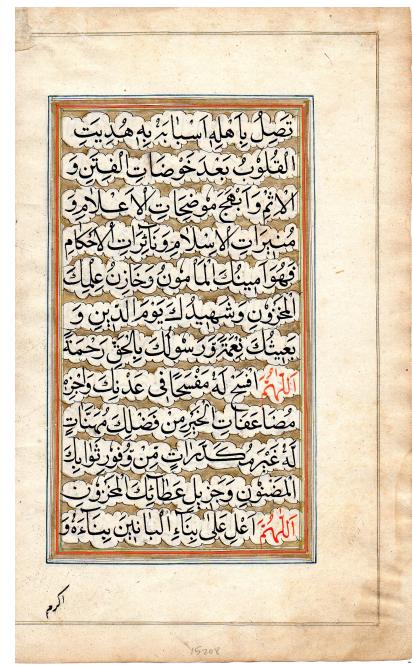
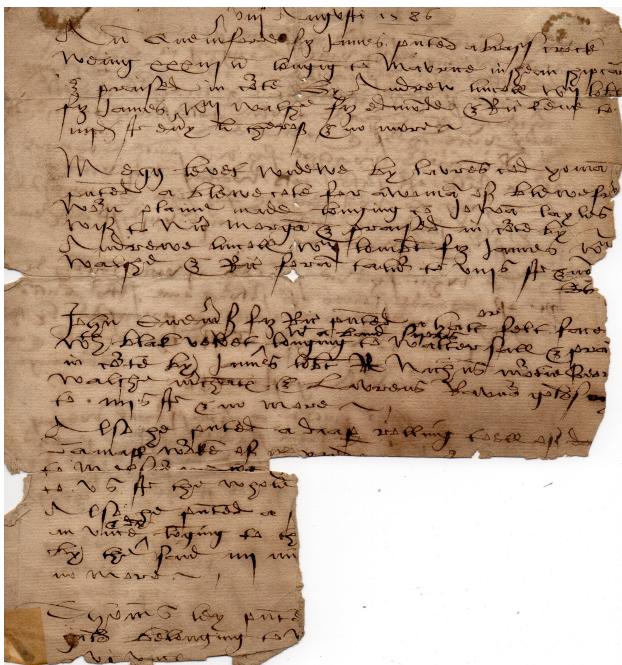
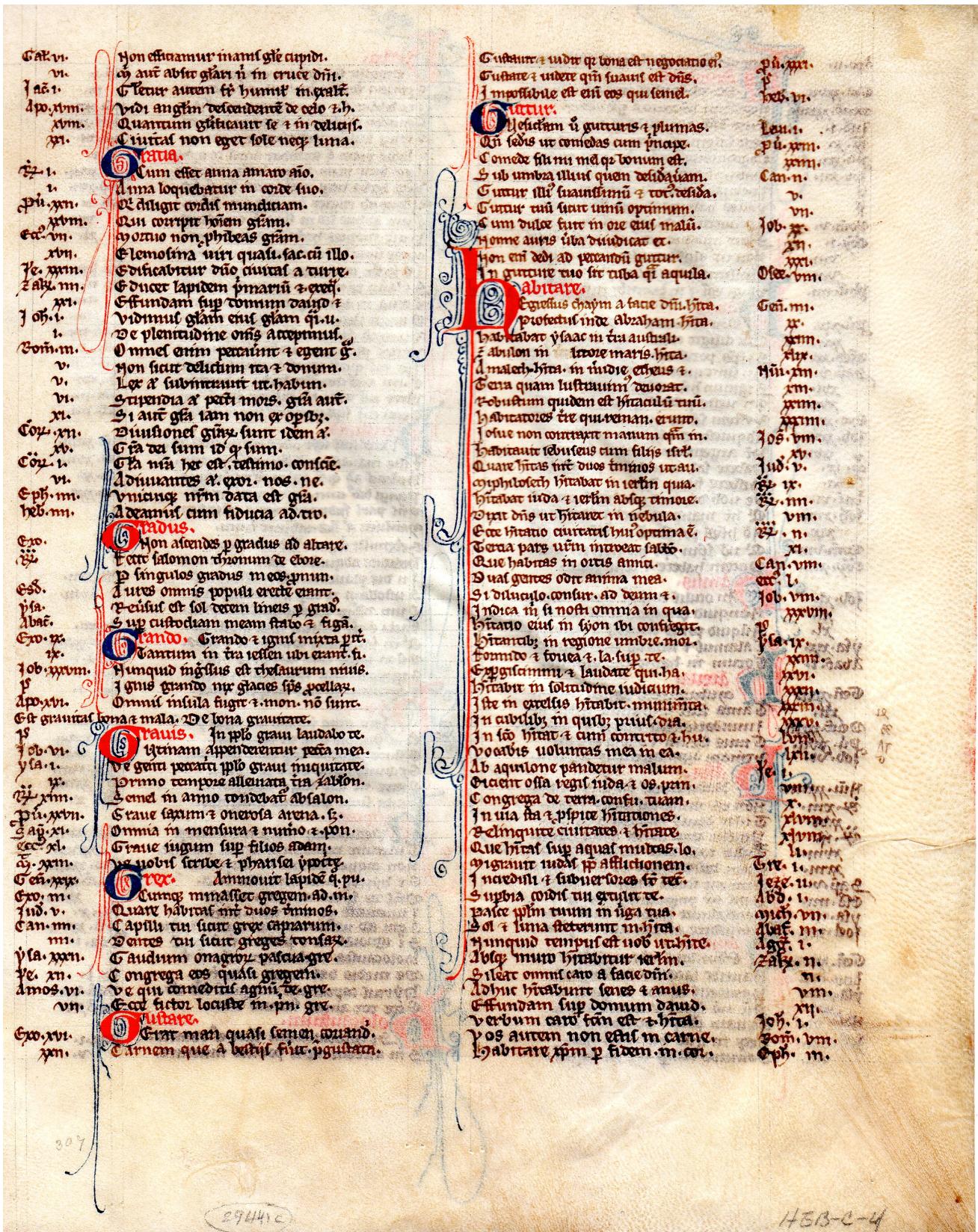




