

1

The elder > to an elect lady and to her children

whom (masculine plural)

I | love in truth

and not I alone

but also

all those having known > the truth

2

because of the truth

that resides in us

and

will be

with us forever

3

grace mercy peace | will be

with us

from Father God

and

from Jesus Christ

the Father's Son

in truth and love

4

[I] | rejoice much

because

[I] | have found > walking

your children

in truth

as

[we] | received > commandment

From the Father

5

and now

[I] | ask < you lady > [commandment]

as writing < to you > commandment

not a new

but which

[we] | have

From beginning

[we] | walk

by his commandments

that

[we] | keep loving > one another

6

and

this | is | the love

that

[we] | keep walking

By his commandments

this | is | the commandment

that

[we] | keep walking

by it

as

[we] | heard

from the beginning

7

for

many deceivers | have gone out  
 |  
into the world  
 |  
those | not professing > Jesus | Christ  
 |  
having come in flesh  
 |  
This | is | the deceiver and the antichrist

8

[you] | see > yourselves  
 |  
 that  
 |  
[you] | should not lose > which you laboured  
 |  
 but  
 |  
[you] | should receive > full reward

9

all | οὐκ ἔχει > θεόν  
 |  
go forth  
 |  
who | and  
 |  
not remaining  
 |  
In the Christ's teaching

this one | has > both the Father and the Son  
 |  
he | remaining  
 |  
in the teaching

10

if  
 |  
comes to you  
 |  
any | and  
 |  
bears not > this teaching  
 |  
receive not > him  
 |  
[you] | and  
 |  
say not > 'welcome' < to him

11

for  
 |  
he | shares in his evil works  
 |  
saying > welcome < to him

12

[I] | did not want > to write < to you  
 |  
having many  
 |  
 but  
 |  
to come to you  
 |  
hope | and  
 |  
to speak mouth to mouth  
 |  
 that  
 |  
your joy | be | made full

13

the children | greet > you  
 |  
your elect sister