Menu

alms-bowl

Object Type

alms-bowl

Museum number

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Description

Stoneware begging bowl, with bronze-bound mouth rim. The bowl has white glaze on the interior and brownish black glaze on the exterior.

Cultures/periods

Tang dynasty

Production date

8thC-9thC

Production place

Made in: <u>Henan (province)</u> Asia: China: Henan (province)

Materials

stoneware
metal (rim)

Ware

Chinese Black Ware

Technique

glazed

Dimensions

Diameter: Diameter: 102 millimetres

Curator's comments

Published PDF date: Tang 8th-9th century

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Alms bowl with iron-brown glaze

Begging bowls, or alms bowls, are distinguished from ordinary bowls as they have rounded bottoms and interned mouths. The alms bowl is perhaps the most important object for daily use by a Buddhist monk. It is used as a vessel in which to collect alms (either money or food)

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缽因其圜底與斂口,而與普通碗有所區別。缽作為從俗家信眾接受施捨的容器(盛放金錢或食物),可能是僧侶們最為重要的日用器皿。此缽內壁施有白色化妝土,外壁施鐵褐色釉,鑲金屬口提高了這件簡單的黏土製品的價值。

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中國

唐代,約700-900年

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