



Cocoon-Shaped Storage Vessel

Date

206 BCE-220 CE

Primary Maker

Unidentified artist

Medium

stoneware with painted decoration

Description

The wide oval jar with rounded ends, raised on a high hollow foot and with a short cylindrical neck in the center rising to a flaring mouth with wedge-shaped rim, the gray pottery decorated in white slip and two tones of red with loosely drawn cloud-scroll motifs, the painting all original and relatively well preserved.

Dimensions

10 3/8 x 11 7/8 x 8 1/4 in. (26.4 x 30.2 x 21 cm)