis	<i>was held</i>
	tenuit	tenuērunt		tenta est	tentae sunt	
Plpf.	tenueram	tenuerāmus	<i>I had held</i>	tenta eram	tentae erāmus	<i>I had been held</i>
	tenuerās	tenuerātis		tenta erās	tentae erātis	
	tenuerat	tenuerant		tenta erat	tentae erant	
Fut. Pf.	tenuerō	tenuerimus	<i>I will have held</i>	tenta erō	tentae erimus	<i>I will have been held</i>
	tenueris	tenueritis		tenta eris	tentae eritis	
	tenuerit	tenuerint		tenta erit	tentae erunt	
Subjunctive						
Pres.	teneam	teneāmus	same as	tenear	teneāmur	same as indicative
	teneās	teneātis		teneāris	teneāminī	
	teneat	teneant		teneatur	teneantur	
Impf.	tenērem	tenērēmus		tenērer	tenērēmur	
	tenērēs	tenērētis		tenērēris	tenērēminī	
	tenēret	tenērent		tenērētūr	tenērentur	
Perf.	tenuerim	tenuerīmus		tenta sim	tentae sīmus	
	tenuerīs	tenuerītis		tenta sīs	tentae sītis	
	tenuerit	tenuerint		tenta sit	tentae sint	
Plpf.	tenuissēm	tenuissēmus		tenta essem	tentae essēmus	
	tenuissēs	tenuissētis		tenta essēs	tentae essētis	
	tenuisset	tenuissent		tenta esset	tentae essent	
Imperative						
	tenē	tenēte	<i>hold!</i>			
Participle						
Pres.	tenēns (gen. tenentis)		<i>holding</i>			
Perf.				tentus, -a, -um		<i>having been held</i>
Fut.	tentūrus, -a, -um		<i>going to hold</i>	tenendus, -a, -um		<i>going to be held</i>
Infinitive						
Pres.	tenēre		<i>to hold</i>	tenērī		<i>to be held</i>
Perf.	tenuisse		<i>to have held</i>	tentum esse		<i>to have been held</i>
Fut.	tentūrum esse		<i>to be going to hold</i>			

dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductum: to lead

	active	translation	passive	translation		
Indicative						
Pres.	dūcō dūcis dūcit	dūcimus dūcitis dūcunt	I lead I was leading I will lead I have led I had led I will have led	dūcor dūceris dūcitur dūcēbar dūcēbāris dūcēbātur dūcar dūcēris dūcētur ducta sum ducta es ducta est ducta eram ducta erās ducta erat ducta erō ducta eris ducta erit	dūcimur dūciminī dūcuntur dūcēbāmur dūcēbāminī dūcēbāntur dūcēmūr dūcēminī dūcēntur ductae sumus ductae estis ductae sunt ductae erāmus ductae erātis ductae erant ductae erimus ductae eritis ductae erunt	I am (being) led I was (being) led I will be led I have been led I had been led I will have been led
Impf.	dūcēbam dūcēbās dūcēbat	dūcēbāmus dūcēbātis dūcēbānt				
Fut.	dūcam dūcēs dūcet	dūcēmus dūcētis dūcent				
Perf.	dūxī dūxistī dūxit	dūximus dūxistis dūxērunt				
Plpf.	dūxeram dūxerās dūxerat	dūxerāmus dūxerātis dūxerant				
Fut.. Pf.	dūxerō dūxeris dūxerit	dūxerimus dūxeritis dūxerint				
Subjunctive						
Pres.	dūcam dūcās dūcat	dūcāmus dūcātis dūcant	same as indicative	dūcar dūcāris dūcātūr	dūcāmūr dūcāminī dūcāntur	same as indicative
Impf.	dūcerem dūcerēs dūceret	dūcerēmus dūcerētis dūcerent		dūcerer dūcerēris dūcerētūr	dūcerēmūr dūcerēminī dūcerēntur	
Perf.	dūxerim dūxerīs dūxerit	dūxerīmus dūxerītis dūxerint		ducta sim ducta sīs ducta sit	ductae sīmus ductae sītis ductae sint	
Plpf.	dūxissem dūxissēs dūxisset	dūxissēmus dūxissētis dūxisse		ducta essem ducta essēs ducta esset	ductae essēmus ductae essētis ductae essent	
Imperative						
	dūc(e)	dūcite	lead!			
Participle						
Pres.	dūcēns (gen. dūcentis)	leading				
Perf.				ductus, -a, -um	having been led	
Fut.	ductūrus, -a, -um	going to lead		dūcendus, -a, -um	going to be led	
Infinitive						
Pres.	dūcere	to lead	dūcī		to be led	
Perf.	dūxisse	to have led	ductum esse		to have been led	
Fut.	ductūrum esse	to be going to lead				

capiō, capere, cēpī, captum: to take, seize						
	active		translation	passive		translation
Indicative						
Pres.	capiō	capimus	<i>I take</i>	capior	capimur	<i>I am (being) taken</i>
	capis	capitis		caperis	capiminī	
	capit	capiunt		capitur	capiuntur	
Impf.	capiēbam	capiēbāmus	<i>I was taking</i>	capiēbar	capiēbāmur	<i>I was (being) taken</i>
	capiēbās	capiēbātis		capiēbāris	capiēbāminī	
	capiēbat	capiēbant		capiēbātur	capiēbāntur	
Fut.	capiam	capiēmus	<i>I will take</i>	capiar	capiēmur	<i>I will be taken</i>
	capiēs	capiētis		capiēris	capiēminī	
	capiet	capient		capiētūr	capiēntur	
Perf.	cēpī	cēpimus	<i>I have taken</i>	capta sum	captae sumus	<i>I have been taken</i>
	cēpistī	cēpistis		capta es	captae estis	<i>was taken</i>
	cēpit	cēpērunt		capta est	captae sunt	
Plpf.	cēperam	cēperāmus	<i>I had taken</i>	capta eram	captae erāmus	<i>I had been taken</i>
	cēperās	cēperātis		capta erās	captae erātis	
	cēperat	cēperant		capta erat	captae erant	
Fut. Pf.	cēperō	cēperimus	<i>I will have taken</i>	capta erō	captae erimus	<i>I will have been taken</i>
	cēperis	cēperitis		capta eris	captae eritis	
	cēperit	cēperint		capta erit	captae erunt	
Subjunctive						
Pres.	capiam	capāmus	same as	capiar	capiāmur	same as indicative
	capiās	capiātis		capiāris	capiāminī	
	capiat	capiant		capiātūr	capiāntur	
Impf.	caperem	caperēmus		caperer	caperēmur	
	caperēs	caperētis		caperēris	caperēminī	
	caperet	caperent		caperētūr	caperentur	
Perf.	cēperim	cēperīmus		capta sim	captae sīmus	
	cēperīs	cēperītis		capta sīs	captae sītis	
	cēperit	cēperint		capta sit	captae sint	
Plpf.	cēpissem	cēpissēmus		capta essem	captae essēmus	
	cēpissēs	cēpissētis		capta essēs	captae essētis	
	cēpisset	cēpissent		capta esset	captae essent	
Imperative						
	cape	capite	<i>take!</i>			
Participle						
Pres.	capiēns (<i>gen.</i> capientis)		<i>taking</i>			
Perf.						
Fut.	captūrus, -a, -um		<i>going to take</i>	captus, -a, -um		<i>having been taken</i>
				capiendus, -a, -um		<i>going to be taken</i>
Infinitive						
Pres.	capere		<i>to take</i>	capī		<i>to be taken</i>
Perf.	cēpisse		<i>to have taken</i>	captum esse		<i>to have been taken</i>
Fut.	captūrum esse		<i>to be going to take</i>			

