






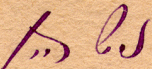

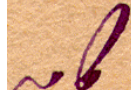
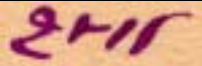
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Gimel	Ɔ	ג		Salonika, 1898;		Smyrne, 1892
Daled	D	ד		Salonika, 1898		Salonika, 1913
			דיין Dio (the singular form of the word "God"). Often accompanied by "el" in the phrase "El Dio"	 Salonika, 1898. The complete phrase used was: איל דיין  Salonika, 1898.		
	E	ה		Smyrne, 1892		
			The ה is often at the end of the word to provide an "a" sound.	 Smyrne, 1892		
			The letter ה at the end of a word is often combined with the preceding letter.	אוטרה:  Salonika, 1898.		

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	F	ו				
	G	ז				
			If the ז doesn't have a slight "hook" facing right at top then the letter can be difficult to recognize	איזמירנה (Izmir): 	Smyrne, 1892;	
				ז'ל the abbreviation z'l 		
	H	ח				
	I	ט	 (טו: todo:all)	Smyrne, 1892		
				Salonika, 1913		
	J	י				
			The י is often combined with the letter preceding it.			
				די דיאס 	Smyrne, 1892	




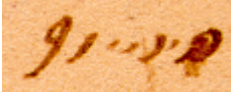


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	Q	נ		Smyrne, 1892		
Final form	P	ן	אין (en: in);			Salonika, 1898
			אמן (Amen)			Smyrne, 1892
Samekh	R	ס	סיניור	señor (sir)		Constantinople, 1897
			סיניור	Señor		Salonika, 1912
			The word senor is often abbreviation in the form of a stand-alone samekh (ס)			Moudania (Turkey), 1890



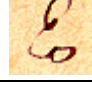





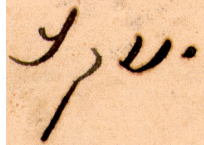
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			the form of a stand-alone samekh (ס) followed by one or 2 apostrophe marks or a tilde		Jerusalem 1889
					Salonika, 1913
					Adrianople, 1890
		Other styles of ס			
			Salonika, 1898;		
		סאלוניקו	Salonika written as Saloniko, i.e		Salonika, 1913;
		סאלוניקו	"Saloniko" with the letters א and ל not substituted by a single new letter: the alef-lamed ligature.		Constantinople, 1890
		When written as the final letter in a word, the ס is often in a highly individualistic style.			
			Salonika, 1898.		
	ס	ע			Salonika,

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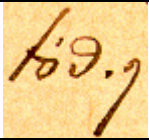


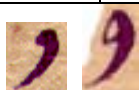
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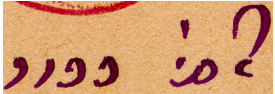
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	ט'ט	פפ	פ	P		Salonika, 1898
			פ	F		Salonika, 1898
			פרימו	"Primo" (Cousin)		Smyrne, 1892
Kuf	כ	ק		Smyrne, 1892		Gumuldjina, 1913
				Dobnitza (Bulgaria), 1905		Jerusalem, 1895

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				Jaffa, 1898		Rhodes, 1920
				Adrianople, 1882		Bucarest (Romania) 1905.
				Constantinople, 1890		Constantinople 1897
				Kirk Kilissé, 1896		Salonika, 1898
			kerido (dear: for use with a male) קירידו		Smyrna 1889;	
					Constantinople, 1907	
resh	ר	ר		Salonika, 1898		Smyrne, 1892

Alef-Lamed Ligature			<p>In solitreo there is a stand-alone character that replaces the alef-lamed sequence and is referred to as the "alef-lamed" ligature.</p>	 <p>Salonika, 1898. It can be used in the front of a correspondence to denote "To</p>	<p>señor, as in:</p>  <p>Salonika, 1898.</p>	<p>The city name Saloniko can have the alef-lamed sequence (as shown above) replaced by with the alef-lamed ligature.</p>