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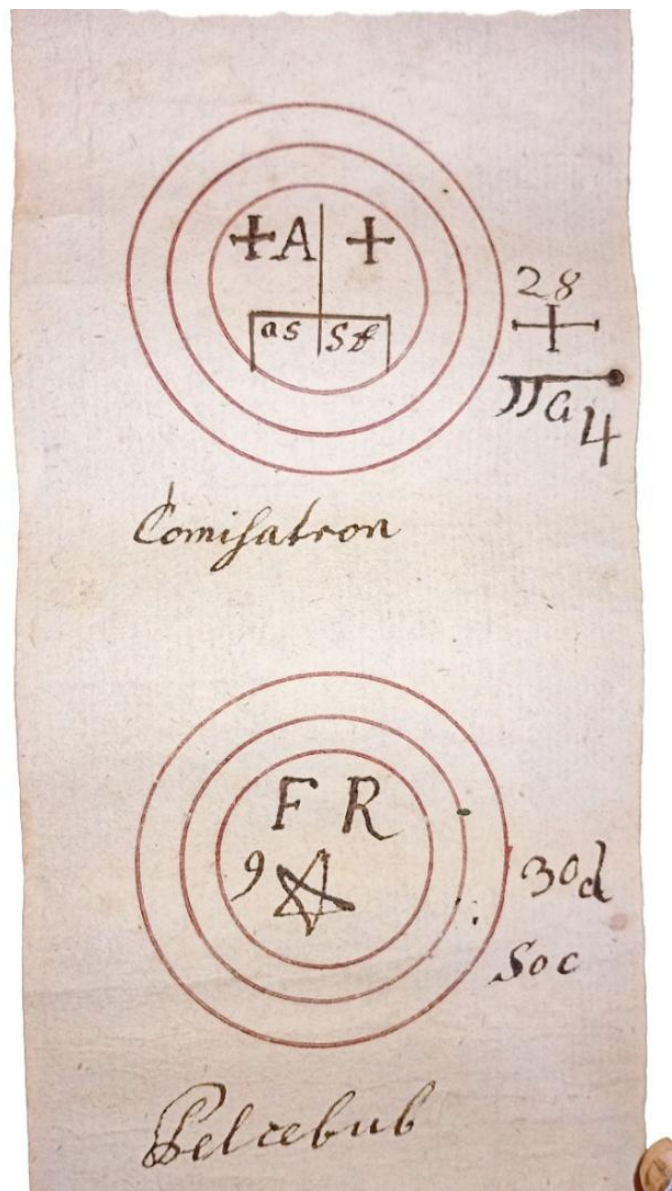


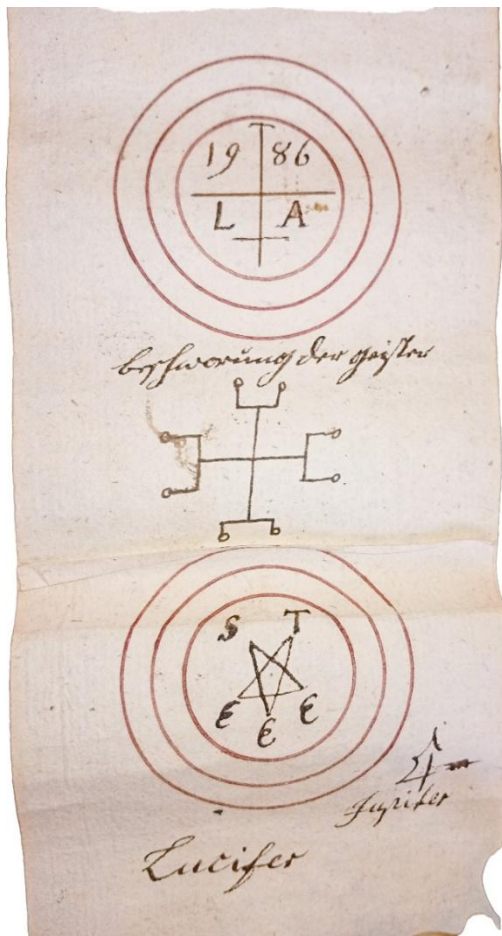
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A monumental and complete **magical protection scroll**, measuring almost three metres in length — an extraordinary survival and one of the most visually striking examples of late European esoteric tradition. Executed in a confident cursive hand, it unites vernacular inscriptions and Latin invocations with a refined sequence of sacred sigils, seals, and names of power.





