

P.43 Eurymia, the sister is calling Megadon, the rich man and the neighbour of Euclid, out of the houses. For Eurymia is worried, because Megadon doesn't have a wife. However, Megadon doesn't want a wife. For wives make rich husband poor. Megadon has enough gold and he doesn't like beautiful women. For as a beautiful woman she is, thus she worries the man. As a rich man he is, so the wife makes a man poor. However, Megadon has the best sister. Therefore the sister demands, so the brother does. For he has Phacra, the daughter of Euclid, the best girl. As Euclid is poor however, Phacra doesn't have dowry. However, Megadon doesn't want dowry. For if the rich wives have dowry and it's great, after the marriage-time, the expense is great. They give too much of the money of the man.