sciō, scīre, scīvī, scītūm: to know					
	active	translation	passive	translation	
Indicative					
Pres.	sciō scīs scit	scīmus scītis sciunt	I know	scior scīris scītur	scīmur scīminī sciuntur
Impf.	sciēbam sciēbās sciēbat	sciēbāmus sciēbātis sciēbant	I was knowing	sciēbar sciēbāris sciēbātur	sciēbāmur sciēbāminī sciēbāntur
Fut.	sciam scīes sciet	sciēmus sciētis scient	I will know	sciar sciēris sciētur	sciēmur sciēminī scientur
Perf.	scīvi scīvistī scīvit	scīvimus scīvistis scīvērunt	I have known	scīta sum scīta es scīta est	scītae sumus scītae estis scītae sunt
Plpf.	scīveram scīverās scīverat	scīverāmus scīverātis scīverant	I had known	scīta eram scīta erās scīta erat	scītae erāmus scītae erātis scītae erant
Fut. Pf.	scīverō scīveris scīverit	scīverimus scīveritis scīverint	I will have known	scīta erō scīta eris scīta erit	scītae erimus scītae eritis scītae erunt
Subjunctive					
Pres.	sciam sciās sciat	sciāmus sciātis sciant	same as indicative	sciar sciāris sciātūr	sciāmur sciāminī sciantur
Impf.	scīrem scīrēs scīret	scīrēmus scīrētis scīrent		scīrer scīrēris scīrētūr	scīrēmur scīrēminī scīrēntur
Perf.	scīverim scīverīs scīverit	scīverīmus scīverītis scīverint		scīta sim scīta sīs scīta sit	scītae sīmus scītae sītis scītae sint
Plpf.	scīvissem scīvissēs scīvisset	scīvissēmus scīvissētis scīvissent		scīta essem scīta essēs scīta esset	scītae essēmus scītae essētis scītae essent
Imperative					
	scī	scīte	know!		
Participle					
Pres.	sciēns (gen. scientis)	knowing			
Perf.	scītūrus, -a, -um		scītus, -a, -um		having been known
Fut.		going to know	sciendus, -a, -um		going to be known
Infinitive					
Pres.	scīre	to know	scīrī		to be known
Perf.	scīvisse	to have known	scītūm esse		to have been known
Fut.	scītūrum esse	to be going to know			

Sum, esse, fuī, futūrum: to be				possum, posse, potuī, -- : to be able, can		
		translation			translation	
Indicative						
Pres.	sum es est	sumus estis sunt	<i>I am</i>	possum potes potest	possumus potestis possunt	<i>I am able, can</i>
Impf.	eram erās erat	erāmus erātis erant	<i>I was</i>	poteram poterās poterat	poterāmus poterātis poterant	<i>I was able, could</i>
Fut.	erō eris erit	erimus eritis erunt	<i>I will be</i>	poterō poteris poterit	poterimus poteritis poterunt	<i>I will be able</i>
Perf.	fuī fuistī fuit	fuimus fuistis fuērunt	<i>I have been, I was</i>	potuī potuistī potuit	potuimus potuistis potuērunt	<i>I have been able, I was able, could</i>
Plpf.	fueram fuerās fuerat	fuerāmus fuerātis fuerant	<i>I had been</i>	potueram potuerās potuerat	potuerāmus potuerātis potuerant	<i>I had been able</i>
Fut. Pf.	fuerō fueris fuerit	fuerimus fueritis fuerint	<i>I will have been</i>	potuerō potueris potuerit	potuerimus potueritis potuerint	<i>I will have been able</i>
Subjunctive						
Pres.	sīm sīs sit	sīmus sītis sint	same as indicative	possim possīs possit	possīmus possītis possint	same as indicative
Impf.	essem essēs esset	essēmus essētis essent		possem possēs posset	possēmus possētis possent	
Perf.	fuerim fuerīs fuerit	fuerīmus fuerītis fuerint		potuerim potuerīs potuerit	potuerīmus potuerītis potuerint	
Plpf.	fuissēm fuissēs fuisset	fuissēmus fuissētis fuissent		potuissēm potuissēs potuisset	potuissēmus potuissētis potuissent	
Imperative						
	XXX			XXX		
Infinitive						
Pres.	esse	<i>to be</i>	posse			<i>to be able</i>
Perf.	fuisse	<i>to have been</i>	potuisse			<i>to have been heard</i>
Fut.	futūrum esse*	<i>to be going to be</i>	----			

* alternative = fore

eō, īre, i(v)ī, itūrum: to go				sequor, sequī, secūtus-a-um sum: to follow		
	active	translation		deponent		translation
Indicative						
Pres.	eō	īmus	I go	sequor	sequimur	I follow
	īs	ītis		sequeris	sequimīnī	
	it	eunt		sequitur	sequuntur	
Impf.	ībam	ībāmus	I was going	sequēbar	sequēbāmur	I was following
	ībās	ībātis		sequēbāris	sequēbāmīnī	
	ībat	ībant		sequēbātūr	sequēbāntur	
Fut.	ībō	ībimus	I will go	sequar	sequēmūr	I will follow
	ībis	ībitis		sequērīs	sequēmīnī	
	ībit	ībunt		sequētūr	sequentur	
Perf.	iī	iīmus	I have gone, went	secūta sum	secūtae sumus	I have followed
	īstī	īstis		secūta es	secūtae estis	
	iīt	iērunt		secūta est	secūtae sunt	
Plpf.	ieram	ierāmus	I had gone	secūta erām	secūtae erāmus	I had followed
	ierās	ierātis		secūta erās	secūtae erātis	
	ierat	ierant		secūta erat	secūtae erant	
Fut. Pf.	ierō	ierimus	I will have gone	secūta erō	secūtae erimus	I will have followed
	ieris	ieritis		secūta eris	secūtae eritis	
	ierit	ierint		secūta erit	secūtae erunt	
Subjunctive						
Pres.	eam	ēāmus	same as indicative	sequar	sequāmūr	
	ēās	ēātis		sequārīs	sequāmīnī	
	eat	eant		sequātūr	sequāntur	
Impf.	īrem	īrēmus		sequerer	sequerēmūr	
	īrēs	īrētis		sequerērīs	sequerēmīnī	
	īret	īrent		sequerētūr	sequerentur	
Perf.	ierim	ierimus		secūta sim	secūtae sīmus	
	ieris	ieritis		secūta sīs	secūtae sītis	
	ierit	ierunt		secūta sit	secūtae sint	
Plpf.	īssēm	īssēmus		secūta essem	secūtae essēmus	
	īssēs	īssētis		secūta essēs	secūtae essētis	
	īsset	īssent		secūta esset	secūtae essent	
Imperative						
	ī	īte	go!	sequere	sequitor	follow!
Participle						
Pres.	iēns (euntis)	going		sequēns (gen. sequentis)		following
Perf.	---			secūtus, -a, -um		having followed
Fut.	itūrus, -a, -um	going to go		secūtūrus, -a, -um		going to follow
Infinitive						
Pres.	īre	to go		sequī		to follow
Perf.	īsse	to have gone		secūtūm esse		to have followed
Fut.	ītūrum esse	to be going to go		secūtūrum esse		to be going to follow

Below is a list of some of the rhetorical devices, otherwise known as “rhetorical figures” or “stylistic devices,” readers will discover in the speech. As you encounter these devices in the readings, consider how each one enhances Cicero’s delivery and what would be lost if the device were removed.

alliteration: repetition of consonant sounds at the beginning of a series of words

Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers.

anadiplosis: repetition of a word in succession, often in different clauses

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God.

anaphora: repetition of a word or words at the beginning of successive clauses

seas and oceans...we shall never surrender. (Winston Churchill)

antithesis: juxtaposition of contrasting ideas, usually with parallel structure

To err is human, to forgive, divine.

epanorthosis: an correction of an initial thought by making another even stronger

He lives?---no, in fact he even comes into the Senate...

apostrophe: sudden turning away to address a person or object which is absent

Twinkle, twinkle, little star. How I wonder what you are.

asyndeton: omission of conjunctions

But in a larger sense, we cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hallow this ground... (Lincoln)

chiasmus: an “a-b-b-a” arrangement of words, often used with pairs of nouns and adjectives

Ask not what your country can do for you, ask what you can do for your country

ellipsis: omission of words easily understood in context

She is enrolled in Latin; he, in Spanish.

hendiadys: expressing a single idea with two nouns instead of one noun and a modifier

It sure is nice and cool today! (for “nicely cool”)

hyperbaton: distortion of normal word order (e.g. separation of words meant to be together)

This I must see!

litotes: use of a negative (often, a double negative) to express something positive

She is not a bad singer. (i.e. She's a good singer.)

metaphor: expression of meaning through an image

Don't count your chickens before they're hatched!

metonymy: the use of one noun or image to suggest another

The pen is mightier than the sword. (the pen suggests discourse; the sword suggests violence.)

parallelism: similar structure in a pair or series of related words

...we will pay any price, bear any burden, meet any hardship, support any friend, and oppose any enemy

personification: attribution of human characteristics to something not human

Mother nature cares for us all.

pleonasm: the use of superfluous words to enrich the thought

I saw the UFO with my own eyes. (as opposed to someone else's eyes?)

praeteritio (preteritio): to mention a point while professing not to mention it

It is in poor taste to talk about my opponent's illicit love affair, so I just won't mention it.

simile: explicit comparison using the words “like” or “as” (ut...sic in Cicero)

Just as the sands in the hourglass, so are the days of our lives.

synecdoche: the use of the part to express the whole, a type of metonymy

I drove a new set of wheels off the lot today. (wheels = car)

tricolon crescens: three cola (phrases, clauses) building in length and significance

Some are born great; some achieve greatness; and some have greatness thrust upon them.

