



OBJECT ID	2004.5.30.A
OBJECT NAME	Urn
MATERIAL	Copper; Brass
OBJECT ENTITIES	donor's husband, Parents (owned by) Gravenites, Helen (is related to)
ACCESS POINTS	brass caligraphy container with handle copper vessel engraved caligraphy engraved copper engraved container snake handles

#### OBJECT DESCRIPTION

Round copper vessel with a brass handle that has faded zig-zag details on both sides (perhaps a stylized two headed snake) that attach on opposite sides of the container's rim. The surface is engraved with sections of caligraphy a geometric pattern. The rim has a repeated wave pattern that has been etched on. All of the details on the container seem to have been incised rather than embossed.

#### ORIGIN

This container was previously own by the donor's (Helen Gravenites) husband's parents. The vessel was handmade although we do not know where or when.

#### CITATION

Urn, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 11/30/21.