The Frick Collection: Detail Report



Artemisia Gentileschi (1593-ca. 1652)

Unknown artist

Date ca. 1627

Medium Copper alloy, cast

Dimensions Diam.: 2 1/8 in. (5.35 cm)

Credit Line The Stephen K. and Janie Woo Scher Collection

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Currently On View

Second Floor, Room 32, Medals Room

Commentary Unless otherwise noted, the dimensions indicate the medal's diameter taken at the widest point., The daughter of the painter Orazio Gentileschi, Artemisia was a follower of Caravaggio and a successful painter in her own right. The portrait on this rare medal is possibly adapted from an engraving by Jérôme David (ca. 1627) after a now-lost self-portrait. Source: Scher, Stephen K., et al. The Scher Collection of Commemorative Medals. New York and London, 2019.