

# Bibel in der Kunst / Bible in the Arts

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- **Book:**

Joyce, P.M. / Lipton, D., *Lamentations Through the Centuries* (Blackwell Bible Commentaries), 2013

- **Article in journal:**

Smelik, K.A.D., *The Witch of Endor: I Samuel 28 in Rabbinic and Christian Exegesis till 800 A.D.*, *Vigiliae Christianae* 33 (1979), 160–179

- **Article in an edited collection:**

Zika, Ch., *Recasting Images of Witchcraft in the Later Seventeenth Century: The Witch of Endor as Ritual Magician*, in: S. Broomhall (ed.), *Gender and Emotions in Medieval and Early Modern Europe: Destroying Order, Structuring Disorder*, 2015

- **Article in Festschrift:**

Zika, Ch., *Reformation, Scriptural Precedent and Witchcraft: Johann Teufel's Woodcut of „The Witch of Endor“*, in: I. Breward (ed.), *Reforming the Reformation* (FS P. Matheson), 2004, 148–166

- **Article in Encyclopedia:**

Hutzli, J. / Cohen, M.Z. / Leneman, H. / Zika, C. / Burnette-Bletsch, Rh., *Art. En-Dor, Medium of,*

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ʾ, b/v, g, d, h, w, z, ḥ, ṭ, j, k/lkh, l, m, n, s, ʿ, p/f, ś, q, r, ś, š, t

ā (â) Qāmæš (ḥāṭûf), a, æ, e, i, o, u, ə (mobile), ă (â), ą, ă

with mater lectionis: (jod) é î æ, (waw) û ô

- Greek:

a, b, g, d, e, z, ē, th, i, k, l, m, n, x, o, p, r, s, t, y, ph, ch, ps, ō

eu / au / ou = eu / au / ou.

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Gen, Exod, Lev, Num, Deut, Josh, Judg, Ruth, 1 Sam, 2 Sam, 1 Kgs (Kgdms),  
2 Kgs (Kgdms), 1 Chr, 2 Chr, Ezra, Neh, Esth, Ps, Prov, Job, Eccl / Qoh, Song, Isa,  
Jer, Lam, Ezek, Dan, Hos, Joel, Amos, Obad, Jonah, Mic, Nah, Hab, Zeph, Hag,  
Zech, Mal,  
Tob, Jdt, 1 Macc, 2 Macc, Wis, Sir, Bar,  
Mtt, Mark, Luke, John, Acts, Rom, 1 Cor, 2 Cor, Gal, Eph, Phil, Col, 1 Thess,  
2 Thess, 1 Tim, 2 Tim, Titus, Phlm, Heb, Jac, 1 Pet, 2 Pet, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John,  
Jude, Rev.

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