

## Magical gem: Anubis with two staves (A) Μιχαήλ (B)

<b>CBd-Number</b>	CBd-426
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<b>Collection</b>	GB_London, The British Museum
<b>Inventory</b>	G 120 EA (56120)
<b>References</b>	Michel, BM, no. 47; Michel, DMG, no. 26.1.c_6
<b>Former Collections</b>	Praun and Mertens Collection; Eastwood, George
<b>Material</b>	agate, green to grey
<b>Dimensions</b>	20 x 20 x 4 mm
<b>Dating</b>	3rd c. AD (Michel)
<b>Iconography</b>	Anubis; moon, crescent; star; stars (4); scepters (2); clothing: kilt/pteryges?; scepter, unspecified
<b>Divine Names &amp; Voces</b>	Μιχαήλ



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A: Encircled, standing figure of jackal-headed Anubis, to right, with a staff in each hand. Wears a kilt or armour. On the left: a crescent, on the right: a star.

B: Four stars and inscription: μιχαη → Μιχαή<λ>. '(Archangel) Michael'.

#### Bibliography

[Michel, BM on CBd-426](#)

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