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Leaf from an English theologian's bible with two column Latin text in a protogothic hand, on vellum, 1225, providing an index to Biblical subjects. Versals in red and blue. (Original size 207 by 255mm)

JANUARY

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1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	6	7
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15 MLK Day (USA)	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

dno dicitur magia. Et secund
omni pte dñe dñm. Sicutan
tes manus suas intinxerat se
et adoraverunt deum in terra pte
dno resuscitatis latini et semet ipsa
tu dominus septem omnia misericordia ce
lita exaltata exaltata domini pte
la laute scientiam sanctam etiam i
usculo ad dominandum legem pte
pulic autem fratibus in gradu
legem autem illico legem dei aut
trinitatem in melius gerendam ut intel
legantur cu legem dñm. Dico au
tem curiosis. ipse est archetypus et
exclusus sacerdotum et fratrum et clerorum
interpretatio unus pte. De
scriptus est dno deo aro non
re fugere et volere fieri. Sicut
cum omnis pte cu audiret ab
legis et dñm es. Intercedere
prosperitate et bice nullum ruit
tunc parcer ei qd ppter
et op fidei dñi et in nobilitate
caecari. Sicut enim dominus ea
fortitudine misericordia leuite aut nobilitate
tulit sanctificans in omni pte dñm
Cetero qd pte fidei et in nobilitate suo
re dolere. Vbi tunc omnis pte
et comedentes et intercessores
et fraterem letitiam magia
qd intellectus illa qd docuat
est. Et in die fidei congregant
sunt principes familias un
ius pte sacerdotes et leuite ad es
tiam sanctam ut interpretantur
et illa regis. Et inueniuntur
scriptum in lege ppter pte.
dñs in manu moysi ut hinc
filii isrl in tabernaculo i die
sollemni misse. Vt tunc pre
dictum et indulgentia uite uni
tus in vobis suis et certi di
centes. Exceduntur i monte
et afferte frondes olivae frond
es ligni pulcherrimi. frondes
ligni venenososi ut facta
tabernacula sint sancta et
Et ingressus est omnis pte et