The scroll contains **36 circular sigils**, drawn in red and black ink, each accompanied by explanatory captions such as „*vor die Feinde*“ (“against enemies”), „*vor Krankheit und Unfall*“ (“against sickness and accident”), „*sicht- und unsichtbar wird*“ (“to become visible and invisible”), „*vor den bösen Geist*“ (“against the evil spirit”), and the most powerful of all, „*vor den Tod*“ (“against death”). The figures show sacred monograms, planetary and alchemical signs, and Solomonic constructions arranged in a harmonious 6 × 6 pattern of completeness.

The reverse side carries **extended invocations and sacred formulas**, including divine names such as *Emanuel*, *Sabaoth*, *Adonay*, *El Shaddai*, and the closing phrase “† **1573 E H – Circulum Salomonis**”, which serves as a ritual seal of consecration. The inscribed date “1573” should be read symbolically rather than historically – its digit-sum (7) signifying perfection and divine order.

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Grijsen des Bril; Curuys
+ + +
1573
F H
Circulum Salamonis



This remarkable scroll was conceived as an **apotropaic talisman**: a visible prayer and magical instrument, designed to protect its bearer from death, disease, misfortune, and all unseen dangers. It combines the visual power of the drawn sigil with the spoken strength of sacred words — an object meant to *be seen, believed, and trusted*.

Condition: Excellent for its age; slight browning, minor stains and soft creasing from long storage; all symbols and text clear and vivid.



Rarity and References

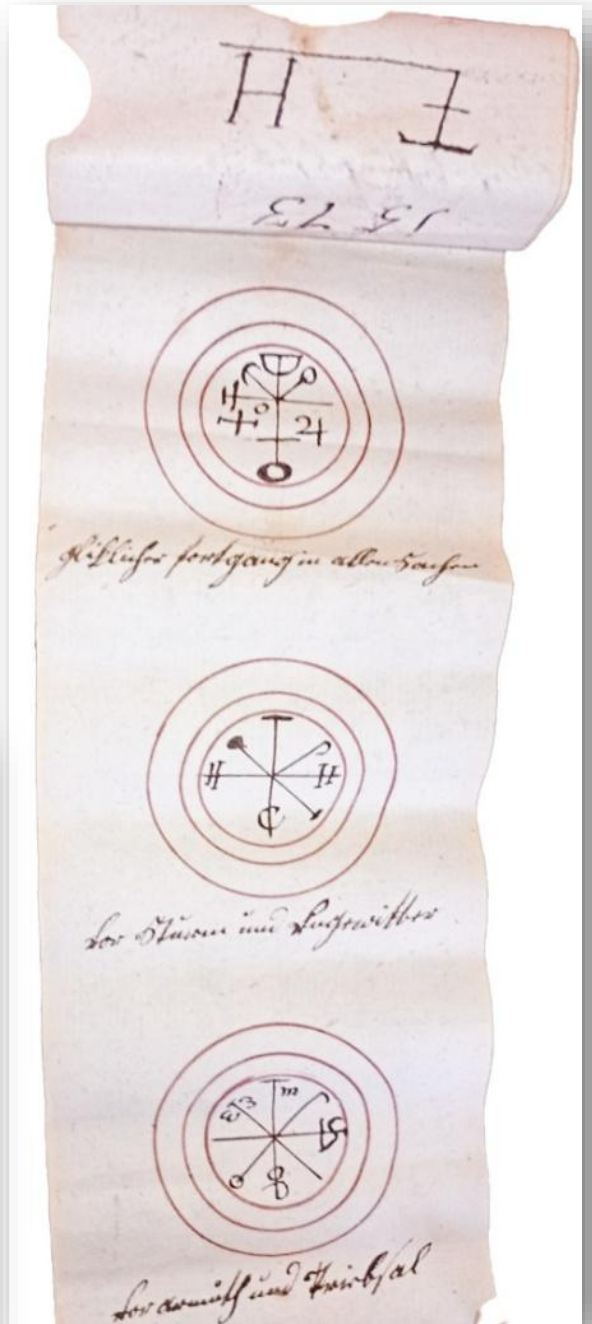
Exceedingly rare. Fully developed double-sided magical scrolls of this magnitude are **virtually unknown outside institutional collections.**

Comparable examples include the *Magical Scroll of Franz Anton Buechler* (Christie's, London 2018, £40,000) and the *Grimoire of Johannes Michael* (Christie's, 2019, £52,500).

