

# Simple Chiasm Examples

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## Example 1: Basic Chiasm

A simple two-level chiasm:

**A:** The beginning  
    **B:** The middle  
    **B':** The middle returns  
**A':** The ending

## Example 2: Four Levels

A deeper structure:

**A:** First outer concept  
    **B:** Second level concept  
        **C:** Third level concept  
            **D:** Fourth level (deepest)  
            **D':** Fourth returns  
        **C':** Third returns  
    **B':** Second returns  
**A':** First outer returns

## Example 3: With Pivot

A chiasm with a center pivot element:

**A:** Introduction  
    **B:** Development  
        **C:** CENTRAL THEME (no return)  
    **B':** Development returns  
**A':** Conclusion

## Example 4: Nested Structure

A chiasm containing another chiasm:

**A:** Outer A  
    **B:** Outer B with nested content:  
        **C.a:** Inner first  
            **C.b:** Inner second  
            **C.b':** Inner second returns  
        **C.a':** Inner first returns  
    **B':** Outer B returns  
**A':** Outer A returns