

Magical(?) gem: Lion, busts of Helios and Selene

CBd-Number	CBd-1069
ID-Number	US-AA-SCL_Bonner 59
Collection	US Ann Arbor, University of Michigan, Special Collections Library
Inventory	SCL-Bonner 59
References	Bonner, SMA D. 240; Michel, DMG, no. 37.A.1.a_3
Former Collections	Bonner, Campbell (1876 Nashville - 1954 Ann Arbor)
Material	haematite (black)
Dimensions	12 x 9 x 2 mm
Iconography	Helios; Selene; animal: lion; figure, female; figure, male; cornucopia; clothing: garment; clothing: tunic; clothing: mantle



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A: In the center, a lion walking to left; with the busts of the sun (right) and moon (left) above it. On the right, behind the lion, a male figure (Bonner: female) standing to right, raising a hand; on the left, facing the lion, a female figure holding a cornucopia in her right hand.

B: Plain.

Bibliography

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Images

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