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Provenience: Africa Nigeria

Field No.

People or Culture: Yoruba

Object: Plaque

Material: Calabash

Description: Tear-drop shaped piece of calabash decorated on the rounded side with a stylized ostrich surrounded by deeply cut diamonds and geometric designs. Piece was stained tan on this side and the design cut to the natural wood. There is a hole for hanging at the apex. Similar to 222572.

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Dimensions: Width 16 cm. Height 7.5 cm.
(in cm.)

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Collection: Gift of Dr. Gwendolen Carter, collector.
April 15, 1974; collected 1950-1973.

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