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**Object ID**

1994.37.5

**Object Name**

Ashtray

**Material**

Glass; Metal

**Object Entities**

Kringas, Angeline (is related to)

**Related Items**

Vase, 1994.37.1  
Vase, 1994.37.2  
Vase, 1994.37.3  
Saltshaker, 1994.37.4

**Access Points**

greek art  
handmade  
Metal  
needlepoint  
Vintage

**Object Description**

Ashtray with a floral needlepoint design under glass. Possibly intended as a wall decoration. An intricate needlepoint design with a blue and pink flower surrounded by green leaves and orange accent flowers is framed by a round gold metal frame and inset within black base made of a sturdy fabric. The entire base is encased under concave glass and rimmed with gold metal and two attached cigarette rests.

**Origin**

□ Donated by Angeline Kringas along with two other handpainted vases, a needle point astray and handpainted salt shaker. The ceramics appear to be made by the G Maras Co Athens in Greece which produced Neoclassical handpainted greek art. Ashtray appears to also be made in Greece from a company based in Athens.

**Citation**

Ashtray, *National Hellenic Museum*,  
<https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 09/29/22.