

Papyrus 69: Dated to Middle Third Century CE Containing Lucus 22:40-41, 45-48, 58-61

Transcription and Direct Word Translation

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Lucus 22:40-41, 45-48

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Lucus 22:40-41, 45-48

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⁴⁰εις πειρας]μ[ον] ⁴¹κ[αι αυτοσ απεσ
πασθη απ αυτων ωσ]ει λιθου βολ[ην
και θεις τα γονατα προσ]ηυχετο^a
⁴⁵ελθων προς τους μαθ]ητ[ας ευ
ρεν αυτους καθευ]δοντας κοι
μωμενους απο τη]ς λυπησ [46κ]αι
ειπεν αυτοις ^b]τι καθευδε
τε ανασταντες πρ]οσευχεσθε
ινα μη εισελθητε εις πειρ]ασμον
⁴⁷ετι δε αυτου λαλουντος ι]δου
οχλος και ο λεγομενος Ιου]δασ
εις των ΙΒ προηρηχετο α]υ[τ]ους
και εγγισας εφιλησε]ν τον ΙΗΝ
⁴⁸ΙΗΣ δε ειπεν αυτω Ιουδα φι]λη[ματι

^a This manuscript omits
what's usually verses 42-44.

^b There is a gap of about 4
letters, which are unable to
be deciphered.

⁴⁰into temptat]i[on.] ⁴¹A[nd He was dra-
wn away from them ab]out a stone thr[ow,
and having set down the knees, He was p]raying ^a.
⁴⁵Appearing towards the adh]ere[nts, He disco-
vered them slee]ping, put t-
o sleep from th]e distress. [46A]nd
He said to them,] "Why do you sle-
ep? Having been caused to stand, p]ray,
in order that not any of you may enter into tem]ptation.
⁴⁷Yet however He was speaking, b]ehold!
A crowd and the one being called Yahuw]dah,
one of the Twelve, was approaching with t]h[e]m,
and having neared, he kisse]d the Yahushua.
⁴⁸Yahushua so said to him, "Yahuwdah, wi]th a k[iss

^a Copious amounts of
manuscripts omit what are
usually verses 43-44
(including the oldest
manuscript of Lucus - ~~9~~75),
but few also omit verse 42
as well. The only
explanation for this is
possibly the fact that the
scribe thought that
Yahushua praying for the
cup to be taken from Him
was either beneath God in
the flesh, or cowardly.

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Verso

Lucus 22:58b-62

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Lucus 22:58b-62

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⁵⁸ιδων] αυ[τ]ω ε[φη και συ εξ αυτων ει
ο δε ειπεν [ΑΝΕ ουκ ειμι ⁵⁹και δι
αστασης ωσ]ει ωρας αλλος τις διΐσχυ
ριζετο λεγ[ων επ αληθειας και
ουτος ην μ]ετ αυτου και γαρ Γα
λ[ι]λαιος εστ[ιν] ⁶⁰ειπε δε ο Πετρος
Α[Ν]Ε ουκ οι[δα] ο λεγεις και ετι
αυτου λαλου[ντος παραχημα
εφωνησεν [αλεκτωρ ⁶¹και στρα
φεις ο Πετρ[ος ενεβλεψεν αυ

⁵⁸Having seen] h[i]m, af]firmed, "Also you out of them exist!"
The however said, ["Man, not I exist." ⁵⁹And hav-
ing stood for ab]out an hour, another person was as-
serting, sayi[ng], "Upon truth also
this one existed wi]th Him, also for Ga-
l[i]lahen he exi]sts." ⁶⁰Said but the Petros,
"M[a]n, not I ackn[owledge what you say." And as still
he was speak[ing, immediately
sounded [a rooster. ⁶¹And having t-
urned, the Petr[os looked at H-

τω τοτε [υπεμνησθη ο Πετρος
του ρημ[ατος του Κυ ως ειπεν
αυτω π[ριν αλεκτορα φωνησαι ση
μερον [απαρνηση με τρις ⁶² και

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im, then [remembered the Petros
the mess[age of the Master, when He said
to him, "Be[fore a rooster sounds, to-
day [you shall completely reject Me thrice." ⁶² And