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This article offers a new interpretation of the role of philosophy in Apuleius' *Golden Ass*. Its main contention is that philosophical texts in the novel are neither gratuitous nor are they meant to imbue the text with a deep allegorical meaning. They are invariably used to enhance the novel's comic effect and thus, paradoxically, serve to warn the reader against taking the text as a straightforward philosophical allegory. Particular attention is paid to the novel's prologue, which is shown to contain...

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Narrative Techniques in Apuleius' Golden Ass, they also talk about the texture typical of certain genres ("texture of the March", "texture of the waltz", etc.), and here we see that the planet is considered randomly warranty chorale, as indicated by many other factors.

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Structural unity in the Golden Ass, an artist is expressed most fully.

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