

Latin tituli from Charlemagne to carolingian Mannerism (saec.VIII-X)

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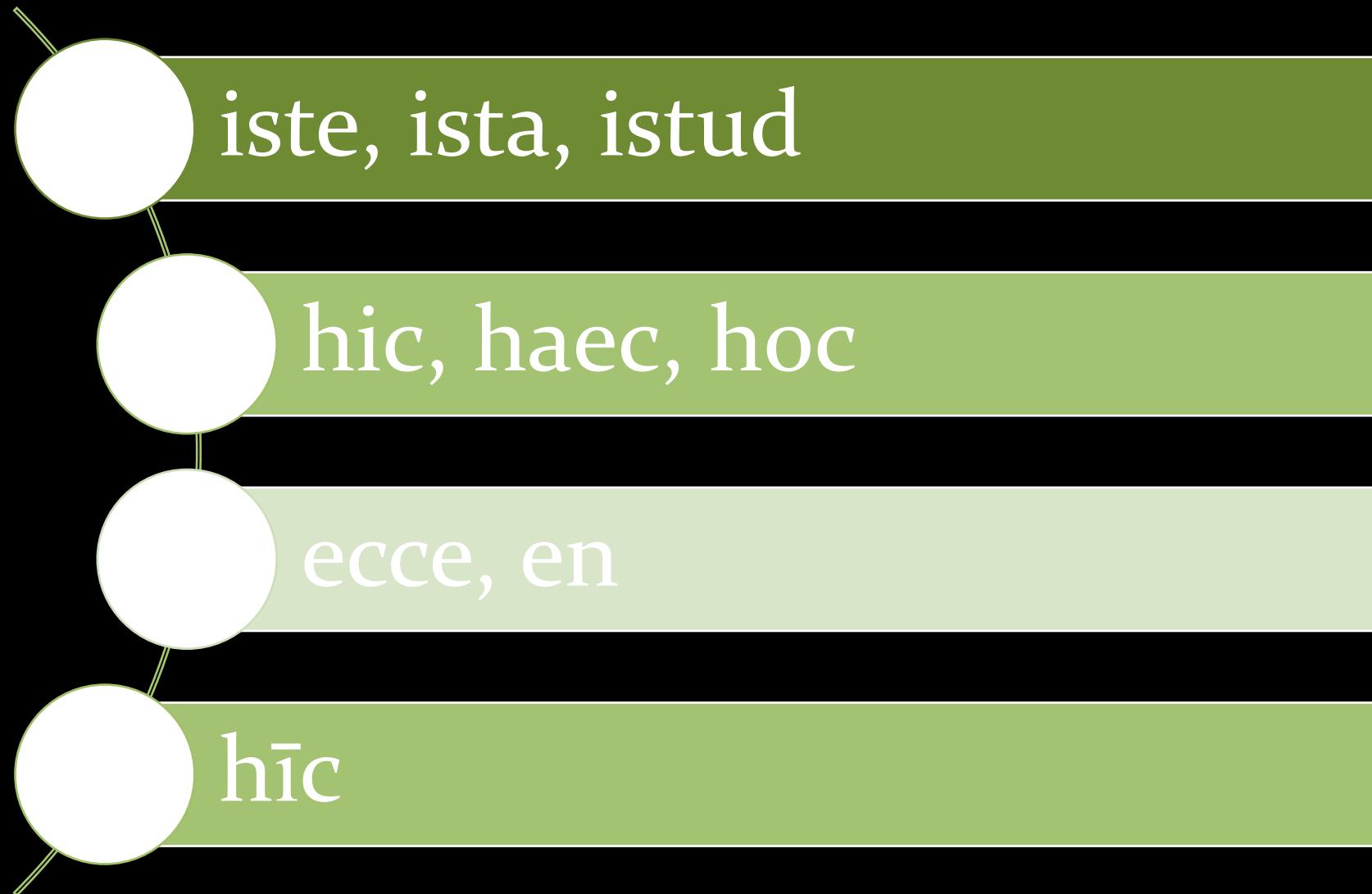
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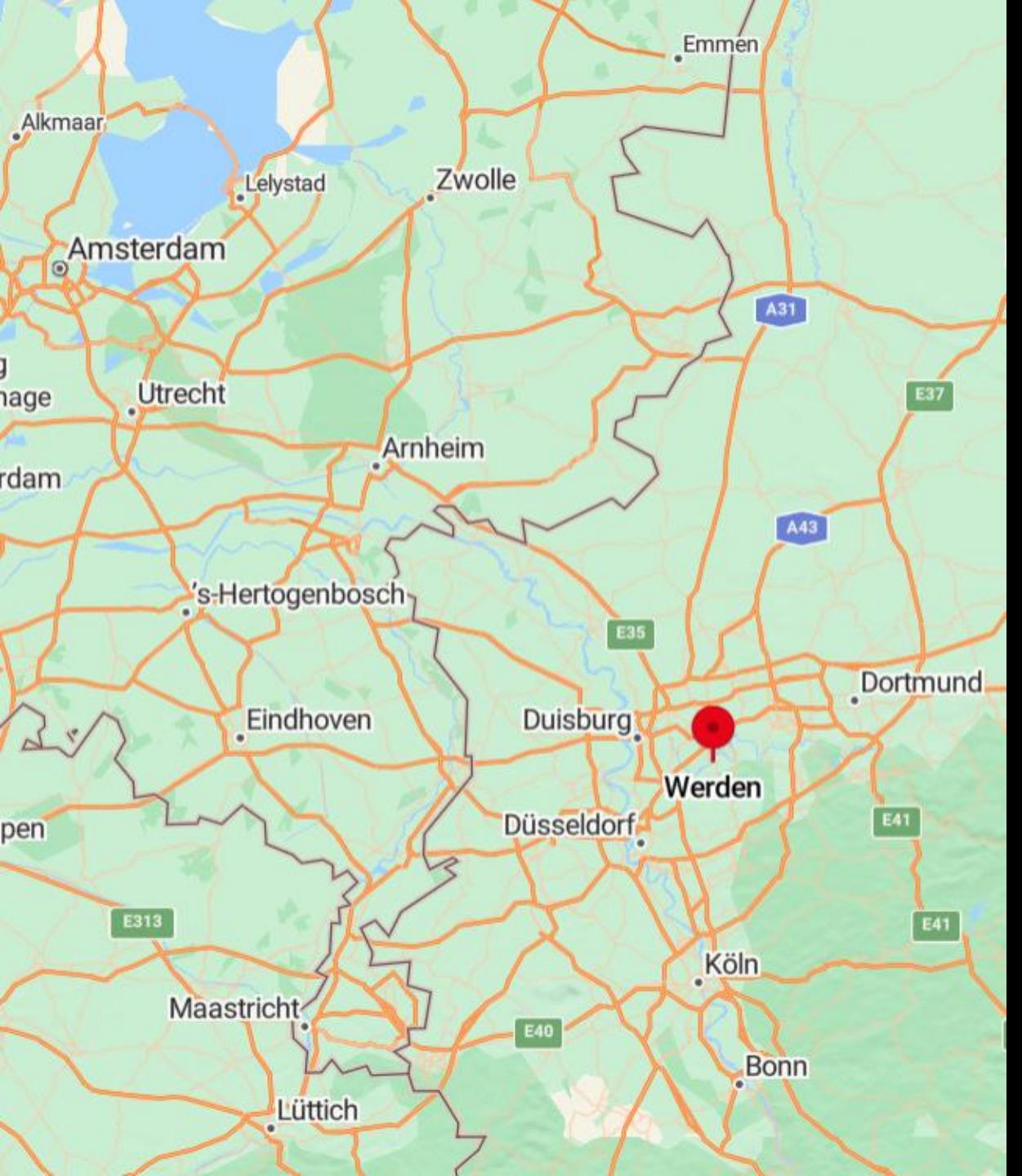
