



Seated Buddha Amitabha (Amita) (The Buddha of Infinite Light)

Date

15th century

Primary Maker

Unknown Artist

Medium

Cast bronze with traces of gilding

Description

Seated bronze Buddha Amitabha (K: Amita) showing traces of partial gilding, and bronze patination. Amitabha is depicted with both hands in his lap in the meditation (S: dhyana) gesture (S: mudra). The centre of Amitabha's chest is incised with the character "卐" (K: man; C: wan) indicating auspiciousness and good fortune.

Dimensions

7-1/4 x 5-1/4 x 3-5/8 in. (18.4 x 13.3 x 9.2 cm)