Basic Detail Report



Title Mug

Date 1830-1860

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Blown opaque glass with gilding

Description Blown opal glass mug with a flared rim, a baluster-shaped body, a circular foot, and a shallow kick and a pontil mark on the bottom. To one side, an ear-shaped handle connects the neck and lower body of the mug. Opposite the handle is the mug's primary decoration: the script, gilded words, "Forget me not" inside an oval wreath. Small sprays of leaves are located on either side of

the wreath. Kick: An indentation in the bottom of a drinking glass, bottle, or other glass object. Pontil mark: A rough place on a blown glass object where the solid metal rod, or pontil, is cracked off the object after final shaping and decoration. Pontil marks can be polished to achieve a smooth surface.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width including handle x depth): 4 3/8 x 5 x 3 1/2in. (11.1 x 12.7 x 8.9cm)