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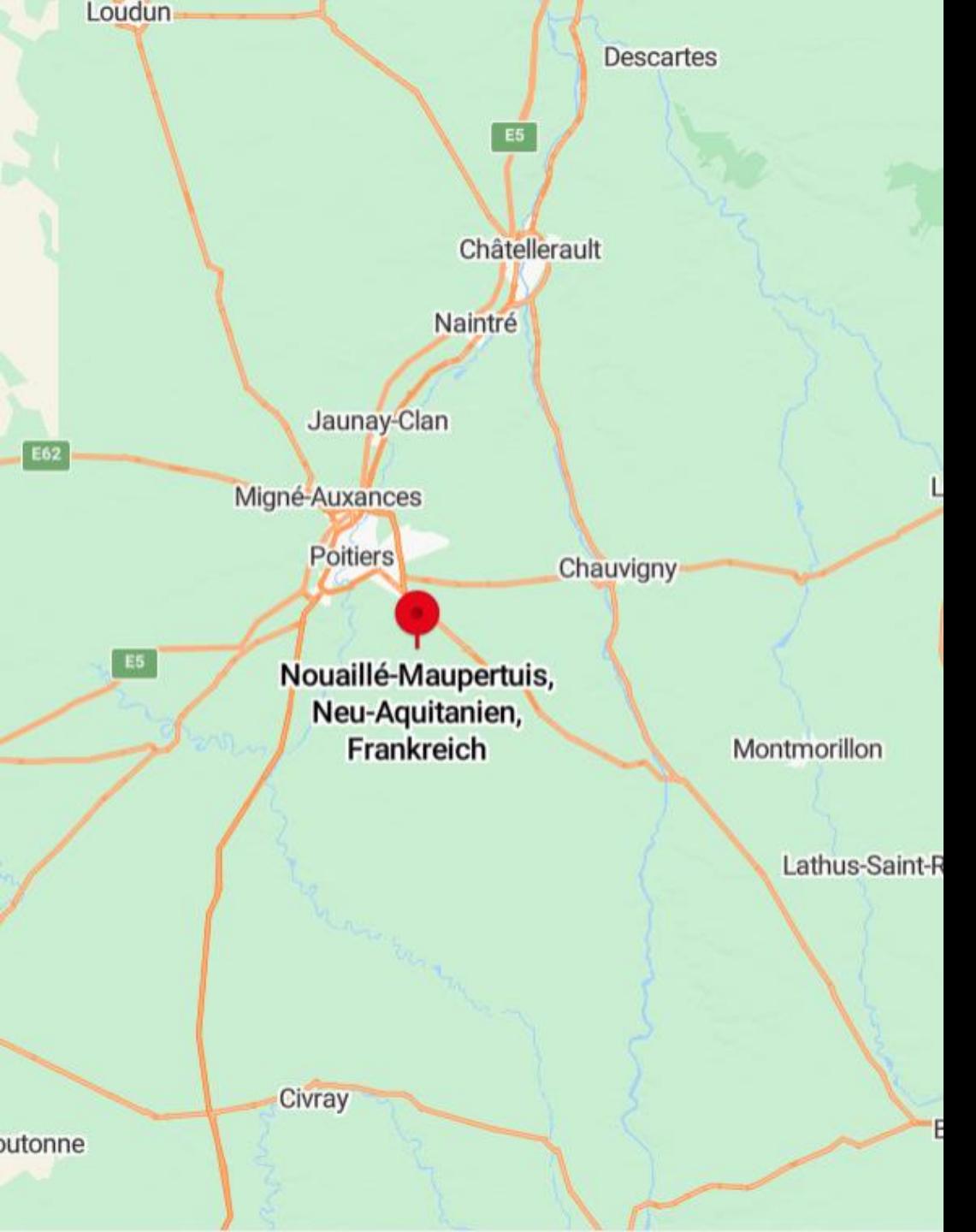
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