Popular Uses of the Subjunctive in the First Catilinarian

Nota Bene: identify and translate most subjunctives in the tense you find them.

	<u>How to identify</u>	<u>special translation</u>	<u>example</u>
1. Purpose, adverbial ¹⁶	ut/nē + pres./impf.	may/might	ut Catilīna mitteret <i>so that Catiline might send</i>
Purpose, relative ⁵	quī, quae, quod + pres./impf.	may/might would	quī mitteret <i>who would send</i>
2. Result, adverbial ⁷ or noun clause	tam, tantus, sīc, ita + ut/ut nōn	none	ut Catilīna mitteret <i>that Catiline sent</i>
Result, relative ²	tam, tantus, sīc, ita + quī	none	quī Catilīna mitteret <i>that Catiline sent</i>
3. Cum-Clauses ^{13*}	cum + subjunctive	none	Cum Catilīna mitteret <i>When Catiline sent</i>
4. Indirect Question ¹⁰	interrogatives: e.g. quis, cūr	none	nōvit quōs Catilīna mitteret <i>he learned whom Catiline sent</i>
5. Indirect Command ⁷	verb of commanding + ut/nē	none	persuāsit ut Catilīna mitteret <i>he persuaded that Catiline send</i>
6. Relative Clause of Characteristic ¹⁷	quī, quae, quod + subj.	none/would	quōs Catilīna mitteret <i>the sort whom Cicero would send</i>
7. Subordinate Clause in Ind. Disc. ⁴	quī, quae, quod in an acc. + inf. construction	none	eōs, sī id mitteret, lēgere <i>that they read it, if he sent it</i>
8. Proviso Clause ²	dummodo/modo (nē) + pres.	none	dummodo mittat... <i>provided that he send...</i>
9. Deliberative Subj. ¹	main verb (interrogative) often in 1s or 1p	am I to X are we to X	Quid mittam? <i>What am I to send? What should...?</i>
10. Optative Subj.. ³ (subj. of wish)	often utinam/ut + main verb (neg. nē)	Would that... Will that he may see	Utinam eōs mittat? <i>Would that he may see</i>
11. Jussive Subj. ¹	main verb (neg. nē) often in 3s or 3p	let/should	Catilīna mittat <i>Let Catiline send...</i>
12. Future-Less-Vivid ³	sī pres. subj., pres. subj.	should/would	sī sit, mittat <i>if he should be...he would send</i>
13. Pres. Contrafactual ³	sī impf. subj., impf. subj.	were/would	sī esset, mitteret <i>if he were...he would send</i>
14. Past Contrafactual ¹	sī plpf. subj., plpf. subj.	had/would have	sī fuisse, mīssisset <i>if he had been...he would have</i>

* 20 cum-clauses in all, only 13 with subjunctive

First Catilinarian: Alphabetized Vocabulary

The following nine pages includes all words in the First Catilinarian arranged in an alphabetized vocabulary list. The number at the end of each dictionary entry is the frequency of the word in the speech. If there is no number at the end of the entry, the word occurs only once in the work.

- ā, ab, abs:** from, away from; by, 35
abeō, -īre, -īū (īvī), -ītū: go away or off, depart
abhorreō, -ēre, -ūī: shrink or shudder from, 2
absum, -esse, āfūī: to be away, be absent, 2
abūtor, -ūtī, -ūsus sum: abuse, use up (abl)
ac: and, and also, 25
ācer, ācris, ācre: sharp, fierce, harsh, bitter, 2
acerbus, -a, -um: bitter; severe, grievous
aciēs, -ēī f.: sharp edge, battle line, army
ad: to, toward, 49
addūcō, -ere, -duxī: to prompt, lead to, bring, 2
adeō: so far, to such a degree, even, in fact, 2
adhibeō, -ēre, -ūtī, -ītū: to apply, admit
adhūc: yet, still, thus far
administer, -ī m.: assistant, helper, servant
admīror, -ārī, -ātūs sum: wonder at, admire
adulescens, -ntīs m./f.: youth, young
adulēcentulus, -ī m.: very young man
adultus, -a, -um: full-grown, grown up, mature
adventus, -ūs m.: arrival, approach
aeger, -gra, -grum: sick, weary
aequus, -a, -um: level, equal, even, impartial
aestus, -ūs m.: heat, tide
aeternus, -a, -um: lasting, enduring, perpetual
afferō, -ferre, attuli, allātūm: bring to, add
affictō, -āre, -āvī, -ātūm: afflict, damage
aggregō (1): bring to the flock, join, collect
agnōscō, -ere, agnōvī: recognize, acknowledge
agō, agere, ēgī, āctūm: to drive, lead, spend, 5
Ahāla, -ae f.: Ahala, C. Servilius Ahala
āiō: say, assert
aliēnus, -a, -um: of another, foreign
aliquandō: sometimes, at some time, 3
aliquī, -qua, -quod: some, any, definite, 5
aliquot: some, a few
alius, -a, -ud: other, another, else
alō, -ere, aluī: feed, nourish, support
altar (altāre), altāris n.: altar
āmentia, -ae f.: mindlessness, madness, folly, 2
amīcus, -ī m.: friend, 2
amplus, -a, -um: more, ample, full, spacious, 2
an: or, whether; (a new point) but, or perhaps, 4
animadvertō, -ere, -vertī, -versum: to notice, pay attention to, 2
animus, -ī m.: spirit, soul, breath, courage, 5
annus, -ī m.: year
ante: before, in front of (+ acc.); *adv.* before, 6
antīquus, -a, -um: ancient, former, of old times 2
apertē: openly, plainly, clearly, 2
apud: among, in the presence of (+ acc.)
aqua, -ae f.: water
aquila, -ae f.: eagle
arbitrōr, -ārī, arbitrātūs sum: to judge, think, 2
arceō, -ēre, -ūtī: shut up, keep away
ardeō, -ēre, ārsī: burn
argenteus, -a, -um: silvery, of silver
arma, -ōrum n.: arms, equipment, tools
armātūs, -a, -um: armed, armor-clad, 1
aspectus, -ūs m.: sight, look
assequor, -ī, assecūtūs sum: to attain, reach
asservō (1): watch over, preserve, guard, keep
assidō, -ere, -sēdī: take a seat, be seated
at: but; mind you; but, you say, 5
atque: and, and also, and even, 23
atrōx, atrōcis: savage, fierce, cruel, harsh
attendō, -ere, attendī, attentūm: stretch or attend to, notice
auctōr, -ōris m.: father, founder
auctōritās, -tātis f.: authority, influence, 7
audācia, -ae f.: boldness, daring, arrogance, 5
audeō, -ēre, ausus sum: dare, venture, 4
audiō, audīre, -ivī, -ītūm: to hear, listen to, 2
Aurēlius, -a, -um: of Aurelius, Aurelian
auris, -is f.: ear, attention, taste
auspiciūm, -ī n.: augury, omen (by birds signs)
aut: or (aut...aut – either...or), 14
autem: however, moreover, 6
avus, -ī m.: grandfather
baccor, baccī, baccātūs sum: revel, exult
bellum, -ī, n.: war, 6
bibō, -ere, bibī: drink
bonus, -a, -um: good, kind(ly), noble, useful 8
brevis, -e: short, 2
caedēs, caedis f.: murder, slaughter, killing 7
caelum, -ī n.: sky
calamitās, -itātis f.: loss, calamity, misfortune, 2
campus, -ī m.: field, plain, meadow
capiō, capere, cēpī, captūm: to seize, take (up) 2
carcer, -eris m.: prison
careō, -ēre, caruī: lack, be without (+ abl.), 2
cārus, -a, -um: dear, precious, costly, 2
castra, -ōrum n.: camp, encampment, 5
cāsus, -ūs m.: misfortune, accident, event
Catilīna, -āe f.: Catiline, L. Sergius Catalina, 25