tulerunt secundum sacerdotiam
uniusquis i domino suo in
datus sum in datus dominus
in plena parte aquarum et pla-
rea parte aquarum equum. **Ec-**
cce ex quo uniuscadae eoz qui redi-
erant de captivitate calvina
colla cibis aduerterat i calvinitatu-
m. Non enim fecerant a die
bi iustie filii tam calviter filii
vel ubi ad diem filii et sunt le-
titia magna nimis. Legitram
in libro legi dei per dies singulos
a die punito usque ad diem novi
lunii. **Ecce** secundum sollemnita-
tem. **V.** die diebus in die. **V.** col-
lectam iungimus. **I.** In die ante
xvi mensis iunii auerteret
filii dei in reuictu et in sacra
et humis super eos et separari et
certi filiorum vel ab omni filio
alienigenarum et tunc etiam confite-
runtur pro saudis misericordiis
pro iuxta et tunc recurrunt ad
standum et regerunt i volumine
legis dei dei sui quae in die
quarum i necto confitebantur et
adorabantur deum dei sui. **Sur-**
irent autem super gradus leuitatum
colue et laudet eadem helle, secura
aliam scribere tam et chaum.
et clauderent utre magna ad
diuum deum suum. et dñe leuite
solueret eadem helle cum assebia
scribere amba. **Q**uam februa
phataria. **S**urgit et vindicatur
deo dō mō ab ecclasio et ruppi-
ecū et vindicant nō ḡne tue
excellē in ornatū vindicauerat
de rōut et rāvali. **T**u ipse dñe lo-
lus tu fecisti celum celorum
romane extitum eoz tunc
uniuscadae in ea sit. maria i
omnia q̄ in eius sit. tu unius-
cas omnia h̄ et rectus celū te
adoretur. **T**u ipse dñe dē q̄ ele-
gisti abraham et rediuerter
de igne chaldeorū et impolus
et non abrahām et uniuscadae

*...m. s. acis b. odis. v. f. c. q. n. t. ap-
atue utim. e. ut dissoluta m. b. p. f. n. g. a. s.
figt illo. q. p. r. p. atut. p. s. l. o. n. e. p.*

Leaf from a French Bible 1250. Latin text in two columns of 49 lines each in a tiny bookhand (equivalent to about 5.5pt in modern terms) on vellum. Black Early Gothic script with some red and blue rubrication. There is some even smaller handwritten text (commentary/notes?) in brown ink. (Original size 100 by 148mm)

FEBRUARY

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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19 Presi- dents' Day (USA)	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28				

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videtur simul se uadisse q̄ carnis lingua nō sūt
facer simul dicit. Qui nō p̄. iiii. alia t̄ pfectos of
siḡificari diximus. considerandum r̄b est. quosdam
loq̄z t̄ an legem finisse. qui naturali lege distinde
uiueret. t̄ op̄ deo placeret. Post alia ergo iota des
cribitur. q̄ electorū multi ap̄ optante dñm pfecti
r̄an legem fuerūt. Quid uero alia solos ut dixim
eūgl̄istar detemus accip̄. est aliud adhuc q̄ consider
nre detemus. Videbat c̄ sc̄. pp̄ha. q̄ h̄ip̄a uerbi
q̄ abscurratib; obuoluta pferebat. nō iudaico
p̄lo s̄ gentilib; pndētire. Nob̄ ḡ logiq̄s p̄nt ad
lia t̄ p̄st iotā describ̄ debuit. q̄ nos ad fidem dñi lar
giente uidentes. nō p̄ legē eūgl̄m. s̄ p̄ sc̄m eūgl̄m
legem didicim̄. Vbi uero l̄ qual' iota appariuerit.
adumgit cum dic. Iuxta alia b̄is. uij. facies. Vbi
adhuc subde. Et iuxta r̄c. vij. t̄ op̄ eaz q̄ uisio ma
nis. t̄ una salitudo ip̄az t̄ op̄. raspat̄ eaz t̄ op̄. q̄ sit
iota in medio iotē. Quid est hoc q̄ cum una iota di
ceretur p̄t. o p̄t adumgit. q̄ sit iota i medio iotē.
d̄ q̄ i testam̄ uetus littera testam̄tum nouū latuit
p̄ allegoriā. Vñ t̄ iota eadem q̄ uij alia appariuit.
uij. facies p̄t describi. q̄ scriptura sac̄ p̄ utq̄ testam̄tū
i. uij. p̄t. est diuīcta. Verū t̄ ei testam̄tum i lege

