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Leaf from a Book of Hours

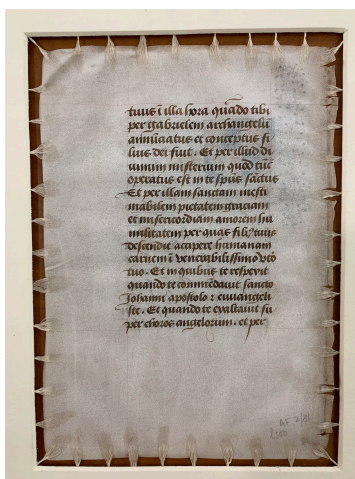
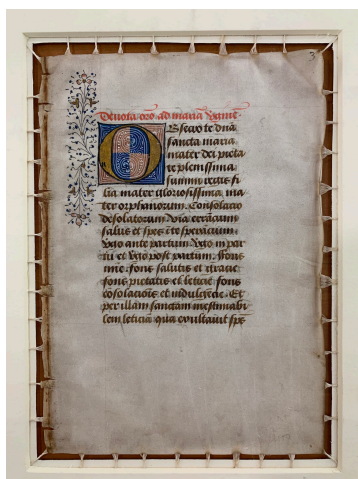
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The opening prayer *Obsecro te* (incomplete) of the Hours of the Virgin Mary.

The transcription attempts to follow the layout of the page of 17 lines and retains the original punctuation marks of the text, with rubrics indicated in red. Expanded scribal abbreviations are underlined>.

Transcribed by R. Faunce, April 2023.



- 1 *Deuota oro ad maria uirgine.*
- 2 *OBsecro te domina*
- 3 *sancta maria*
- 4 *mater dei pieta-*
- 5 *te plenissima*
- 6 *summi regis fi-*
- 7 *lia mater gloriosissima ma-*
- 8 *ter orphanorum. Consolacio*
- 9 *desolatorum. Uia errancium*
- 10 *salus et spes in te sperancium.*
- 11 *Uirgo ante partum. Uirgo in par-*

12 tu et Uirgo post partum. Fons  
13 misericordie. fons salutis et gracie  
14 fons pietatis et leticie fons  
15 consolacionis et indulencie. Et  
16 per illam sanctam ineffimabi-  
17 lem<sup>1</sup> leticiam qua exultaui spiritus

[verso]

1 tuus in illa hora quando tibi  
2 per gabrielem archangelum  
3 annunciatus et conceptus fi-  
4 lius dei fuit. Et per illud di-  
5 uinum misterium quod tunc  
6 operatus est in te spiritus sanctus  
7 Et per illam sanctam ineffi-  
8 mabilem<sup>2</sup> pietatem graciam  
9 et misericordiam amorem hu-  
10 militatem per quas filius tuus  
11 descendit accipere humanam  
12 carnem in uenerabilissimo utero  
13 tuo. Et in quibus te respexit  
14 quando te commendauit sancto  
15 Iohanni apostolo et euuangelii-  
16 ste. Et quando te exaltaui su-  
17 per choros angelorum. et per

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<sup>1</sup>spelling *ineffabilem*

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