


Vessel in the shape of a gourd

Southeast Asian Collection

Accession Nr.:	85.137.1.1-2 
Type:	object for daily use; pottery
Date of production:	20th century
Place of production:	Vietnam, Southeast Asia
Materials/Techniques:	ceramics, glazed
Dimensions:	height: 16 cm width: 9 cm

A drab coloured, crackled glaze base with engraved contour decoration makes this surprisingly shaped object even more striking. The motifs, filled in with coloured glaze, depict symbols of luck: a vase tied with a bow, double paper rolls with ribbons, a go board and laced waves.

