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CAPInv. 424: he synodi[a]

i.	Geographical area	Western Asia Minor
ii.	Region	Phrygia / Pisidia
iii.	Site	Karakuyu (Temple of Mên Askaenos near Antioch)

i.	Full name (original language)	ἡ συνοδί[α] (CMRDM I.193[2], II. 1-2; CMRDM IV.130, I. 1)
ii.	Full name (transliterated)	he synodi[a]

i. Date(s)	ii (?) - iv AD

iii.	Descriptive terms	ή συνοδία, he synodia
	Note	he synodia: CMRDM I.193[2], Il. 1-2; CMRDM IV.130, I. 1

i.	Source(s)	CMRDM I.193[2] (ii (?) - iv AD) CMRDM IV.130 (ii (?) - iv AD)
	Online Resources	CMRDM I.193[2] CMRDM IV.130
i.a.	Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b.	Document(s) typology & language/script	Vows to Men Askaenos. Greek.
i.c.	Physical format(s)	Rock-cut inscriptions.

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ii	i. Source(s) provenance	CMRDM I.193[2]: South-western wall of the <i>peribolos</i> of the temple of Men <i>Askaenos</i> near Antioch.
		CMRDM IV.130: Probably similar location, but Ramsay does not indicate the provenance of this
		inscription in his notebooks and hence Lane.

iii. Worship	CMRDM IV.130 specifies that the συνοδία, <i>synodia</i> performed the cultic act of <i>tekmoreuein</i> (ll. 2-3) with a certain Syntrophos (cf. Blanco-Pérez 2015)
Deities worshipped	Men

iii. Bibliography	Blanco-Pérez, A. (2015), 'Men Askaenos and the Native Cults of Antioch by Pisidia', in MP. de Hoz, J.P. Sanchez and C. Molina (eds.), <i>Between Tarhuntas and Zeus Polieus: Cultural Crossroads in Temples and Cults of Graeco-Roman Anatolia</i> . Leuven. Lane, E. (1971), <i>Corpus Monumentorum Religionis dei Menis (CMRDM)</i> . 1 vol. Leiden. Lane, E. (1978), <i>Corpus Monumentorum Religionis dei Menis (CMRDM)</i> . 4 vols. Leiden.

i. Private association	Probable
Note	The only two surviving attestations of the group does not provide any precise detail about its internal functioning, activities or members. Its evaluation as a private association cannot therefore be confirmed with certainty on the basis of the available evidence. Its relation to the cult of Men at Karakuyu increases the probability.

