vv. 19-22

Paralepsis

Structure

19—I Paul write (you)
   In the Lord (20)
   Refresh my heart (20)
   In Christ (20)

21—I (Paul) write you

22—your prayers (for me)

Narrative sequence:

1. v. 19—
2. v. 20—
3. v. 21—
4. v. 22—

v. 19—“my hand” (cf. 1 Cor 16:21; Gal 6:11; 2 Thess 3:17)

“pay it” (NASB)

How great was Philemon’s debt to Paul?

Why? (Acts 19:9-10)

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Paul: “you owe me __________. Now, I am taking _________ ’s debt.”

Thus, ____________________________

Respond: Paul is being “heavy-handed” here!
v. 20—reiteration of ?________

What terms are repeated from previous verses in this letter?

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Pun: “playful pluck” (J. Nordling); or playfully puckish pun (J. Dennison)

“You will be _________ (Greek, ovnai,mhn/ cf. VOνh, simon, v. 10) __________”

v. 21—“more”. What “more”?

Paul did not ________________________; but here are the narrative and rhetorical vectors which led to the demise of slavery in Christian circles.

v. 22—? Apostolic Parousia