Homilies of Gregory the Great, Italy mid 13th century. Early Gothic text in black ink on vellum.
There is some minor red highlighting. (Original size 101 by 146mm)

MARCH

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 Daylight Savings begins
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Summer Time begins
26	27	28	29	30 Good Friday	31	

neg; in mirabilib; super me.
Si non humiliter sentiebam sed
exaltauit animam meam
Sicut ablactatum est sup matre
sua ita retributio in anima mea.
Speret israel in domino: ex hoc
munc et usq; in seculum
Gloria a^r Cum iocunditate me
moniam beate marie celebremus ut
ipsa pro nobis intercedat ad dominum
M ihm ipm. pmmus
Emento salutis auctor quod
nostru condam corporis exilibata
virgine nascendo formam sumpiens
Maria mir gracie mater nuse
ncordie tu nos ab hoste protege in

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Leaf from a 1445 French Book of Hours. Gothic textura Quadrata text on vellum with versals in gold leaf alternately red and blue. (Original size 141 by 196mm)

APRIL

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
						1
2 Easter Monday	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 / 30	24	25	26	27	28	29

m vocē deprecationis mee.
En iniquitates obseruans
domine dñe: quis susticbit.
Culta apud te p̄ficiatioz:
et propter legem tuam su-
stinx te domine
Sustinxit aia mea i nbo-
nis: spauit aia mea i dño.
Acustodia matutina usq;
ad nocte: speret isrl in dño.
Capud dñm m̄ia: et co-
piosa apud cū redemptio.



Leaf from a 1450 French (possibly from Rheims) Book of Hours. Gothic Textura Quadrata Latin text on vellum in a black ink with versals in liquid gold on alternately red and blue grounds. Marginal floral decoration in green, red and blue with gold highlights. (Original size 95 by 143mm)

MAY

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 May Day Holiday (UK)	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Spring Holiday (UK), Memorial Day (USA)	29	30	31			



Leaf from a 14C French Book of Hours. Batârde Latin text on vellum in a light brown ink with versals in liquid gold on alternately red and blue grounds. The elegant scrolled paragraph endings are in red or blue. The outer margins are fully floriated using gold, green, red, brown, black and pink. A winged imp-like creature is in the middle of the floriation. (Original size 95 by 140mm)

JUNE

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

maria virgo spūs sancti
supuenerit in te et virtus
altissimū obubrabit tibi.
A. Ecce aualla dñi fiat
in dñi sōmū abū tūmū. **Q. pl.**
Beatam me dicent
bonies quātioēs
quia auallam humi
lein respexit deus. Deo
grās. **H. 2** Virgo dei
genitrix. **V.** Diffusa est
grā. **A.** Multis ē gabriel
anglūs. **P. S.** Benedic
ōro. Deus qui de bē
marie virgins. **V. d.**
prīma sicut pāmū.
C. Ad teua. **E. pl.**
Ecce virgo concipiet. **R.**
Spē tua et pulchrit. **V.**
Benedicta tu i. **A. D. vi.**
E. pl. Utām me di
cent. **R.** Adiuuabit cā
dī. **V.** Horate celi deluxer.
A. D. ix. cap. Paradisi
porta. **R.** Elegit cā deus.
V. Utām medit. **V. d.**
V. s. t. p. s. A. Utām
me dicent om̄is genera
tiones quia auallam
humile respexit deus.
Q. pl. Ecce virgo cona

piet. **R.** Nascerit nob.
H. 2 Nue maris stella.
V. Diffusa ē grā. **A.** O
virgo virginū quomodo
fiet istud. quia nec pūta
auilem uisa es nechē
sequente. filie ihūi quid
me auirauī diuinū est
misteriū hoc quod cātis.
P. S. **G. o. o.** Deus qui
te bē marie. **M.** Marie
egypciac. **A. D. v. s. sup**
P. S. A. Emulsiones tue.
paradisi ualor pīnu
torū cū pomorū fructibus
alla. **E. pl.** Qui glātē
in dñō. **H. 2** Iūus
obtentu. quere i coi
virginī. **V.** Spea tua.
A. Scuauat fortitudine lu
bos suos. **P. S.** **M. o. o.**
Deuotum tibi po
pulum lempis
sime deus deuenter
exaudi. ut qui pīo ac
fectu leuāndam bē
marie egypciac reo
lit soleūtate. ei' mer
itis apud te pīo obti
neat remissionem.
Per dñm nūm ihūm.

