Medal cosimo iii de medici - Cosimo III de Medici

Object: Medal cosimo iii de medici

Place of origin: Florence (made)

Date: late 17th century (made)

Artist/Maker: Fortini, Giovanni, born 1673 - died 1736 (maker)

Materials and Techniques: Bronze

Museum number: A.35-1971

Gallery location: In Storage

Public access description

This bronze medal depicts Cosimo III de Medici in profile to the right. He was the Grand Duke of Tuscany from 1670 until his death in 1723.

Descriptive line

Medal, bronze, Italian, 17th cent, Giovanni Fortini

Physical description

Medal, bronze. Obverse side, Cosimo III de Medici in profile to the right, with baldhead and long hair, wearing armour. Inscription around the rim. On the reverse side, a figure with a halo (Jesus?) is shown alongside another saint and a group of putti.

Dimensions

Diameter: 8.51 cm

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Object history note

Bought from E.J. Bray.

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