



Papyrus of the Egyptian Book of the Dead

BOOK OF THE DEAD PROJECT

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Known from many manuscripts and in different recensions, the Book of the Dead is one of the important sources for the understanding of the Egyptian ideas about the afterlife. A volume entitled *The Book of the Dead Documents in the Oriental Institute* presents two papyri and other texts in translation, with critical notes. Dr. Allen is now preparing a translation of an eclectic text of the Book of the Dead.

Horus falcon from New Kingdom Egypt

