

**GA 2323**  
**(Athens, Benaki Museum Library, MS 46)**

***Kurzgefasste Liste* description:**

GA MS number: GA 2323  
Contents: er †  
Date: XIII  
Material: parchment  
Leaves: 308  
Columns: 1  
Lines per page: 18  
Dimensions: 19 x 13 cm  
Shelf Number: MS 46

Corrections to *K-Liste* description: leaf count.

**CSNTM description:**

MS number: GA 2323  
Contents: er †  
Date: XIII  
Material: parchment  
Columns: 1  
Lines per page: 18  
Dimensions: 19 x 13 x 6.5 cm  
Shelf Number: MS 46

Leaves: The MS is foliated correctly.

**Text leaves:** 311  
**Image count:** 622

Cover material: front cover plus 3 leaves; back cover plus 1 leaf; spine; ruler shot; paper insert showing date and price of purchase

**front cover:** 12  
**subtotal:** 12 images

**back cover:** 4  
**subtotal:** 4 images

**Image count:** 638

UV: '309v'

Interesting or significant material: Matthew 31r; Mark 102v; Luke 148v; John 224r; Revelation 279r. 244v is where the PA would have been, but the MS lacks it, without

notation. There is a possible discussion of the copying of the manuscript on 1v as well as extensive marginal notes, including textual variants, throughout Revelation, as well as a fair number in the Gospels. Different hand starts on 15r, goes all the way through the rest of the MS. Mark 16.8 on 144v (horizontal dashes in margin occur on 144r and 144v).

A preface-page, written in bright vermilion, identifies this manuscript as a donation [probably to the Visconti Library in Milan] from Peter of Candia (1340-1410), who is perhaps best-known historically as the Oxford-trained anti-pope Alexander V (presiding in 1409-1410). The note identifies Peter as Archbishop of Milan (the station later occupied by UBS text-compiler Carlo Martini), and names John Galeazzo Visconti as the Duke of Milan. The note may thus be dated to 1402, although at the end of the note the year seems to be given as 1302.

February 26, 2009: jwh