Leaf from a French Ferial Psalter and Breviary, 1472. Latin text in two columns of 31 lines each on vellum. Text is in a brown ink and slightly sloping script that has elements of both Gothic Textura Quadrata and Rotunda. Two-line versals in red or blue and some text in red. (Original size 146 by 213mm)

JULY

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
						1
2	3	4 Independence Day (USA)	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 / 30	24 / 31	25	26	27	28	29

tor meus et protector meus tu es
dñe deus meus ne tardaueris :::
Ego domini dominus misericordie mei
sanctam animam meam quia peccavi
tibi. **D**ucale faciem tuam auertie
oblivisci me in opere meo: tribula-
tionis mī. **E**vige domine ad
uicia nos: et liberanos propterno
mē tui. **D**iscreve mei deus se-
cundū magnā misericordiā tuā. **E**t
secundū multitudinē misera-
tione tuacum dele iniquitatē meā
En plūs laua me ab inqui-
tate mīca: et a peccato meo mi da
me. **A**uerte faciem tuam a pec-
catis meis et omnes iniquitates
meas dele. **C**or secundū area ī
me deus: et spiritū rectū innouas
inscribis meis. **E**xaudiās me
a facie tua: et spūm sanctum tuū

Leaf from a Flemish Book of Hours, 1520. Batârde Latin text in faded black ink on vellum, with one-line initials in gold on a red background. (Original size 89 by 114mm)

AUGUST

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 Summer Holiday (UK)	28	29	30	31		

May 1586

In the morn by James. paid a brys worth
Wooly eeven to buying a Mabine in an Apparell
3 pence in the Sr Andrew lace very late
by James. Very wylle for dñe & his sonne to
buye & dye the geese & no more.

M day leves Wadens by hir selfe and sonne
paid a shillone rate for a minge of shewes
Wooly plaine made buying to Jhon Taylors
wife & his minge & paied in vnde the
Andewnes lace very late by James. very
wylle & the fowle calld to buye at 3d
each

From Edward by the purer
of black robes buying to Master Pyle & paied
in vnde by James. to the Minge of master Pyle
wylle wylle & Labours labours yester
day 15th & no more ~

I haue purid a drap wth my fesse of
Tawape wth a red
for an eell ~

to ~ 6. At the wgs
I haue purid a
in vnde buying to
the 15th & paid my son
no more ~

Sixtysix by pur
gilt belonging to
the wgs

Partial page from an Elizabethan diary or journal, 1586. Handwriting in black ink on paper
(Original size 203 by 203mm)

SEPTEMBER

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
					1	2
3 Labor Day USA, Labour Day Canada	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30



Leaf from a *Delail-ul-Kharat*, c.1690. Arabic text in black with Persian translation in red below. Border in gold and light blue with commentary in the margin. The author was Mohammed Azeem for Nawab Sadullah Khan who was Prime Minister of the Mughal Emperor Shah Jehan — the builder of the Taj Mahal — and of his son and successor Aurangzib. (Original size 119 by 192mm)

OCTOBER

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8 Columbus Day (USA)	9	10 Thanksgiving (Canada)	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 End Summer Time
29	30	31				

وَقَالَ الَّذِينَ لَا يَرْجِعُونَ لَقَاءً لَنْزَلَ

مَا عَلِ الْكَافِرُونَ عَسِيرًا

وَمَنْ يَعْصِي الظَّالِمَ عَلَيْهِ يَدُهُ مَوْلَانَا الْمُسْتَغْفِرُ لِكُلِّ
سَبِيلٍ يَا مَقْرُونَ شَهِيدُ الْأَمْرِ وَلَا تَخْلِلْ أَعْدَادَ
ضَيْعَةِ عَنِ التَّعْرِفِ بِعَدَّ الْحَادِيَةِ وَكَانَ السَّيْطَانُ لِلْمُهْمَنْ
خَذِلُوا وَفَلَلَ الرَّسُولُ يَلْزَمُهُنَّ فَوَيْيَ اسْتَعْدَدُ هَذَا الْمُرْ
مَهْمُورٌ وَكَذَلِكَ حَعْلَنَا كُلُّ نَمْرُوعٍ مِنَ الْجَمِيرِ

