Object: Warrior Basket

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Description

The basket is woven from plant fibre and decorated with seedpods, glass beads, tufts of grass, bone and animal skins. It is a ritual basket used in headhunting dances. It comes from the area formerly known as Banpara (name of the village). Today, the inhabitants of the area in the present-day state of Assam use the names Wancho, Nocte or Konyak Naga.

Collector: Samuel E. Peal

Basic data

Material/Technique: Basket made of various plant fibers with

appliqués of bone, tooth and skin as well as

glass beads and strings of seed pods

Measurements: Object dimension: 30.3 x 31 x 24 cm; Other

dimensions: Max height with strap: 51.3 cm

Events

Created When 1851-1900

Who Naga (Banpara)

Where India

Created When 1851-1900

Who Naga (Banpara)

Where Banpara

Collected When After 1868

Who Peal, S.E.

Where Assam

Keywords

- Basket
- Headhunting
- Kriegerkorb
- Ritualkorb