

## Chiastic Structure of Genesis 11

**A** All the earth had one language (v. 1)

**B** there (v. 2)

**C** one to another (v. 3)

**D** Come, let's make bricks (v. 3)

**E** Let's make for ourselves (v. 4)

**F** a city and a tower

**G** And the Lord came down to see

**F'** the city and the tower (v. 5)

**E'** that the humans built (v. 5)

**D'** Come, let's confuse (v. 7)

**C'** everyone the language of his neighbor (v. 7)

**B'** from there (v. 8)

**A'** (confused) the language of the whole earth (v. 9)