

# VOTIVE STONE

Carved on four sides. In front, seated in a niche, is Yü Huang, Taoist god of heaven, bearded, with head-dress of old Chinese style and swastika on his chest, surrounded by two bearded, standing attendants. The background is adorned with lotus petals. Above the niche, there is a roof with the figure of a crane and other emblems. On each of the narrow sides a triad is crudely incised, likewise on the reverse, where two figures are carved in the aureole of the central deity. Below, a long list of the names of the donors. The lower part of the stone is much damaged and restored.

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