

GA 223
(Ann Arbor, University of Michigan Library, MS 34)

***Kurzgefasste Liste* description:**

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Contents: ap†

Date: XIV

Material: parchment

Leaves: 376

Columns: 1

Lines per page: 22–23

Dimensions: 28.2 x 21.3 cm

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Corrections to K-Liste description: dimensions.

***CSNTM* description:**

MS number: GA 223

Contents: ap†

Date: XIV

Material: parchment

Columns: 1

Lines per page: 22–23

Dimensions: 28.5 x 20.5–21.5 cm

Shelf Number: Ann Arbor, University of Michigan Library, MS 34

Leaves: 376

Page Count: 752 pages. Count is correct on the leaves.

Cover material: Front cover, inside front cover. Back cover, inside back cover. Spine.

UV (MS pages, not ours): None.

Interesting or significant material: filler leaf on inside of front cover is minuscule text; not biblical. First five leaves are κεφαλαια (πιναξ) in two columns. Child's handwriting on 1r, practicing the alphabet. Hypothesis; Acts starts on 11r. Paragraph breaks are indicated either by a gold letter slightly outdented and larger than normal, or by a high colon (·) that has been inked with gold on top of red. 28r is a good illustration, for the sentence ended in a colon, but this is followed by a larger colon in gold. Many of the paragraph colons, however, are only inked in red. 110v ends Acts. Introductory material on Paul is next. 113r (Romans [122v has εχομεν at Rom 5.1]); Rom ends on 149r, followed by hypothesis for 1 Cor. 150v (1 Cor begins); 185r end of 1 Cor; 2 Cor begins on 186r, with 2 Cor 1.3 (παρα]κλησεωσ). 209v (2 Cor ends); 210v–222r (Gal); 223r (Eph begins at Eph 1.4 at εἶναι ἡμῶς (the title page was cut out). 235r (Eph ends); 237r (Phil begins); 245v (Phil ends); 247r (Col begins); 254v (Col ends); 256r–263v (1 Thess); 265r–269r (2 Thess); 270r–279r (1 Tim); 280v–287r (2 Tim); 288r–292r (Titus); 293r–296v (Philemon); 297r (Heb begins; title page cut out; Heb starts at 1.6 [αγγελιοι θεου]);

323r (Heb ends); 324r–333r (Jas); 334r–343v (1 Peter); 344v–350v (2 Peter); 352r–361v (1 John); 362r–363r (2 John); 363v–364v (3 John); 365v–376v (Jude); 368r–376v (synaxaria). Back inside cover is older minuscule text. Three filler pages have been cut out, all of which were from the earlier codex.

Every book has its own hypothesis, even though this is not consistently mentioned.

The hypothesis is written in smaller letters than the biblical text.

Bruce Metzger refers to this as MS 35 in *Manuscripts of the Greek Bible* (plate 43).

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