Instructions for Annotating a Text

When you annotate a text for HW, here's what to do:

1. **Read** through the entire passage once.

2. **Highlight** all verbs. **Identify** person, number, tense, voice and mood and **write** this information above the word.

3. **Identify** the case, number, gender, and use of all nouns and **write** this information above the word.

4. **Identify** the case, number, and gender of all adjectives and **write** this information above the word. **Draw an arrow** connecting adjectives to the nouns they modify or note if they are substantives.

5. **Put (into parentheses)** prepositional phrases [preposition + object & any words that go with the object]. **Identify** the case, number, gender and use of the object if it's one we've learned.

6. **Look up** the meaning of any word you do not know. **Write** the definition underneath the word. Use the glossary in your textbook and the vocabulary sheet for the translations you were given.

7. Finally, **read** through the entire passage again and **figure out** what the text is saying. Be able to work out a translation but don't write one down on your annotated copy of the text.

Case Uses Covered So Far:
- Nominative: subject, predicate nom., appositive
- Genitive: possession, objective, appositive
- Dative: indirect object, appositive
- Accusative: direct object, place to which, predicate, appositive
- Ablative: place where, place from which, means/instrument, manner, accompaniment, (personal) agent, appositive