

Dyskans hwetek ha dew ugens (56)

An hweghtegves dyskans ha dew ugens

Infixed pronouns

** An Ambos

“Re’m tas, Æthel,” Tewdar a worthebis. “Ass ov vy gocki ha drog! Yth esov vy ynwedh war an fordh dhe’n managhti. Ow thas gwynn re wrug merwel. Ow mamm eth dhe’n managhti rag kavos pronter kyns ev dhe verwel, ha lemmyn res yw dhymm hy havos ha derivas an mernans orth an managhti.”

Ena Tewdar a glewas lev kuv ha hweg ow tasleverel an seren goth, *Requiescat in pace!* Hag y’n tewlder ev a welas hy dorn gwynn ow tochya hy thal, hy skoodh gledh, hy skoodh dhyghow, ha’y bronn. Wortiwedh hi a leveris,

“Tewdar, pur dhrog yw genev, mes dhe wir, y koodh dhymm mos lemmyn.” An maw a synsis hy dorn ha leverel,

“Æthel, my a vynn dha weles arta.” Hi a worthebis,

“Ny wonn mar kyllyn, mes deus omma an keth eur ma wosa unn seythen. Mar kallav dos, my a wra dos. Lemmyn ke dhe-ves kyns, ha my a vynn sewya wosa berr dermyn. Y’n fordh ma den vyth ny wra agan gweles war-barth.”

An seythen na, pur yn kemyskys o Tewdar. Treweythyow trist ova rag mernans y das gwynn. Ev a wrussa kara an den koth yn town, mes trobllys ova kekeffrys yn-kever an Penn, ha geryow euthyk y das gwynn. Pub dydh, moy ha moy sur ova y fedha droglam euthyk mar ny veu an Penn daskerrys y’n chi. Treweythyow lowen ova hag ev ow prederi a Æthelflæd, mes nyns o sur y gares dhe dhos er y bynn y’n nos apoyntys.

Y das gwynn a veu ynkleudhys. Pan dheuth dy’Sul, Tewdar eth dhe’n Oferen, mevys y spyrys gans gwaytyans a weles Æthelflæd. Dhe wir, hi a’n gwelas y’n pelder wosa an gonis ha minhwerthin. Pan o sur nag esa hy thas ow mires, hi a vovyas hy fenn yn lowen rag afydhya an ambos, ha Tewdar a gonvedhas hi dhe allos y weles.

Gerva

Re’m tas!	<i>By my father!</i>	
seren	<i>Prayer for the dead</i>	
y koodh dhymm	<i>I must</i>	<i>See note 2</i>
ova	<i>he was</i>	
hag ev ow prederi	<i>while he was thinking</i>	<i>See note 3</i>
er y bynn	<i>against him</i>	<i>See note 4</i>
mar kyllyn	<i>if we can</i>	
y fedha	<i>there would be</i>	
mar ny veu an Penn daskerrys	<i>if the head was not replaced</i>	
a veu ynkleudhys	<i>was buried</i>	
hi dhe allos y weles	<i>that she would be able to see him</i>	
hi a’n gwelas	<i>she saw him</i>	<i>See note 1</i>

Notennow

1 Infixed pronouns

I read my a wra redya or my a red
I read the book my a wra redya an lyver or my a red an lyver
I read it my a wra y redya or my a'n red
my a'n red has the pronoun inserted between the particle and the verb, this is known as an infixed pronoun
he sees me = ev a wra ow gweles or ev a'm gwel

'm 'th 'n 's 'gan 'gas 's
me you him/ither/it us you them
the only one to cause a mutation is 'th, this is a variation of the 5th mutation

	b	ch	d	ga	ge	gi	gl	gr	gw	gy	go	gro	gru	k	m	p	t
'th	v		t	ha	he	hi			w	hy	wo	wro	wru		v		

Ev a'n godhya. *He knew it.*
My a'n pren *I buy it.*
Hi a'gas gwel *She sees you.*

Negative assertions are made using ny and conjugating the verb:

Ny'n godhya ev *He didn't know it*
Ny'n prenav (vy) *I don't buy it*
Ny'gas gwel hi *She doesn't see you*

2 to have to

Cornish has several ways of saying I must
res yw dhymm *necessary it is to me*
y tal dhymm or my a dal *I ought to*
y koodh dhymm or y tegodh dhymm *I should*

3 while/as

hag ev ow prederi ha + *noun/pronoun + present participle*
while/as he is/was thinking
ha my ow kerdhes *while I was walking*

4 Prepositions

erbynn an lagha *against the law, illegal*
er ow fynn er dha bynn er y bynn er hy fynn
against me against you against him against her
er agan pynn er agas pynn er aga fynn
against us against you against them

There are a few prepositions which make some use of the infixed pronouns

Yn-kever an lagha *with respect to the law*

yn ow hever yn dha gevever yn y gevever yn hy hever

or

or

y'm kever

y'th kever

yn agan kever

yn agas kever

yn aga hever

or

or

or

y'gan kever

y'gas kever

y'ga hever

similarly yn herwydh nearby; yn-kerghyn around; yn le in place of; yn ogas near to

Oberen 1 Exercise 1

Treyl an lavarow a sew. *Translate the following sentences.*

1 *She saw us.*

6 *Tewdar's mother sent him.*

2 *We found them.*

7 *Bran's men buried it*

3 *Tewdar heard him.*

8 *They showed them*

4 *I do not like you.*

9 *He hears me.*

5 *You send it.*

10 *He sends her.*

Oberen 2 Exercise 2

Treyl an lavarow a sew hag yndella kavos an konter. *Translate the expressions and thus find the opposites.*

	Sowsnek		Sowsnek
yn fenowgh		namenowgh	
y'n kynsa part		wosa	
y'n gwella prys		nevra	
yn kynsa		y'n gwettha prys	
kyns		y'n kontrari part	
pub dydh		wortiwedh	

Oberen 3 Exercise 3

Treyl an lavarow a sew. *Translate the following.*

1 *The old man spoke with a whisper.*

2 *The farmer was working in the barn.*

3 *She went before I spoke.*

4 *Mother was cross because the children were noisy.*

5 *Davydh saw her.*

6 *Bran was a god of the Britons before Arthur was king*

7 *Elsbeth sees you.*

8 *We must go to London to see grandfather.*

9 *There was a large group of people around me.*

10 *They will be in Cornwall next week.*

Oberen 4 Exercise 4

Skrif a-dro dhe 100 - 150 ger *Write about 100 - 150 words*

Balyow a Gernow *Mines of Cornwall*