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Germany, s. XIII<sup>med</sup>

Wirnt von Gravenberg, Wigalois (Middle High German poem)

f. 1 //die mich minnen daz si mir gewinnen ... daz sin nimmen wrde gewar. inner des//

Wirnt von Gravenberg, Wigalois, II. 5589-5701; J. M. N. Kapteyn, ed., Wigalois

der Ritter mit dem Rede, von Wirnt von Gravenberc, Rheinische

Beitraege und

Huelsbuecher zur germanischen Philologie und Volkskunde 9 (Bonn, 1926), 235-9.

The text of these leaves is also printed by Christa Bertelsmeier-Kierst, "Zur

aeltesten Ueberlieferung des 'Wigalois': I. Die Handschrift E,"

Zeitschrift fuer

deutsches Altertum und deutsche Literatur 121 (1992): 275-90, here 287-88.

f. 2 //lit; noch uf dem velde unbegraben ... unze si da lagen bi im//

Wigalois, II. 9849-9965; Kapteyn, 417-21; Bertelsmeier-Kierst, 289-90.

Parchment. 2 folios. 150 x 100 mm (written space of fol. 1, 135 x 85 mm; written space of fol. 2, 138 x 87 mm). 1 column. Fol. 1 has 31 and fol. 2 has 33 lines. Dry-point ruling. Single vertical bounding lines. Prickings preserved in outer margins.

Written in gothic script (littera textualis). 1-line initials are in red uncials and are not set apart from the text. Other 1-line initials are in black highlighted with red. Punctuation consists of the punctus and the punctus elevatus. The text is not written according to lines of verse.

Other leaves from the same manuscript are preserved in Freiburg,

Universitaetsbibliothek,

445 (1 bifolium) and Vienna, Oesterreichische Nationalbibliothek, Cod. 14612 (3 bifolia). See

Bertelsmeier-Kierst, "Zur aeltesten Ueberlieferung des 'Wigalois'."

The leaves were used in a binding. The lower margin of fol. 1r has an illegible  
inscription in a fifteenth-century German cursive gothic hand.

Zinniker 140 A-B.