

Plate

Middle Eastern Collection

Accession Nr.:	61.397.1 
Type:	ceramics
Date of production:	ca. 1630
Place of production:	Meshed, Iran
Materials:	ceramics
Dimensions:	diameter:34.7 cm

This ceramic plate features a scalloped rim and stands on a shallow base. In the centre of the underglaze painted decoration, executed in black and several shades of blue, a fantastic creature in a landscape can be seen. As customary for this style of ceramics, one of the popular strands is Safavid-period Iran. All the decorative elements follow Chinese precedents.