وَكَفَى بِرِبِّكَ هَادِيًّا وَنَصِيرًا

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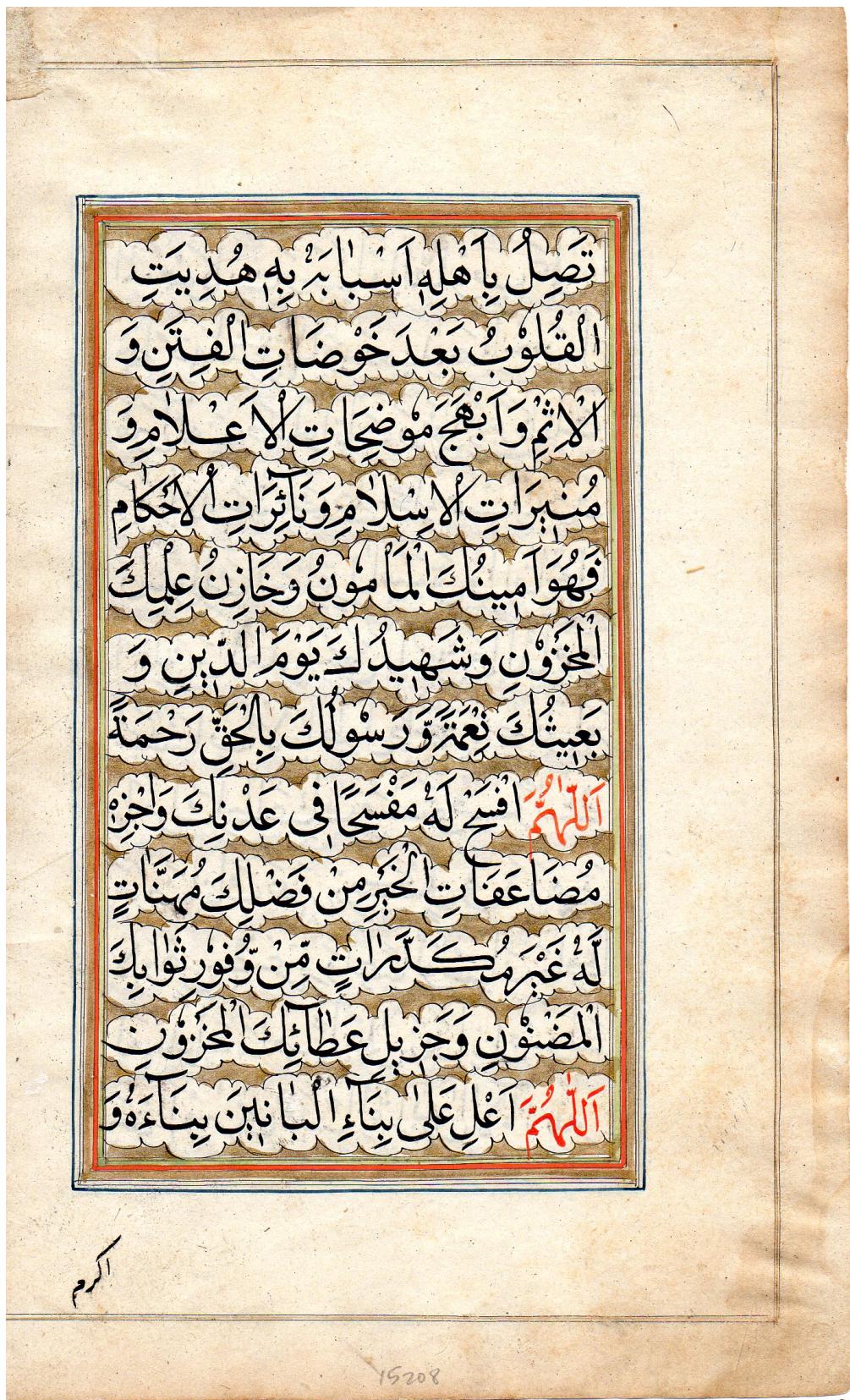


Leaf from an Indian Koran, 17th century. Arabic text on burnished paper. Text in bold script in black or gold; the marginal discs are in blue and gold. The leaf shows verses 14 through 31 of Chapter 25, *al-Farqan* (The Criterion). (Original size 89 by 152mm)

