

Peach-shaped ricewine jug, with inscription

Chinese Collection

Accession Nr.: **2804** 

Type: **bronze, lead, gold and silver; object for daily use**

Date of production: Mid-19th century
Qing dynasty

Place of production: **China**

Materials: **tin**

Techniques: **engraved**

Dimensions: height: 13.6 cm
diameter: 16.5 cm

Acquisition: collected by János Xántus

The ricewine jug recalls the form of a peach, symbol of immortality, with its handle and spout shaped in imitation of leafy branches. An incised poem about drinking can be read on its side