- causa, ae f.**: reason, cause; case, 1
causā: for the sake of (+ preceding gen.), 3
cēdō, -ere, cessī, cessum: move, go away, withdraw
certus, -a, -um: definite, sure, certain, reliable, 3
cēterī, -ae, -a: the remaining, the rest, the others 4
circumclūdō, -ere, -clūstī, -clūsum: close, hem in
circumstō (1): stand around, surround, 2
civis, -is m/f.: citizen, fellow citizen, 17
civitās, civitatis, f.: state, citizenship, 3
clāmō (1): call, cry, shout
clārus, -a, -um: clear, famous, bright, loud, 3
clēmēns, -entis: mild, gentle, kind
coepī, coepisse, coeptum: began
coerceō, -ere, -cuī, -citum: enclose, confine
coetus, -ūs m.: gathering, meeting, 2
cōgitō (1): to think, ponder, consider; plan, 4
cognōscō, -ere, -nōvī, -nitum: to learn, *p.f.* know
colligō, -ere, collēgī, collectum: gather, collect
collocō (1): place together, arrange, set up
colōnia, -ae f.: colony
comitium, -ōrum n.: meeting, assembly, 2
commendātiō, -ōnis f.: commendation
commisum, -ī n.: offense, crime
commoveō, -ere, -mōvī, mōtum: trouble, upset 3
commūnis, -e: common
comparō (1): prepare, get ready, provide
comperiō, -ire, -perī, -pertum: find out, discover, 2
competitōr, -oris m.: rival candidate
complūres n.: several, 2
comprehendō, -ere, -dī: seize, arrest; grasp
comprimō, -ere, -pressī: press together, overwhelm, 2
cōnātus, -ūs f.: attempt
concēdō, -ere; go away, withdraw, submit, yield
concitō (1): stir up, arouse, excite, 2
concupiscō, -ere, -cupīvī: desire eagerly, covet
concurrus, -ūs m.: running together, gathering
condemnō (1): condemn, convict
cōferō, -ferre: bring together; defer, postpone 3
cōfestim: immediately
cōficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum: finish, accomplish
confidō, -ere: trust, believe firmly, rely upon, 2
cōfirmō (1): make strong, confirm strengthen 2
cōflagrō (1): burn up, be consumed
cōflō (1): blow up; kindle, arouse, 2
congregō (1): gather together, assemble
coniciō, -ere, -iēcī: throw together, cast
coniungō, -ere, -iūnxī, -iunctum: join, 2
coniūrātī, -ōrum m.: conspirators, 1
coniūrātio, -ōnis f.: conspiracy, pact, union, 6
cōnor, cōnārī, cōnātus sum: to try, attempt, 2
cōnscientia, -ae f.: consciousness, knowledge
conscriptus, -a, -um: conscripted, enrolled, 6
cōnsēnsiō, -ōnis f.: agreement, harmony
cōnservō (1): keep, save, preserve, protect
cōnsilium, -ī n.: plan, advice; council, assembly 8
conspiciō, -ere, -spexī, -spectum: see, behold
constituō, -ere, -ūtī, -ūtum: decide, establish, 4
cōnstringō, -ere, -strinxtī, -strictum: bind, restrain
cōnsul, -is m.: consul, 20
consulō, -ere, -ūtī, -tum: consult, ask (for advice)
cōnsulāris, -e: consular, of a consul, 3
cōnsulātus, -ūs m.: office of consul, consulship 2
cōnsultum, -ī n.: resolution, 3
contaminō (1): contaminate, defile, disgrace
contineō, -ere, -nuī, -tentum: hold together, 4
contingō, -ere, -tīgī, -tāctum: touch, befall
contrā: opposite, facing (acc.); in response, 4
contumēlia, -ae f.: insult, abuse, reproach
conveniō, -ire, -vēnī: come together; it is agreed 2
convincō, -ere, -vīcī, -victum: refute; overcome
convocō (1): call together, assemble, summon
copia, -ae f.: abundance, supply; opportunity
corpus, corporis, n.: body, 3
corrigō, -ere, -rēxī, -rēctum: reft, correct
corrōborō (1): strengthen, encourage
corruptēla, -ae f.: corruption, seduction, temptation
cotidiē: daily, every day
crēdō, -ere, -didī, -ditum: believe, trust, 3
crēscō, -ere, crēvī, crētum: grow
crūdēlis, -e: cruel, severe, merciless, 2
cum: with (+ abl.); when, since, although, 42
cumulō (1): heap up,
cūncetus, -a, um: all together, whole, entire, all
cupiditās, -tātis f.: desire, passion, eagerness
cupiō, -ere, -iūvī, -itum: desire, long for, 3
cūra, -ae, f.: care, attention, caution, anxiety, 2
Cūria, -ae f.: Curia, Senate-house
cūstōdia, -ae f.: guard, sentinel, custody, 3
custōdiō, -ire, -iūvī, -itum: guard, defend, watch 2
custōs, -ōdis m.: guard(ian)
dē: down from, from, about, concerning (abl.), 11
dēbeō, dēbēre, dēbuī, dēbitum: to ought, owe, 6
dēcernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētum: decide, resolve, 3
dēclīnātiō, -ōnis f.: swerve, bend, tilt
dēdecus, -oris n.: disgrace, dishonor, shame
dēfendō, -ere, -fēndī, -fēnum: ward off, repel, 2
dēficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum: fail, give out
dēfigō, -ere, -fīxī, -fixum: fasten down, fix
deinde: then
dēlectō (1): delight, please, charm
dēleō, -ēre, dēlēvī, dēlētum: destroy, erase

dēligō, -ere, -lēgī, -lectum: choose, elect, select
dēmigrō (1): to move away, remove, depart
dēnique: at last, finally, 4
dēponō, -ere, -posuī, -positum: put down
dēprecor, -ārī, deprecātus sum: avert by prayer, deprecate
dērelinquō, -ere, -quī: forsake, abandon, desert
dēsiderō (1): desire, long for, require
dēsignō (1): mark out, point out, designate, 3
dēsinō, -ere, dēsīnī, dēsitum: cease, leave off, 2
dēsistō, -ere, -stītī, -stītum: cease (from), desist
dēsum, -esse, -fuī: be lacking, fail (dat) 2
dētestor, -ārī, -ātus sum: avert, protest against
dētrīmentum, -ī n.: loss, damage, injury
deus, -ī m.: god, divinity, deity, 4
dēvovēō, -ere, -vōvī, -vōtum: vow, consecrate
dexter, -tera, -terum: right, on the right side
dīcō, -ere, dīxī, dictum: say, speak, tell, call, 15
diēs, -ētī m./f.: day, time, season, 11
difficultās, -tātis f.: trouble, difficulty
dignus, -a, -um: worthy, deserving, suitable
diligēns, -entis: diligent, careful, industrious, 2
diligentia, -ae f.: diligence, attentiveness, 3
dīmittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missum: send away, let go
dīreptiō, -iōnis f.: plundering, pillaging
discēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum: to go away, depart
discessus, -ūs m.: departure, withdrawal
disciplīna, -ae f.: training, instruction
dissimulō (1): disguise, conceal
dissolutus, -a, -um: lax, remiss, negligent
distribuō, -ere, -strīnxī, -stīnctum: assign
discrībō, -ere, -scrīpsī: divide, apportion
diū: a long time, long, 11
dō, dare, dedī, datum: give; grant, allow, 3
dolor, -ōris m.: pain, grief, anger, passion
domesticus, -a, -um: domestic, of the home, 2
domus, -ūs f.: house, home (domī: at home), 8
dubitō (1): waver, hesitate, be in doubt, 3
dūcō, -ere, dūxī, ductum: to lead, draw, 2
dūdum: a short time ago, a little while ago
dummodo: provided only, provided that
duo, duae, duo: two
dux, ducis m./f.: leader, guide, chieftain, 2
ecquis, ecquid: any? anyone? anything?, 2
ēdūcō, -ere, -dūxī, -ctum: lead forth, bring out, 3
efferō, -ferre, extulī, ēlātum: raise, lift (up)
effrēnātus, -a, -um: unbridled, unrestrained, 2
effugiō, -ere, effūgī: flee away, escape, 2
ego: I, 55
ēgredior, -ī, -gressus: go out, disembark, 3
eiciō, -ere, eīēcī, ēiectum: cast or throw out, 2
ēlābor, ēlābī, ēlāpsus sum: slipp off or away
ēlūdō, -ere, elūdī, elūsum: mock, make sport of

ēmittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missum: send forth, throw away
ēmorior, ēmorī, ēmortuus sum: die, die off
enim: (yes) for, (yes) indeed, (postpositive) 8*
ēō, īre, īvī, itum: to go, come, 5
eques, equitis m.: equestrian, 3
ēripiō, -ere, -uī, ēreptum: rescue, snatch from, 2
ērumpō, -ere, -rūpī, -mptum: burst, break off, 2
et: and, also, even, 54
etenim: for truly, and indeed, 4
etiam: besides, also, even, 20
Etrūria, -ae f.: Etruria
ēvertō, -ere, ēvertī, ēversum: overturn
ēvocātor, -ōris m.: summoner, recruiter
ex, ē: out from, from, out of (+ abl.), 10
exaudiō, -ire, -īvī, -ītum: hear plainly, hear
excidō, -ere, excidī: fall out, fall
exclūdō, -ere-clūsī, -clūsum: shut out, exclude
exeō, -ire, -ītī (īvī), -itus: go out, 4
exerceō, -ērē, -uī, -itum: train, practice, exercise
exhauriō, -ire, -hausī, -haustum: drain, draw off
existimō (1): judge, consider, regard, think, 1
exitium, -ītī n.: ruin, destruction, 3
exsilium, -ītī n.: banishment, exile, 7
exspectō (1): look for, await, wait for, exspect, 5
extinguō, -ere, -strīnxī: put out, extinguish
extō, -ārē, -stītī: stand out, arise, exist, 2
exsul, exsulis m/f.: exile
exsultō (1): jump up, spring up; exult, 2
extorqueō, -ērē, -torsī, -tortum: wrest away, twist away
extrā: outside; beyond, outside of (acc.)
facilis, -e: easy, 2
facinus, facinoris n.: (bad) deed, action; crime, 4
faciō, -ere, fēcī, fectum: make, do, 15
falcārius, -ī m.: sickle-maker, scythe-maker
fallō, -ere, fefellī, falsum: deceive, trick, escape notice of, 2
fāma, -ae f.: rumor, story, reputation, report
famēs, -is f.: hunger
fateor, -ērī, fassus sum: admit, confess, 2
faucēs, -ium: throat, jaws, mountain pass
fax, facis f.: torch, firebrand, 2
febris, -is f.: fever
ferō, ferre, tulī, lātum: bear, endure, carry, 8
ferrum, -ī n.: iron; sword, weapon, tool, 2
finis, -is m./f.: end, limit, border, boundary
fiō, fierī, factus: become, be made
firmō (1): strengthen
firmus, -a, -um: strong, sturdy
Flaccus, -ī m.: Flaccus
flāgitium, -ītī n.: shameful deed, disgrace, 2
foedus, -eris n.: treaty, agreement, alliance

- fortasse:** perhaps, perchance
fortis, -e: strong, brave, valiant, 5
fortitūdō, -dīnis f.: strength; bravery, courage
fortūna, -ae f.: fortune, chance, luck, 5
forum, -ī n.: forum, marketplace
frangō, -ere, frēgī, frāctum: break, shatter
frequentia, -ae f.: multitude, crowd, 2
frīgus, -goris n.: cold, coldness, chill, 1
frōns, frontis f.: forehead, brow, front
fuga, -ae f.: flight, haste, exile, speed, 2
Fulvius, -ī m.: Fulvius
fūnestus, -a, -um: deadly, fatal, destructive
fūriōsus, -a, -um: full of madness or raving
furor, -ōris m.: madness, frenzy, rage, 5
Gāius (C.), -ī m.: Gaius, 5
gaudium, -ī n.: joy, gladness
gelidus, -a, -um: cold, cool
gēns, gentis f.: clan, family, race, people, tribe
gladiātor, -ōris m.: gladiator
gladius, -ī m.: sword
glōria, -ae, f.: glory, fame, 2
Gracchus, -ī m.: Tiberius or Gaius Gracchus, 3
gradus, -ūs m.: step, pace, degree, grade
grātia, -ae f.: thanks; favor, esteem, regard, 2
gravis, -e: heavy, serious, severe; venerable, 6
habeō, -ere, habuī, -itum: have, hold; consider, 6
habitō (1): to live, dwell
haereō, -ere, haesī: cling, stick
hebēscō, -ere: grow blunt, grow dull
hic, haec, hoc: this, these, 62
hīc: here, 4
homō, -inis m./f.: man, mortal, human, 8
honestō (1): ennable, do honor to, honor
honestus, -a, -um: honorable, respectable, noble
honor, -ōris m.: political office; honor, offering
hora, -ae f.: hour
horribilis, -e: terrible, dreadful, horrible
hortor, hortārī, hortātus sum: encourage, urge
hostis, -is m./f.: stranger, enemy, foe, 7
humī: on the ground
iaceō, -ere, iacuī: to lie (down)
iactō (1): toss, buffet; vaunt, boast, 2
iam: now, already, soon, 36
Iānuārius, -a, -um: of January
īdem, eadem, idem: the same, 10
Idūs, -uum: Ides
igitur: therefore, then, accordingly
ignōminia, -ae f.: disgrace, shame, dishonor
ignōrō (1): be ignorant of
ille, illa, illud: that (famous); he, she, it, 16
illecebra, -ae f.: enticement, charm
illūstrō (1): light up, make clear, reveal, 2
immānitās, -tātis f.: monstrousness, ferocity
immīneō: overhang, threaten; be imminent
immittō , -ere, -mīsī, -missum: send in, admit
immō: nay (even), nay (rather); on the contrary
immortālis, -e: immortal, 4
impendeō, -ere: hang over, threaten, 4
imperātor, -oris m.: commander, leader, 3
imperītus, -a, -um: unexperienced, unskilled
imperīum, -ī n.: command, order, power, 3
imperō (1): order, command, 2
impetrō (1): attain (one' request), accomplish
impetus, -ūs m.: attack, onset, assault
impīus, -a, -um: undutiful, disloyal, impious, 3
importūnus, -a, -um: unfit, grievous, dangerous
improbus, -a, -um: wicked, base, dishonest, 5
impūnītus, -a, -um: unpunished, unrestrained
in: in (+ abl.) , into (+ acc.), 68
inānis, is: empty; vain, groundless
incendīum, -ī n.: burning fire, 4
inclūdō, -ere, -sī, inclūsum: inclose, shut in 2
incrēdibilis, -e: unbelievable, 3
increpō, -āre, -ūi, -itum: make a sound, rustle
indūcō, -ere, -dūxī, -ductum: bring or lead into
ineō, -īre, -ī, -itus: to go in, enter, begin
inertia, -ae f.: idleness, inertia, neglect, 2
inferō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātum: bring (into), wage, 2
infēstus, -a, -um: hostile, dangerous, 2
infītiōr, -ārī, infītiātus sum: deny, contradict
inflammō (1): set on fire, kindle, burn
ingravēscō, -ere: grow heavy, become worse
inimīcūs, -a, -um: hostile, unfriendly, 2
initiō (1): initiate, begin, consecrate
iniūria, -ae f.: wrong, insult, injustice
inopīa, -ae f.: poverty, need; lack of
inquam: say
īnscribō, -ere, -scrīpsī, -scrīptum: write on
insidiae, -ārum, f.: ambush, plot, treachery
īnsidior, -ārī, -ātus sum: lie in wait for, plot against, ambush, 3
intellēgō, -ere, -lēxī, -lēctum: to realize, understand, 5
intendō, -ere, intendī, intentum: stretch, strain, strive, aim
inter: between, among (+ acc.), 3
intercēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum: come between
interficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum: kill, slay, 12
interitus, -ūs m.: ruin, destruction, death
interrogō (1): ask, question, interrogate
intersum, -esse, -fūtī: be between, take part in
intestīnus, -a, -um: internal, civil, inner
intrā: within, among (+ acc.), 1
inūrō, -ere, -ūssī, -ūstum: burn in, brand, curl
inveniō, -īre, -vēnī, -ventum: come upon, find
invidīa, -ae f.: hatred, ill-will, unpopularity, 11

