A229-Afr-Egy-Ushabti-New Kingdom-19th Dynasty, 1291 – 1278 BCE

Figs. 1-2. -Ushabti-New Kingdom-19th Dynasty, 1291 – 1278 BCE

**Case No.: 2**

**Formal Label:** Ushabti-New Kingdom-19th Dynasty, 1291 – 1278 BCE-Blue Faience

**Display Description:** Composite lappet wig with horizontal bands on lappets. Right hand over left, sleeved, holding a pick and a hoe, Hieroglyphic text down front between two bands. Some original blue faience on lower feet and back. Curved feet as is typical with later New Kingdom Ushabtis.

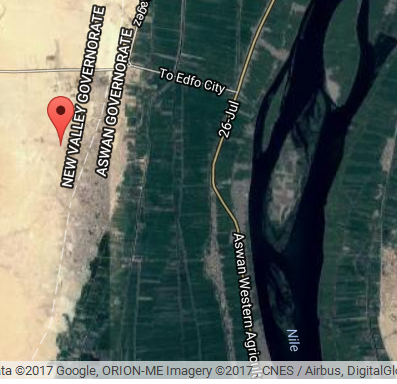
**Accession Number: A229**

**LC Classification:** DT62

**Date or Time Horizon:** New Kingdom, 19th dynasty-1293-1189 BCE

**Geographical Area: Qurna, Egypt**

**Map, GPS Coordinates:** 24.933333, 32.833333; 24° 56' 00" N, 32° 50' 00" E.



**Cultural Affiliation:** New Kingdom, 19th dynasty-1293-1189 BCE

**Medium**: Blue faience.

**Dimensions:** 60.72 mm; 2.39 in  
**Weight:** 10 gm; 0.25 oz

**Provenance:** unknown.

**Condition:** original

**Discussion:** Enormous social upheavals had been caused by Akhenaten's religious reform so that Seti I re-established stability and reasserted Egypt's sovereignty over Canaan and Syria, which had been under threat from the Hittites, which he confronted but failed to eliminate as a threat. However, he reconquered most of the disputed territories with military successes. His funerary temple was constructed in Qurna on the west bank of the Nile at Thebes and his capital was at Memphis.



Fig. 2. Mortuary Temple of Seti I at Qurna, on the west bank of the Nile at Thebes. After https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/6/6a/Seti\_I\_Temple\_at\_Qurna.jpg

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