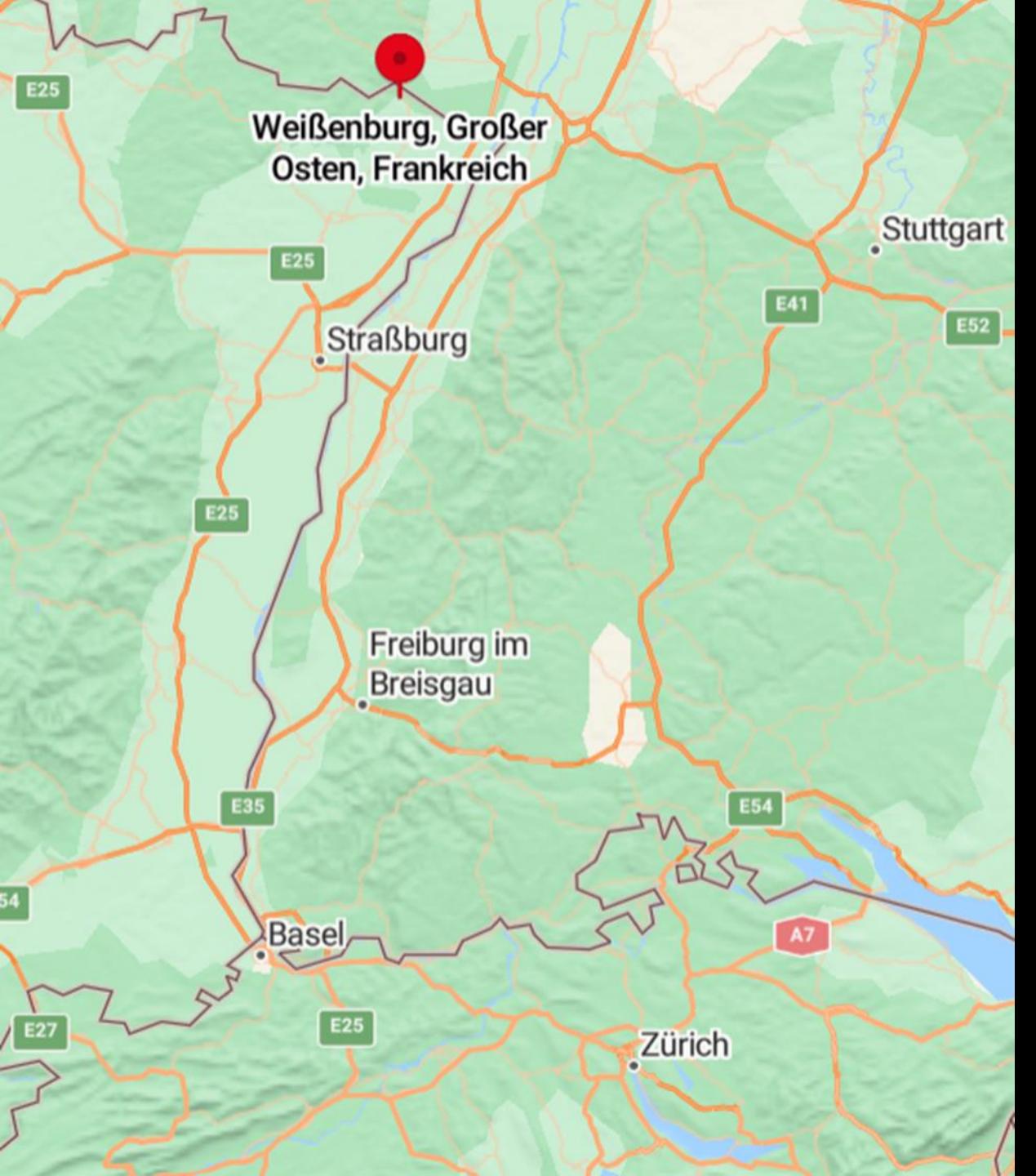




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Quod pie praesumunt dedere posce deum.

