

## Papyrus 118: Dated to Late Third Century CE Containing Romans 15:26-27, 32-16:1, 4-7, 11-12

### Transcription and Direct Word Translation

#### Recto - Fragment 1

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<sup>26</sup>ευδοκησαν γαρ Μακε]δονια  
και Αχ]αιαν κοι[νωνια]ν τινα  
ποιη]σασθαι ε[ις τους] πτω  
χους] των αγιω[ν των ε]ν ΙΔΔΗΜ  
<sup>27</sup>ευδ]οκησαν γαρ [και οφειλεται  
εισιν]. [αυτ]ων ει γαρ [τοις πνευ  
ματικοις αυτω]ν ε[κοινωνησαν

#### Romans 15:26-27a

#### Front Side of Leaf - Fragment 1

#### Romans 15:26-27a

<sup>26</sup>Considered well for Make]dona  
and Ach]aia fell[owshi]p certain  
to have pro]cured on beh[alf of the] po-  
or] of those set-ap[art, those i]n Yarushalaim.  
<sup>27</sup>They consi]dered well for [also debtors  
they exist]. [of the]m. Whether for [in the spiri-  
tual thei]r we[re fellows

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#### Recto - Fragment 2

(Upper section unable to be determined)

<sup>32</sup>υ]μας δια θ[εληματος ΘΥ  
σ]υναναπ[αυσω]μα[ι υμιν  
<sup>33</sup>ο] δε ΘΣ της ειρηνης μ[ε  
τ]α παντ[ω]ν υμων αμ[ην  
<sup>16:1</sup>συν]ιστ[η]μι δε υμιν [Φοι  
βην τη]ν αδε[λφην ημων

#### Romans 15:32-16:1a

#### Front Side of Leaf - Fragment 2

#### Romans 15:32-16:1a

<sup>32</sup>you all through d[esire of God  
I ma]y be refresh[ed tog]ether[r with you all.  
<sup>33</sup>The] however God of tranquillity be tog[eth-  
er wi]th every[on]e of you. Certa[inly.  
<sup>16:1</sup>I c]omm[e]nd so to you all [Phoe  
be th]e sis[ter our

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Verso - Fragment 1*(Upper section unable to be determined)*

<sup>4</sup>αι εκκλησιαι των εθν]ων  
<sup>5</sup>και την κατ οικον αυτ]ων  
εκκλησιαν ασπασα]σθε  
Επαινετον τον αγα]πητον  
μ[ου ος] εστιν [απαρχη της  
Ασ[ι]ας εις ΧN<sup>6</sup> α[σπασασθε]  
Μαριανητις π[ολλα εκοπι  
ασεν ε[ις] υμας  
<sup>7</sup>ασπασε[σθ]ε [Ανδρονικον

Romans 16:4-7aReverse Side of Leaf - Fragment 1Romans 16:4-7a

<sup>4</sup>the Ekklesia's of the nat]ions,  
<sup>5</sup>and the according house the]ir  
Ekklesia. Wel]come  
Epainetus the bel]oved  
m[y, whom] exists [firstfruits of the  
As[i]a inside Messiah. <sup>6</sup>W[elcome]  
Miriam, who nu[merous labo-  
ured on beh[alf of] you all.  
<sup>7</sup>Welc[om]e [Andronicus

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<sup>11</sup>ασπασ]ασθε τ[ους εκ των  
Ναρκι]σσου το[υς οντας  
εν]: [K]Ω<sup>12</sup> ασπα[σασθε]  
Τ]ρυφαναν<sup>a</sup> και [Τρυφωσαν]  
τας κοπιωσα[ς εν ΚΩ  
ασ[πασασθε Περσιδα την

Romans 16:11-12aReverse Side of Leaf - Fragment 2Romans 16:11-12a

<sup>a</sup> Altered to τρυφαιναν by  
adding a *υ* superlinearly.

<sup>11</sup>Welc]ome th[ose from the  
Narci]ssus th[e existing  
in]: [Yah]uweh. <sup>12</sup>Wel[come  
Τ]ryphaena<sup>a</sup> and [Tryphosa,  
those labouri[ng in Yahuweh.  
We[lcome Persida the

<sup>a</sup> Initial reading is a variant  
spelling of the name  
Tryphaena, so no change of  
meaning.

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