invītō (1): to invite, 2
ipse, ipsa, ipsum: -self; the very, 10
irrētiō, -ire, -īvī, -ītum: ensnare, entrap
is, ea, id: this, that; he, she, it, 25
iste, ista, istud: that (of yours), those 20
ita: so, thus, 5
Italia, -ae f.: Italy, 6
iubeō, iubēre, iussī, iussum: order, command, 4
iūcundus, -a, -um: pleasant, agreeable, delightful
iūdiciū, -ī n.: judgment, trial, sentence 2
iūdicō (1): judge, decide, assess, investigate, 3
iungō, -ere, iūnxī, iūnctum: join, yoke, unite
Iuppiter, Iovis m.: Jupiter, 2
iūs, iūris n.: justice, law, right, 3
iussū: by order, at the command, 3
iūstus, -a -um: just, fair, right(eous), 3
Kalendae (Kal.), -ārum f.: Kalends 5
labefactō (1): cause to slip or totter, make fall
labor, labōris m.: labor, toil, 1
Laeca, -ae m.: Laeca, 2
laetitia, -ae f.: gladness, joy, delight
latrō, latrōnis m.: highway robber, bandit
latrōcinium, -ī m.: highway robbery, banditry, 3
laus, laudis f.: praise, glory, merit
lectus, -ī m.: bed, couch
lēnis, -e: soft, smooth, mild, gentle
Lepidus, -ī m.: Manius Aemilius Lepidus, 2
lēx, lēgis f.: law, regulation, decree, 3
liber, libera, līberum: free
liberī, -ōrum m.: children
liberō (1): free, set free, liberate, 3
libidō, -inis f.: lust, pleasure, desire, passion, 2
licet, -ere, -uit, -itum: be permitted
locus, -ī m.: place, situation; opportunity, 2
longē: far, afar
loquor, -ī, locūtus sum: speak, say, 6
Lūcius (L.), -ī m.: Lucius, 3
lūx, lūcis, f.: light, 3
māchinor, -āri, -ātus sum: contrive, devise
mactō (1): sacrifice, kill, slaughter, 2
Maelius, -ī m.: Maelius, Spurius Maelius
magis: more, rather
magnus, -a, -um: great, large, tall; important, 5
maiōrēs, -um m.: ancestors, “greater” ones, 5
malleolus, -ī m.: fire-dart
mālō, mālle, māluī (magis vōlō): prefer, wish, 2
malus, -a, -um: bad, evil, wicked
mandō (1): entrust, commned, order, command 2
māne: in the morning, early
Mānliānus, -a, -um: of Manlius, 2
Mānlius, -ī m.: Manlius, Gaius Manlius, 3
manus, manūs, f.: hand, band (i.e. group), 9
Mārcellus, -ī m.: Marcellus

Marcus (M.), -ī m.: Marcus, 6
marītus, -ī m.: husband
Marius, -ī m.: Marius
mātūritās, -tātis f.: maturity, ripeness
mātūrus, -a, -um: ripe, opportune; quick, early
maximē: especially, in particular, exceedingly
maximus, -a, -um: greatest
mediocriter: moderately, tolerably, ordinarily
meditor, -ārī, -ātus sum: reflect, think, consider 2
Mēhercule: By Hercules!
meminī, -isse: remember, recall, recollect
memoria, -ae. f.: memory, 2
mēns, mentis, f.: mind, thought, intention, 5
Metellus, -ī m.: Metellus, 2
metuō, -ere, -uī: dread, fear, be afraid, 4
metus, -ūs f.: dread, fear, 7
meus, -a, -um: my, mine, 16
minaē, -ārum f.: threats, menaces
minus: less, 2
misercordia, -ae f.: pity, compassion, sympathy
mittō, -ere, mīsī, missum: send, submit
modo: only, (just) now; if only, provided that, 7
modus, ī m.: manner, king, way, mode, 3
moenia, -ōrum n.: walls (of a city) 3
mōlēs, -is f.: mass, weight, load
mōlīor, -īrī, -ītus: set in motion, devise, stir, 2
mollis, -e: soft, tender, weak
mora, -ae f.: delay, hesitation, hindrance
morbus, -ī m.: disease, sickness, illness, 2
mors, mortis, f.: death, 6
mortuus, -a, -um: dead
mōs, mōris m.: custom, manner, way; character 3
moveō, movēre, mōvī, mōtum: to move, arouse
multō (1): punish, 2
multus, -a, -um: much, many, abundant, 14
muniō, -ire, -īvī (ī), -ītum: fortify, 1
mūnītus-a-um: fortified, 2
mūrus, -ī m.: (city) wall, rampart, 2
mūtō (1): change
nam: for, 2
nanciscor, -ī, nactus sum: attain, obtain, meet
nāscor, nāscī, nātus sum: be born
nātūra, -ae. f.: nature
naufragus, -a, -um: shipwrecked
-ne: (introducing a yes/no question), 9
nē: that not, not; that, lest, 7*

nec: and not, nor, 3
necessārius, -a, -um: necessary; close friend, kin
necessis, -e: necessary
nefārius, -a, -um: wicked, unrighteous, 5
neglegō, -ere, -lēxī, -lēctum: overlook, omit, 2
negō (1): deny, say no, refuse, 2
nēmō: no one, 7

neque: and not, neither...nor, 11
nēquitiā, -ae f.: worthlessness, badness, 2
nesciō, -īre, -īvī: not know, be ignorant, 3
nex, necis f.: murder, violent death, slaughter, 2
nihil: nothing, 11
nimis: too much, too
nīmīum: too much, too
nisi: if not, unless 3
nocturnus, -a, -um: nocturnal, by night, 2
nōminō (1): call by name, name, mention, 2
nōn: not, by no means, not at all, 66
nōndum: not yet, 3
nōs: we, 12
nōster, nostra, nostrum: our, 9
nōtō (1): note, mark
nōta, -ae f.: mark, note, sign, 1
Novembriſ, -e: November (add *mensis*), 4
novus, -a, -um: new, recent, novel, strange, 2
nox, noctis, f.: night, 7
nūdus, -a, -um: nude, bare
nūllus, -a, -um: none, no, no one, 9
num: surely...not? (anticipates a no reply), 7
numerūs, -ī m.: number, multitude, 3
numquam: never, 2
nunc: now, at present, 8
nūper: recently, lately, newly
nūptiae, -ārum: wedding, marriage
Ō: O! oh! 3
ob: on account of (*acc.*), 2
obeō, obire, obīrī: go to, accomplish, perform
oblīviscor, -scī, oblītūs sum: forget (gen)
obscūrē: darkly, secretly, not clearly
obscūrō (1): hide, conceal
obscūrus, -a, -um: dark, dim, obscure, covered
obsideō, -ere, -sēdī, -sessum: besiege, beset, 3
obstō, -āre, obstitī, obstatum: stand in the way, oppose, 2
obtemperō (1): comply with, conform to, obey
occīdō, -ere, occidī, occīsum: kill, cut down, 2
occupō (1): seize, take possession of, win
oculus, -ī, m.: eye, 5
ōdī, -isse: hate, 3
odium, -ī n.: hatred, loathing, 2
offendō, -ere, -dī, offendūs sum: offend, taunt, strike
ōmen, ōminis n.: omen, sign
omittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missum: let go, pass over
omnis, omne: every, all, 27
Opīmius, -ī m.: Opimius
opīnor, -ārī, opīnātūs sum: opine, suppose, believe, think
oportet: it is proper, fitting, necessary, 3
oppīmō, -ere, -pressī, -pressum: check, overpower, 3

optimātēs, -īum m.: optimates
optimus, -a, -um: best, noblest, finest, 5
orbis, -is m.: sphere, orb (+ terrae: world, earth) 3
ordō, -inis m.: order, rank, line, 3
ōs, ōris n.: mouth, face
ostentō (1): show (frequentive of ostendō)
ōtiōsus, -a, -um: at leisure; free of public office
ōtiūm, -īī n.: leisure, peace
pactum, -ī n.: pact, agreement, 2
pacīscor, -ī, pactus sum: agree upon, contract, 1
Palātiūm, -īī n.: Palatine
parēns, -ntis m/f: parent, 2
pariēs, -etis m.: wall, house walls, 2
pariō, ere, peperi, partum: bring forth, beget, 2
parō (1): prepare, make (ready)
parricīda, -ae f.: parricide, murderer, traitor
parricīdium, -īī n.: parricide, murder, treason, 2
pars, partis, f.: part, share, 3
particeps, -cipis: participant, partner, sharer
parvus, -a, -um: small
patefaciō, -ere, -fēcī, -factum: open, disclose
pateō, -ēre, -uī: lie open, extend, 2
pater, patris m.: father, 7
patientia, -ae f.: endurance, patience, 2
patiōr, -ī, passus sum: suffer, allow, endure, 6
patria, -ae f.: fatherland, country, 6
pauci, -ae, -a: little, few, scanty
paulisper: for a little while
paulus, -a, -um: little, small, 4
penitus: within, inwardly, deeply
per: through, across, 4
percipiō, -ere, -cēpī, -ceptum: perceive; seize, 2
perdō, -ere, perdidī, perditum: lose, ruin, destroy, 5
perferō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātūs: bear, endure, betake
perfringō, ere, -rēgī, -fractum: break through, shatter, 1
perfruor, -frui, -fructus sum: enjoy thoroughly
pergō, -ere, -rēxī, -rēctum: continue, keep on, proceed, 2
perīclitor, -ārī, -ātūs sum: put to the test, endanger, risk
perīculūm, -ī n.: risk, danger, peril, 7
permittō, -ere, -mīsī, -missum: entrust, allow
permoveō, -ere: to move deeply, stir, agitate
perničiēs, -ēī f.: destruction, disaster, ruin, 4
perničiōsus, -a, -um: destructive, ruinous, 4
perpetuuſ, -a, -um: perpetual, everlasting, lasting
persaepe: very often, 2
perspiciō, -ere, -spexī, -spectum: observe,
perterreō, -ere: frighten, terrify
pertīmēscō, -ere, -timūtī: become very fearful, 3
pertīneō, -ēre, -tinūtī: to stretch out, reach

