



Fig. 7.48: Dedicatory inscription from Nea Church reservoir, Jerusalem [Avigad 1983, fig. 288].

κ(αὶ) τοῦτο τὸ ἔργον ἐφιλιμήσατο ὁ εὐσεβ(εστατος) ἡμῶν βασιλεὺς Φλ(άουιος)
 Ἰουστινιάνος προνοία καὶ σπουδῇ Κωνσταντίνου ὀσοωτά(του) πρεσβ(υτέρου) κ(αὶ)
 ἡγουμέ(νου) ἰνδ(ικτιῶνος) ιγ +

‘And this is the work which our most pious Emperor Flavius Justinianus carried out with munificence, under the forethought and devotion of the most holy Constantinus, priest and hegumen, in the thirteenth [year of the] indiction.’