NOVEMBER

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1	2	3	4 Daylight Savings ends
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 Veterans' Day (USA)	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22 Thanksgiving (USA)	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		



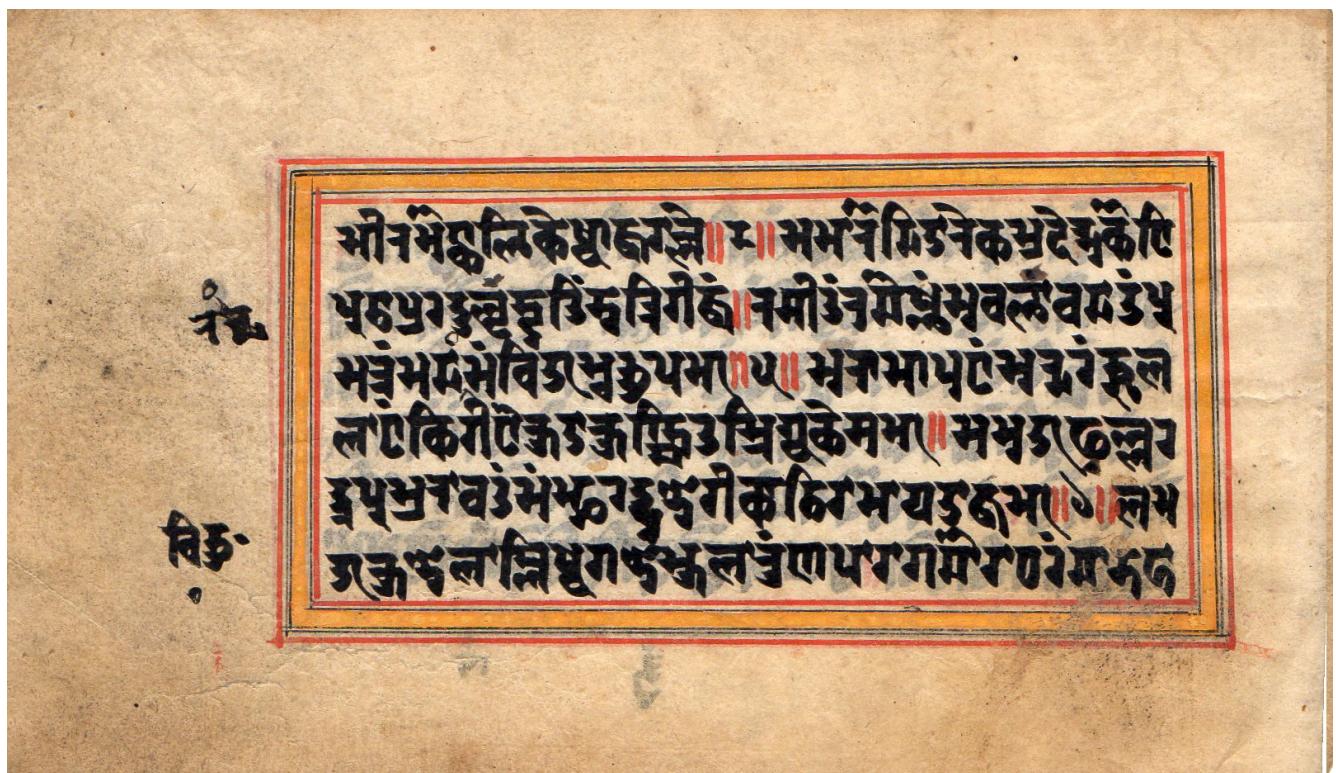
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Probably a leaf from an Indian 19 c. Delail-ul-Kharat. Text in black with interlinear cloud decoration in gold leaf on burnished paper. The border is in gold and blue. (Original size 121 by 190mm)

DECEMBER

2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 / 31	25 Christmas Day	26 Boxing Day	27	28	29	30



