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CAPInv. 732: synetairoi

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Western Asia Minor
ii. Region	Phrygia
iii. Site	Laodikeia by the Lykos

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	συνεταῖροι (SEG 58: 1542, l. 4)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>synetairoi</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	150 - 200 AD
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V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	SEG 58: 1542 (150 - 200 AD)
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Epitaph, greek
i.c. Physical format(s)	Marble stele
ii. Source(s) provenance	Laodikeia, North-West Area

XII. NOTES

iii. Bibliography	Ritti, T., and Baysal, H.H. (2008), <i>Denizli-Hierapolis Arkeoloji Müzesi. Yunanca ve Latince Yazılı Eserlerin Kataloğu</i> . Napoli: 216-8, no. 137.
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XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Discarded
Note	Thalamos, the deceased, tells the reader of the inscription that having been to Pisa frequently, "I was called Pisaïos by all my <i>synetairoi</i> ". This does not suggest a formal organization. Rather, <i>synetairoi</i> is an eloquent word for "friends" that fits the Homeric tone of the epitaph well.
ii. Historical authenticity	Certain