With its 36 sigils and its intricate balance of art, mysticism, and protection, this piece ranks among the **largest and most complete magical scrolls of the 18th century** — a museum-grade relic of luminous mystery.

Price on application





Geist mit mir.

Ich begehre dieß libro desu
durch gott den Vater +
desu + und heiligen geist
+ mir.

Omnipotencia dei Patris +
Sapientia dei Filij +
virtus spiritus sancti +
liberet te ab omni febre
tertiana quartana et quo-
tidiana, et continuatio
salva

suo
in om
ab om

ab omnibus malis + + +
gott selig + gott heilich
gramaton + gott adonaj
+ gott Sabaoth + gott
Emanuel + gott hajas +
gott otheos + gott insemi-
us + gott jefora + gott
Mesia + alra et omega
faut allra Mesura gottes
+ + +

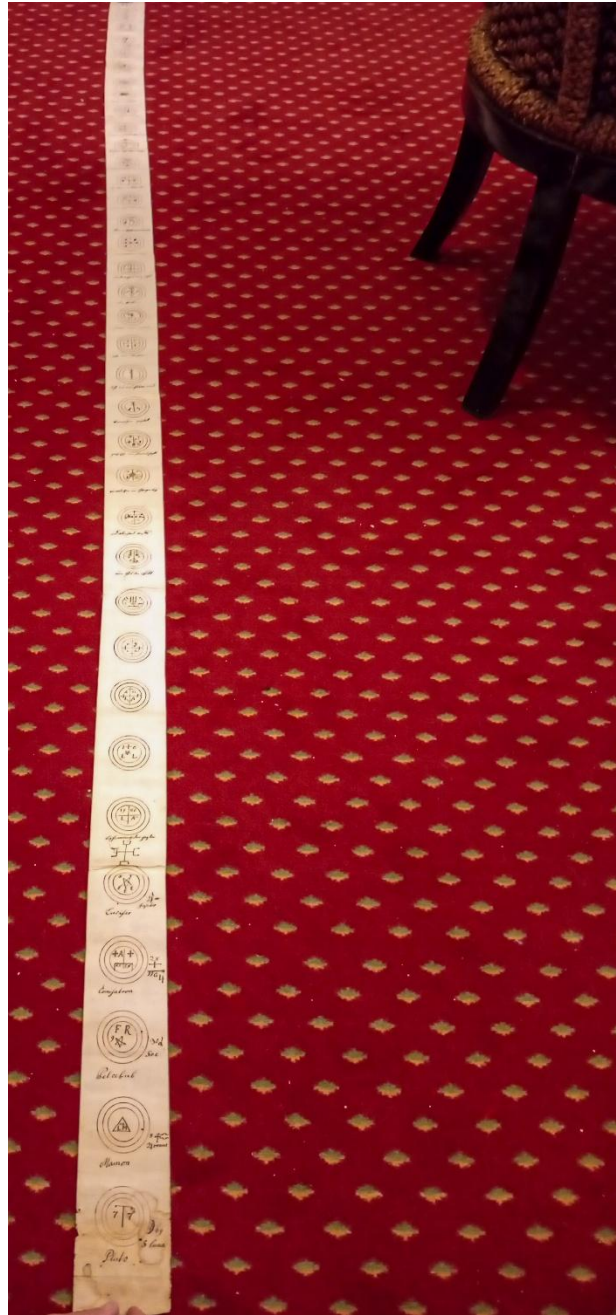
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Er: f. g. b. f. f. +
Er: f. r. f. f. f. +
Er: f. b. f. f. f. +
Er: f. d. f. f. f. + alle g. u. b. g.
und das, was ich überwindet
durch die Kraft seines
Wortes, durch die Kraft des
Wortes seines Wortes, durch
die Kraft des Wortes seines



duft und unsichtbar wird



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