

# Episode One Hundred Thirty Eight - Letter to Menoeceus 5 - Pleasure Part One

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Quote

The ὄρουç is the familiar "boundary stone" used elsewhere in Epicurean texts:

- boundary, limit, frontier, landmark
- marking stones, stones used for inscribing legal contracts

Which came into Latin as *ora*, as used in Lucretius in phrases like "shining borders of the light". For boundary-stone he uses the phrase *Alta termina haerens*, going from memory.