

119.1 Exercise

A. In the following sentences

- 1) Underline the genitive absolute
- 2) determine the tense of voice of the participle
- 3) translate the genitive absolute (just the participle and the noun it modifies) into Greek.

1a. With the priest going away, the sound of the waves drowned out the shouts of the Achaeans.

2a. With the goddess having listened to Achilles, the Achaeans suffered greatly.

3a. With Apollo having come down from Olympus, the plague struck the Achaeans.

4a. With the Achaeans burning many thigh pieces of bulls and goats, the god smiled.

5a. With Agamemnon having dishonored the priest, Apollo was angry.

6a. With Hera caring about both heroes, Athena prevented Achilles from killing Agamemnon.

B. In English, replace the literal translation of each of the genitive absolutes above with a clause expressing its possible *logical* connection to the rest of the sentence.

1b)

2b)

3b)

4b)

5b)

6b)