

## Melitius to Alexander of Alexandria (breviarium Melitii) (CPG 2123.23)

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Βρέβιον δοθέν παρὰ Μελιτίον Ἀλεξάνδρῳ τῷ ἐπισκόπῳ	A list given by Melitius to Alexander the bishop:
1. ἐγὼ Μελίτιος ἐν Λυκῶ	1. I, Melitius of Lycopolis,
Λούκιος ἐν Ἀντινόῳ	Lucius of Antinopolis,
Φασιλεὺς ἐν Ἑρμούπολει	Phasileus of Hermopolis,
Ἀχιλλεὺς ἐν Κουσαῖς	Achilles of Cusae,
5. Ἀμμώνιος ἐν Διοσπόλει	5. Ammonius of Diospolis,
< . . . > ἐν Πτολεμαίδι	... in Ptolemais,
Παχύμης ἐν Τεντύραις	Pachymes of Tentyrae,
< . . . > ἐν Μαξιμιανουπόλει	... in Maximianopolis,
Θεόδωρος ἐν Κόπτῳ	Theodorus of Coptus,
[ἐν Θηβαίδι]	... in Thebais,
10. Κάλῃς ἐν Ἑρμεθί	10. Cales of Hermethes,
Κόλλουθος ἐν τῇ ἄνω Κυνῶ	Colluthus of Upper Cynopolis,
Πελάγιος ἐν Ὄξυρύνχῳ	Pelagius of Oxyrynchus,
Πέτρος ἐν Ἡρακλέους	Peter of Heracleopolis,
Θέων ἐν Νειλουπόλει	Theon on Nilopolis,
15. Ἰσαὰκ ἐν Λητοῦς	15. Isaac of Letopolis,
Ἡρακλείδης ἐν Νικίους	Heraclides of Niciopolis,
Ἰσαὰκ ἐν Κλεοπατρίδι	Isaac of Cleopatris,
Μέλας ἐν Ἀρσενοίτῃ	Melas of Arsenoitis
< . . . > ἐν Ἡλίους	... in Heliopolis,
20. Ἀμὼς ἐν Λεόντων	20. Amos of Leontopolis,
Ἰσίων ἐν Ἀθριβί	Ision of Athribis,

< . . . > ἐν Φαρβεθῶ	... in Pharbethus,
Ἄρποκρατίων ἐν Βουβάστῳ	Harpocraton of Bubastus,
Μωσῆς ἐν Φακουσαῖς	Moses of Phacusae,
25. Καλλίνικος ἐν Πηλουσίῳ	25. Callinicus of Pelusium,
Εὐδαίμων ἐν Τάνει	Eudaemon of Tanis,
Ἐφραῖμ ἐν Θμουί	Ephraim of Thmuis,
< . . . > ἐν Σαί	... in Sais,
Ἑρμαίων ἐν Κυνῶ καὶ Βούσιρι	Hermaeon of Cynopolis and Busiris,
30. Σωτήριχος ἐν Σεβεννύτῳ	30. Soterichus of Sebennytus,
Πινινούθης ἐν Φθενεγύ	Pininuthes of Phthenegys,
Κρόνιος ἐν Μετήλι	Cronius of Metelis,
Ἀγαθάμμων ἐν τῇ Ἀλεξανδρέων χώρα	Agathammon of the district of Alexandria.
ἐν Μέμφι Ἰωάννης (κελευσθεὶς παρὰ τοῦ βασιλέως εἶναι μετὰ τοῦ ἀρχιεπισκόπου) Οἱ μὲν ἐν Αἰγύπτῳ οὗτοι, τῶν δὲ ἐν Ἀλεξανδρείᾳ εἶχε κληρικῶν·	In Memphis, John who was ordered by the Emperor to be with the Archbishop. These are those of Egypt. And the clergy that he had in Alexandria were
35. Ἀπολλώνιος πρεσβύτερος	35. Apollonius the presbyter,
Εἰρηναῖος πρεσβύτερος	Irenaeus the presbyter,
Διόσκορος πρεσβύτερος	Dioscorus the presbyter,
Τύραννος πρεσβύτερος	Tyrannus the presbyter.
Διάκονοι	The deacons:
Τιμόθεος διάκονος	Timotheus the deacon,
40. Ἀντίνοος διάκονος	40. Antinous the deacon,
Ἡφαιστίων διάκονος	Hephaestion the deacon,
καὶ Μακάριος πρεσβύτερος τῆς Παρεμβολῆς	and Macarius the presbyter of Preamble.

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