



A gold ring set with a Roman Carnelian intaglio. Two Satyres crowning a trophy

Intaglio: 11 × 15 mm

Ring size: US 7 ½ · UK O ½ · FR ≈ 55–56 - 9.50 g

Mounting 18 and 22 k

Intaglio: roman art, early 1st century A.D:

A modern yellow-gold ring set with an ancient carnelian intaglio of warm orange-brown tone. The stone is engraved in intaglio with a scene of triumph: two satyrs, having finished raising a trophy of arms (tropaeum), are about to crown it. Each holds a laurel wreath — the supreme emblem of victory. At centre rises the trophy surmounted by a helmet, flanked by the two satyrs. The composition is a resounding allegory of triumph, victory and good fortune, drawn from the Dionysiac world.