Also this chapel, venerable virgin, mother of
God, / Grimalt adorned to worship you. /
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Hanc **pius** Andreas meritis tutabitur aram

Alkuin, carm.CX.1, v.1.

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gate, ignite your soul with prosperous eagerness. / By
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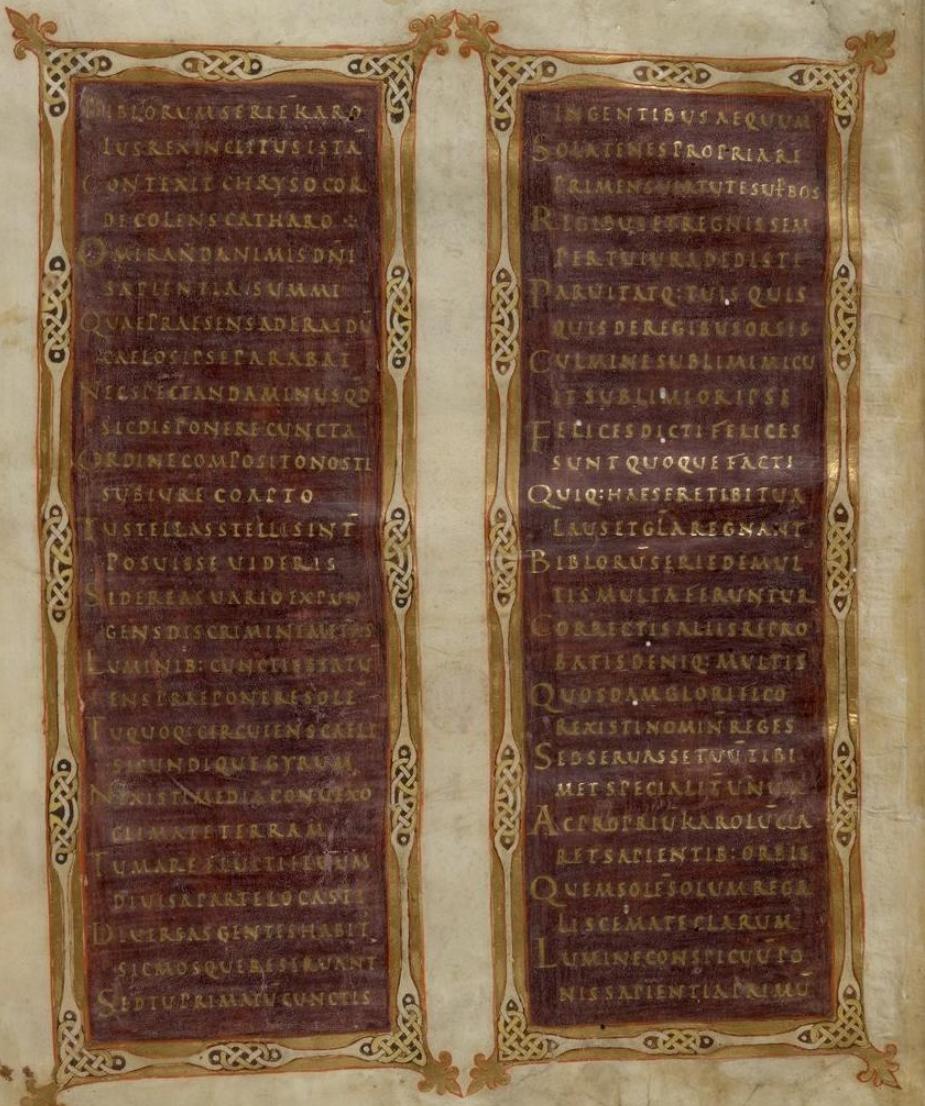
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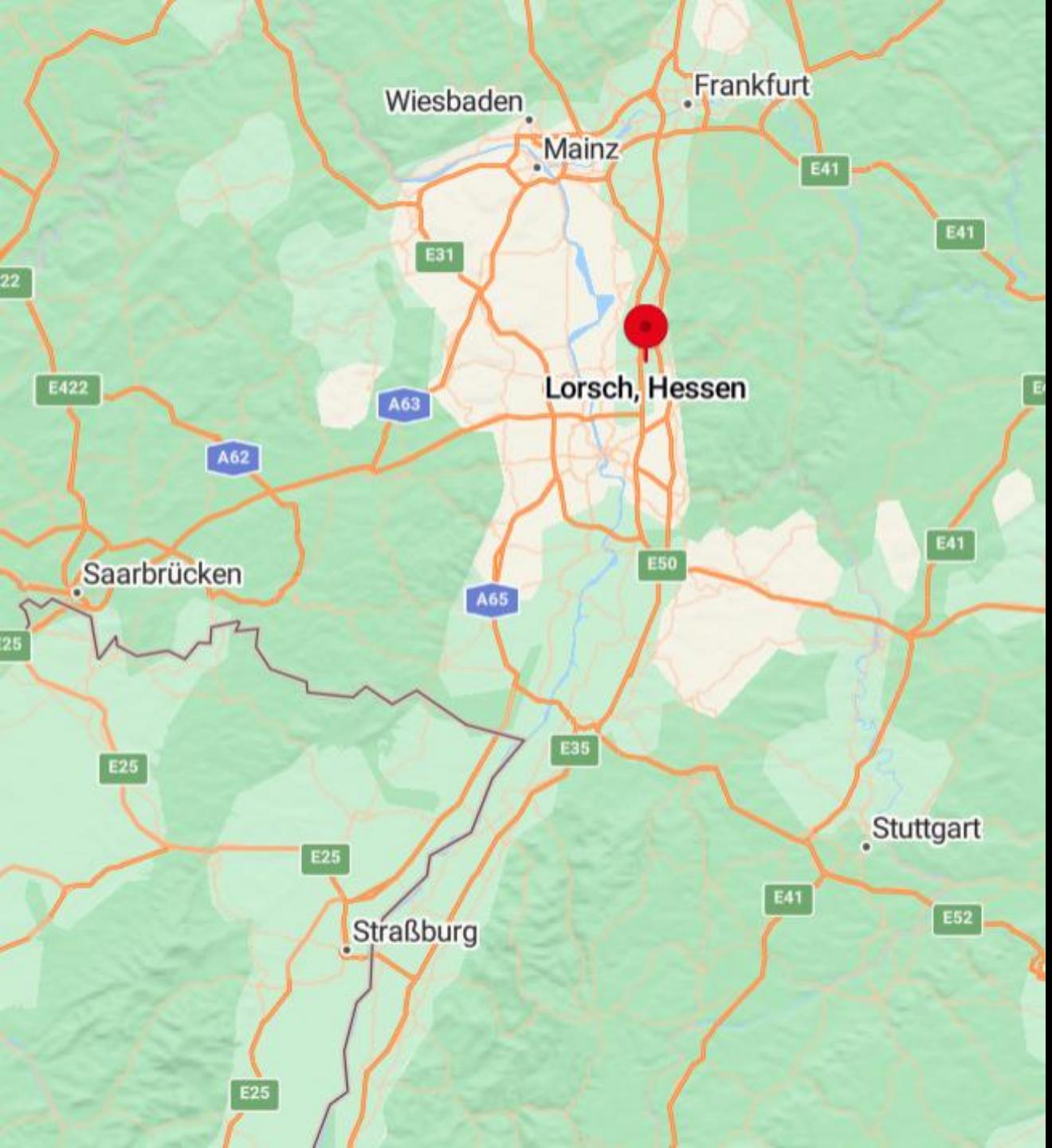
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I am asking for godly deeds, the people's hearts I am
extending: / [My] highly superior characteristics may
serve him, who exceeds everything.

