



GLAGOLITIC ALPHABET

CROATIA TEAM

1. WHAT IS THE GLAGOLITIC ALPHABET?

- Glagolitic alphabet is the first Slavic and Croatian alphabet
- It's name was created in 17th century, it was inspired by a verb „ glagolati” , which means ‘ to talk ‘

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Ɱ	D	5	Ɱ	N	70	Ɱ	C	900
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2. HOW WAS GLAGOLITIC ALPHABET CREATED?

- The author of the Glagolitic alphabet is considered to be St. Constantine Cyril, the Greek of Solun created the letter for a mission among the Moravian Slavs in the second half of the 9th century
- With Cyril, his older brother, Method, also went on that mission



3. WHAT TYPES OF THE GLAGOLITIC ALPHABET ARE THERE?

- The oldest known form of the Glagolitic alphabet is the round Glagolitic alphabet
- It is a form of writing believed to have been shaped by St. Constantine Cyril
- The second type of Glagolitic alphabet is the angular Glagolitic alphabet

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4. FOR HOW LONG DID THE CROATS USE THE GLAGOLITIC ALPHABET?

- The Glagolitic alphabet was in use for 11 centuries

5. WHAT ARE THE GREATEST ACHIEVEMENTS OF CROATIAN GLAGOLITICS?

- The Glagolitic alphabet was really important for the development of the Croatian language and history and the most important thing is that with the use of Glagolitic alphabet, the history of the Croatian press begun



HOW DID THE GLAGOLITIC ALPHABET AFFECT CROATIAN HISTORY?

- In Croatia the Glagolitic alphabet is often referred as a nacional simbol
- It was often used on paintings and sculptures of famous Croatian artists



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