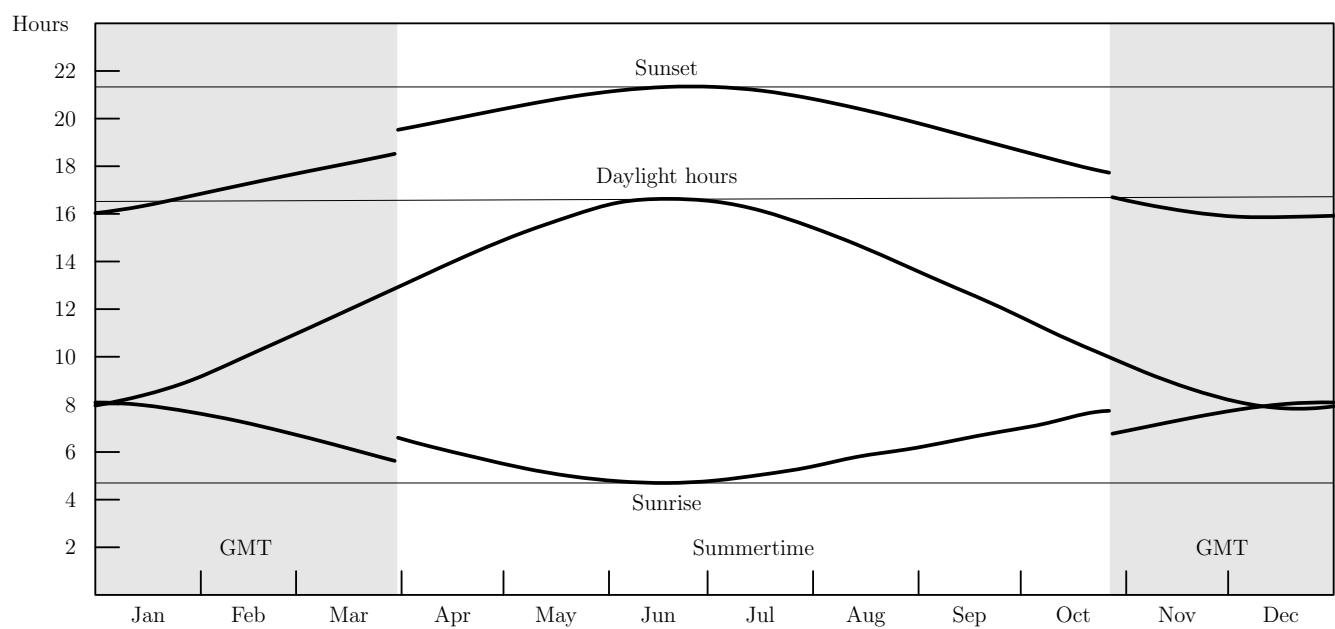
Kashmiri leaf from the Bhagavad Gita, c. 1800. Black script with a yellow, red and blue border on burnished paper. (Original size 83 by 140mm)

JANUARY

2019

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	1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	6
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 MLK Day (USA)	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

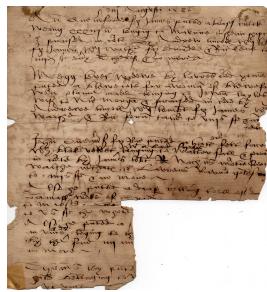
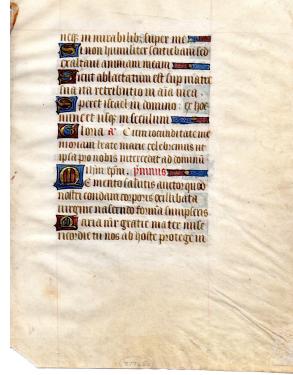
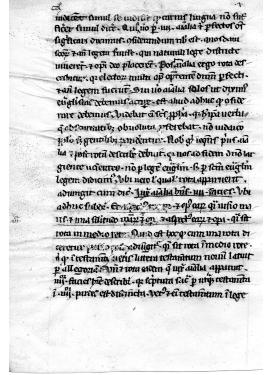
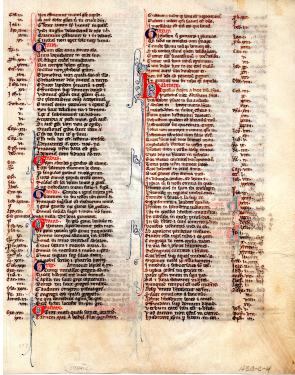
Sunrise and Sunset at Greenwich, London, UK ($51^{\circ} 28' 38''$ North, $0^{\circ} 0' 0''$ West)



FEBRUARY

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18 Presi- dents' (USA)	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28			



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