- perveniō, -ire, -vēnī, -ventum:** to come through, arrive
- pestis, -is f.:** plague, pest, 5
- petitiō, -ōnis f.:** thrust, blow, attack, aim
- petō, petere, petivī, petitum:** to seek, aim at, 2
- placet (placeō, -ēre, -ūtī):** it is pleasing, 2
- plācō (1):** to appease, reconcile, calm, 1
- plānē:** plainly, clearly, quite, very
- plēbs, plēbis f.:** plebs, common people
- plūrimus, -a, -um:** most, very much, very many
- poena, poenae, f.:** punishment, 3
- polliceor, -cērī, -citus sum:** promise, offer, 2
- Pontifex, -ficiis m.:** priest, pontifex
- populus, -ī m.:** people, nation, 4
- porta, -ae f.:** gate, city gate, 2
- possum, posse, potuī:** be able, can, avail, 19
- post:** after, behind (+ acc.); afterward, next
- posteā:** thereafter, afterwards, 2
- posteritās, posteritatis f.:** posterity, future, 3
- postulō (1):** demand, claim, request, ask, 2
- potius:** rather (comparative adv.) 3
- praeclārus, -a, -um:** famous, distinguished, 2
- praedicō (1):** proclaim, publish, declare, 2
- praeferō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātum:** carry in front, place before, prefer
- praemittō, -ere:** send forward, send ahead, 2
- Praeneste, is n.:** Praeneste
- praesēns, -ntis:** present, instant
- praesentia, -ae f.:** presence
- praesidium, -ī n.:** guard, garrison, protection, 7
- praestolōr, -ārī, -ātus sum:** wait for, expect,
- praeterēō, -ire, -ītī:** go past, pass, pass by
- praetermittō, -ere, -misi:** pass over, let go past, 2
- praetor, -ōris m.:** praetor, 3
- prīdem:** long before, long ago, 4
- prīdiē:** on the day before, the previous day
- prīmō:** at first
- prīmus -a -um:** first
- prīnceps, -cipis m./f.:** leader, chief, foremost, 3
- prior, -ius:** former, first
- privātus, -a, -um:** private citizen, 6
- probō (1):** approve, esteem, commend, 1
- profectiō, -ōnis f.:** departure, setting out
- prōficiō, -ere, -fēcī, -fectum:** accomplish, affect
- proficīscor, -ī, -fectus sum:** set out, depart, 6
- profugiō, -ere, -fūgī:** flee, run away, escape
- prope:** near, close; *compar.* proprius
- proprius:** peculiar, characteristic, one's own
- propter:** on account of, because of, 3
- prōsequor, -quī, prōsecūtus sum:** pursue, escort
- proximus, -a, -um:** nearest, 3
- pūblicus, -a, -um:** public, common, 38
- Publius (P.), -ī m.:** Publius, 2
- pudor, -oris m.:** sense of shame, modesty
- pūrgō (1):** clean, cleanse, purge, make clean, 1
- putō (1):** to think, imagine, 5
- quaesitiō, -tiōnis f.:** investigation, inquiry
- quaesō:** I beg, I pray, please
- quam:** *adv.* as, how, than, 12
- quamquam:** and yet; although, 5
- quantus, -a, -um:** how great, much, or many, 2
- que:** and, 29
- quisque, quaeque, quidque:** each one, every, 3
- querimōnia, -ae f.:** complaint
- quīdam, quaedam, quiddam:** certain, a certain 6
- quidem:** indeed, in fact, assuredly, certainly, 2
- quiēscō, -ere, -quiēvī:** keep quiet, be still, rest
- Quintus (Q.) -ī m.:** Quintus, 1
- quis? quid? (quī, quae, quod):** who? what?, who, which, 110
- quisquam, quidquam:** anyone, anything; any, 3
- quisquis, quidquid:** whoever, whatever
- quō:** (to) where, 5
- quondam:** formerly, once, 3
- quoniam:** since, inasmuch as
- quoque:** also
- quot:** how many? 1
- quotiēns:** how often?, 4
- quotiēnscumque:** howsoever often
- rapiō, -ire, rapuī, raptum:** seize, carry off
- ratiō, ratiōnis, f.:** account, reason, way, 2
- recēns, -ntis:** fresh, recent
- recipiō, -ere, -cēpī, -ceptus:** take back, recover
- recōgnoscō, ere, -nōvī, -gnitum:** review, recall 2
- recondō, -ere, -didi, -ditum:** hide, conceal
- rēctā:** straightway, straight, directly
- redundō (1):** overflow, overwhelm
- referō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātum:** report, bring back, 3
- rēgiē:** tyrannically, despontically
- relevō (1):** relieve, loosen, lighten, 3
- relinquō, -ere, -līquī, -lictum:** to leave behind, abandon, 4
- reliquus, -a, um:** remaining, the rest, 2
- remaneō, -ēre, -mansī, -mansum:** stay, abide
- remoror, -ārī, -ātus sum:** delay, linger, defer
- repellō, -ere, reppulī, repulsum:** drive away
- reperiō, -ire, repperī, repertum:** find, discover
- reprimō, -ere, -pressī, -um:** repress, check, 2
- repudiō, -are, -āvī, -ātum:** reject, scorn
- rēs, reī, f.:** thing, matter, affair, business, 45
- resideō, -ēre, -sēdī:** remain (behind), stay, 2
- respōnum, -ī n.:** response, reply, 1
- respondeō, -ēre, -dī, -ōnsum:** say in response, 1
- revocō (1):** call back, recall
- rogō (1):** to ask, 3
- Rōma, -ae f.:** Rome, a city and empire, 2

