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Latin 2BZ – Manuscript Reading Practice

**Directions**: In partners, compare the transcription below with the text in the manuscript being projected on the screen. Circle and mark up any differences you see. Pay attention to: abbreviations, symbols, missing letters, strange letterforms, and spacing. What clues will help you when you’re transcribing tomorrow?

De quarta natura serpentis

Quando venerit homo et voluerit occidere eum totum corpus tradit caput autem custodit. Debemus et nos in tempore temptationis totum corpus tradere, caput autem custodire idem Christum non negantes sicut fecerunt sancti martyres omnis enim caput Christi est.

**What weird things do you notice? Keep a list here!**