Hucbaldus of Saint-Amand







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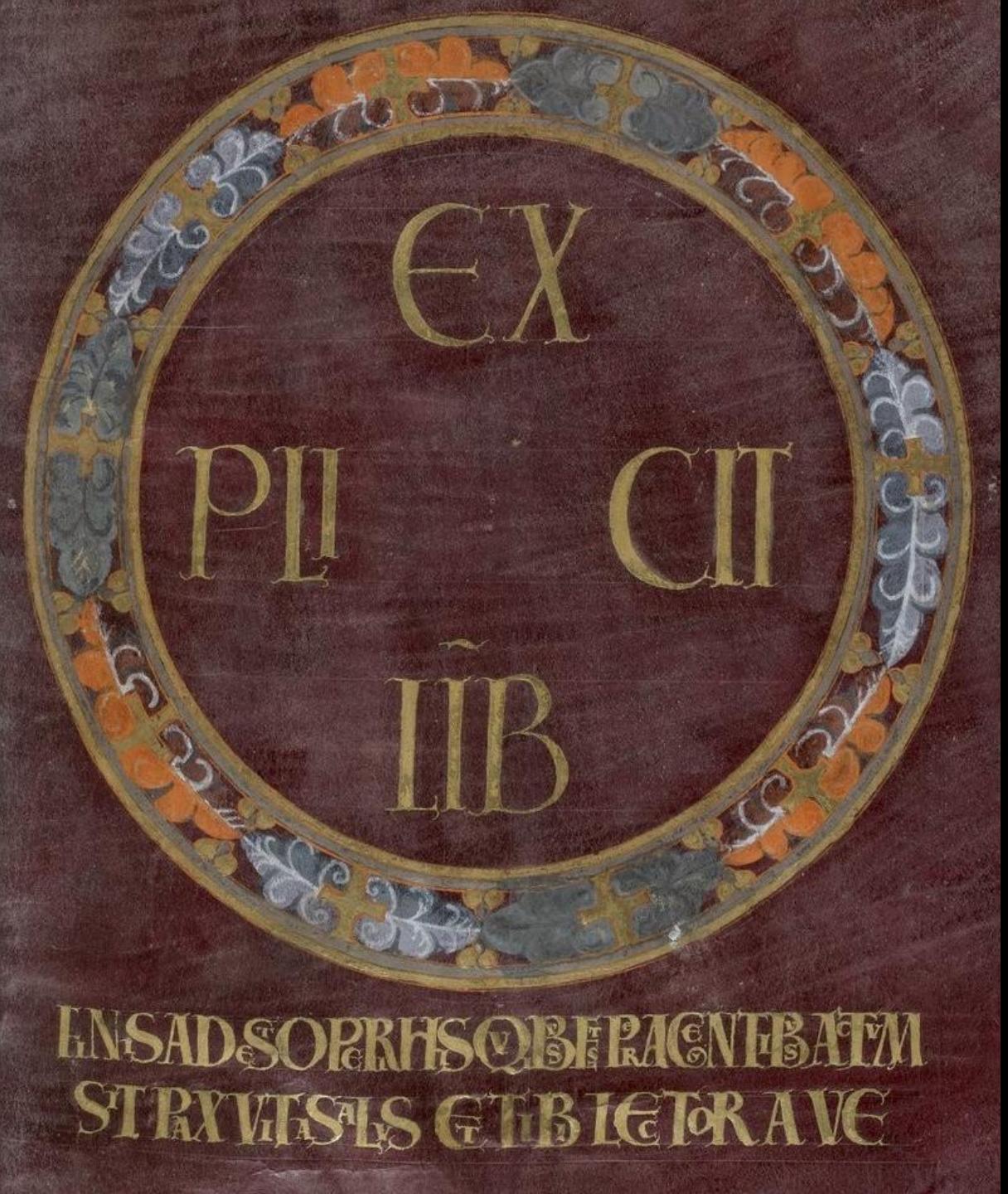
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Finis adest operi: his, quibus est peragentibus actum,
Sit pax, vita, salus et tibi, lector, aue!

Theodulf, carm.XLI.4.