

French Book of Hours

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Title Statement

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MSS 15093

Unit ID

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Unit Date

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Language

Latin

Extent

0.03 Cubic Feet

Repository

Albert and Shirley Small Special Collections Library

Administrative Information

Description of Subordinate Components

One leaf of a French Book of Hours

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Extent 0.03 Cubic FeetOne leaf of medieval manuscript from a French Book of Hours

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Biographical / Historical

A French Book of Hours in Amiens is a localized, highly personalized liturgical prayer book designed for a layperson, featuring saints and liturgical traditions specific to the Amiens diocese in northern France.

Scope and Contents

This is one leaf from a French Book of Hours. 14 lines of text per page, ruled in red, rubrics in red, gothic script, with illuminated initials and extenders. Possibly from Amiens.

Keywords

Illuminated manuscripts