- Rōmānus, -a, -um:** of Rome, Roman, 7
- Rōmulus, -ī m.:** Romulus
- ruīna, -ae f.:** ruin, downfall
- sacer, sacra, sacram:** sacred; *n. pl.* sacred rites
- sacrārium, -ī n.:** shrine, chapel
- saepe:** often, 5
- sagāx, -ācis:** keen, alert, wise
- salūs, -ūtis f.:** safety, security, health, 6
- salūtō (1):** greet, salute, pay respects to, 2
- sānctus, -a, -um:** sacred, holy, 2
- sanguis, -inis m.:** blood, bloodshed
- satelles, -itis m/f:** accomplice, follower
- satis:** enough
- Sāturnīnius, -īī m.:** Saturninius, 2
- scelerātus, -a, -um:** wicked, criminal, vicious, 3
- scelus, -eris n.:** wickedness, villainy, crime, 11*
- scientia, -ae f.:** knowledge, wisdom, skill
- sciō, -ire, -īvī, -ītus:** know (how), understand 4
- Scipiō, -īōnis m.:** Scipio
- sē:** himself, herself, itself, themselves, 10
- sēcēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum:** go away, withdraw
- sēcernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētum:** separate, set apart, distinguish, 3
- sed:** but, moreover, however, 19
- sēditiō, -tiōnis f.:** sedition, rebellion, insurrection
- sēiungō, -ere, -iūnxī, -iūnctum:** separate, sever
- sēmen, sēminis n.:** seed, source
- semper:** always, ever, forever
- senātus, -ūs m.:** senate, council of elders, 16
- sēnsus, -ūs m.:** feeling, perception, sensation
- sententia, -ae f.:** opinion, purpose, 2
- sentiā, -ae f.:** dregs, bilge water
- sentiō, -ire, sēnsī, sēnsum:** to feel, perceive, realize 10
- sequor, -ī, secūtus sum:** follow, accompany
- sērius:** rather late, later, too late (cp. sērō)
- sermō, -ōnis n.:** conversation, discourse, speech
- Servilius, -īī m.:** Servilius, 2
- serviō, -ire, -īvī, -ītum:** be a slave, be subject to
- servō (1):** save, keep, preserve
- servus, -ī, m.:** slave, 2
- Sēstius, -īī m.:** Sestius
- sevēritās, -tatis f.:** severity, sternness, 2
- sī:** if (only), whether, in case that, 40
- sīc:** thus, in this way, 3
- sīca, -ae f.:** dagger
- sīcūt:** just as as, so as
- silentium, -īī n.:** silence
- sileō, -ere, -ūī:** be silent, be still
- similis, -is:** like, similar, 2
- simul:** at the same time, at once
- sīn:** but if, if, however, 3
- sine:** without (*abl.*)
- singulus, -a, -um:** single, separate, one at a time
- sinō, -ere, sīvī, situm:** allow, permit, allow, leave
- societās, -tatis f.:** alliance, partnership, union
- socius, -ī m.:** ally, companion, comrade, 3
- sodālis, -is m.:** companion, comrade
- soleō, -ēre, -ītus sum:** be accustomed
- sōlitūdō, sōlitūdinis f.:** loneliness, solitude
- sōlus, -a, -um:** alone, only, lone, sole, 5
- sōmnus, -ī m.:** sleep
- speculator, -ārī, -ātus sum:** spy out, watch
- spēs, -ērī f.:** hope, expectation, 2
- spiritus, -ī n.:** breath, spirit
- sponte:** willingly, voluntarily
- Spurius (Sp.), -īī m.:** Spurius
- Stator, Statōris m.:** Stayer, 2
- statuō, -ere, -ūī, -ūtum:** decide, establish, build
- status, -ūs m.:** standing, state
- stirps, stirpis f.:** trunk
- stō, -āre, stetti:** stand
- studeō, -ēre, uī:** be eager, strive for, 2
- studium, -ī n.:** zeal, desire, pursuit, 2
- stultus, -a, -um:** foolish, silly, stupid
- stuprum, -ī n.:** debauchery, lewdness, disgrace
- suādeō, -ēre, suāsī, suāsum:** persuade, urge
- subsellium, -īī n.:** seat, bench, 2
- sum, esse, fuī, futūrum:** to be, 106
- summus, -a, -um:** highest, top of, 7
- superus, -a, -um:** upper, higher, above, 5
- supplicium, -īī n.:** punishment, supplication, 5
- suscipiō, -ere, -cēpī, -ceptum:** undertake, receive
- suspiciō, -ere, -spēxī, -spectum:** suspect, look at
- suspiciō, -ōnis f.:** suspicion, mistrust, 2
- suspicor, -ārī:** mistrust, suspect
- sustineō, -ēre, -ūī:** hold up, support, sustain, 1
- suus, -a, -um:** his, her, its, their (own), 5
- tabula, -ae f.:** tablet (of law), tablet, table
- taceō, -ēre, -ūī, -ītum:** be silent, say nothing, 3
- taciturnitās, -tatis f.:** silence
- tacitus, -a, -um:** silent, still, tacit, 2
- taeter, -tra, -trum:** loathsome, repulsive
- tam:** so, so much, so very, such, 14
- tamen:** nevertheless, however, 6
- tametsi:** even if, although, though
- tamquam:** as if, so as, as it were
- tandem:** finally, at last, at length, in the end, 6
- tantus, -a, -um:** so great, so much, so large, 12
- tēctum, -ī n.:** house, building, shelter; roof, 3
- tēlum, -ī n.:** weapon, projectile, arrow, spear, 3
- tempestās, -tatis f.:** tempest, storm
- templum, -ī n.:** temple, 3
- temptō (1):** attempt, try, test, attack, assail
- tempus, -poris n.:** time, 7
- tenebrae, -ārum f.:** darkness

- teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentum:** to hold, keep, 3
- terra, -ae f.:** land, earth, 4
- Tiberius (Ti.), -ī m.:** Tiberius
- timeō, -ēre, -uī:** fear, dread, 4
- timor, -oris m.:** fear, dread, anxiety, 3
- tollō, tollere, sustulī, sublātum:** to raise, lift up
- tot:** so many
- totiēns:** so many times, so often
- tōtus -a, -um:** whole, entire, 3
- trānsferō, -ferre, -tulī, -lātum:** transport, transfer
- tribūnal, -ālis n.:** platform, tribunal
- tribūnus, -a, -um:** tribune, military tribune, 1
- trucīdō (1):** slaughter, butcher, murder, massacre
- tū:** you, 107
- Tullus, -ī m.:** Tullus
- Tullius, -ī m.:** Tullius
- tum:** then, at that time, 4
- tumultus, -ūs m.:** confusion, uproar, panic
- turpitūdō, -dinis f.:** disgrace, shame, dishonor, 3
- tūtus, -a, -um:** safe, secure, guarded
- tuus, -a, -um:** your, yours, 44
- ubi:** where, when, 2
- Ubinam:** where? where, pray?
- ūllus, -a, -um:** any, 4
- umquam:** ever, 2
- ūnā:** together, at the same time
- undique:** from everywhere, from or on all sides 2
- ūniversus, -a, -um:** all together, entire, whole
- ūnus, -a, -um:** one, 10
- urbānus, -a, -um:** urban, of the city
- urbs, urbīs, f.:** city, 21
- ūsque:** all the way, continuously, as far as, 2
- ūsūra, -ae f.:** use, practice
- ut (utī):** so that, in order that; as, when; 35
- ūtilis, -e:** useful, effective
- utinam:** would that...
- uxor, ūxōris f.:** wife, spouse
- v:** five (quinque)
- vacuēfaciō, -ere, -fēcī, -factum:** make empty, 2
- vāgīna, -ae f.:** sheath, scabbard
- valeō, -ēre, -uī:** to fare well, be strong, prevail
- Valerius, -ī m.:** Valerius
- vāstitās, -tātis f.:** devastation, ruin
- vāstō (1):** lay waste, destroy, devastate, 3
- vehemēns, -entis:** violent, vehement, strong, 4
- vēna, -ae f.:** vein
- veneror, -ārī, -ātus sum:** venerate, rever
- veniō, -īre, vēnī, ventum:** come, go, 9
- vereor, -ērī, -itus:** be afraid, fear; revere, 3
- versōr, -ārī, -ātus sum:** be engaged in, live, 2
- vērūs, -a, -um:** true, real; *vērum*, but; *vērō*: indeed, 17
- vester, tra, -trum:** your, yours, 2
- vetus, -eris:** old, former, ancient
- vexātiō, -tiōnis f.:** harassing, vexing, troubling
- vexō (1):** annoy, harass, vex, trouble, 2
- vīcēsimus, -a, -um:** twentieth
- vidēlicet:** of course (*vidēre licet*: ‘you may see’) 2
- videō, -ēre, vīdī, vīsum:** see, watch, 28
- vigilia, -ae f.:** watch (one of 4 periods at night), 2
- vigilō (1):** watch, keep awake, be watchful, 2
- vīlis, -e:** cheap, common, worthless
- vinculum, -ī n.:** bond, chain, 2
- vindicō (1):** avenge, punish, protect, vindicate, 3
- vir, virī m.:** man, 9
- virtūs, -ūtis f.:** valor, manhood, excellence, 3
- vīs, (vīs), f.:** force, power, violence, 4
- vīscus, vīsceris n.:** entrails, vitals, viscera
- vīta, -ae, f.:** life, 9
- vītium, -īī n.:** vice, fault, defect, 2
- vītō (1):** avoid, evade, shun, 4
- vīvō, vīvere, vīxī, vīctum:** live, 10
- vīvūs, -a, -um:** living, alive, 2
- vix:** with difficulty, with effort, scarcely, 3
- vixdum:** hardly yet, scarcely yet, but just
- vōcō (1):** call, name, address, summon
- volō, velle, volūtī:** will, wish, be willing, 4
- voluntās, -tātis f.:** will, free-will, wish, choice, 2
- voluptās, -tātis f.:** pleasure, delight, enjoyment, 2
- vōs:** you (all), 2
- vōx, vōcis, f.:** voice, 7
- vulnerō (1):** wound, injure, 2
- vultus, -ūs m.:** expression, countenance, face
- xii:** twelve (duodecim)