

Knife

Zichy Collection

Accession Nr.: 8883 

Type: bronze, lead, gold and silver; archaeological artifacts

Date of production: 7th century B.C.–1st century B.C.

Materials/Technique
s: bronze

Dimensions: length: 20.1 cm

Acquisition: collected by Jenő Zichy

Intact, casted bronze knife with arched, single-sided blade. A rib is visible on the upper third of its flat handle, which is ended in a slightly oval ring. A horizontal band is attached to the lower end of its ring. A channel runs along the inner side of its handle. A stylized bird motif with rounded eye and curved beak is carved on the handle near the blade.

