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Guide to MS 3957 Drawing of ceiling pictographs at Painted Rock, Tulare County, California

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	MS 3957 Drawing of ceiling pictographs at Painted Rock, Tulare County, California
Date:	undated
Identifier:	NAA.MS3957
Extent:	1 Drawing (watercolor and ink; 8.25 x 12.5 inches)
Language:	English .
Digital Content:	Image(s): MS 3957 Drawing of ceiling pictographs at Painted Rock, Tulare County, California
Container:	Box 3957 / 3984 / 3987, Folder 1; Box 3957 / 3984 / 3987, Folder 1

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

The provenance of the collection is unknown. There is no accession information available.

Preferred Citation

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Restrictions

The collection is open for research.

Access to the collection requires an appointment.

Conditions Governing Use

Contact the repository for terms of use.

Scope and Contents

The collection consists of a drawing of pictographs on the ceiling of the Painted Rock on the Tule River Indian Reservation, Tulare County, California. The drawing is labelled with the four cardinal directions and: "The Painted Rock-View Overhead. Tulare Agency, California. Reduced to 1/20 of the original." The artist and date are unknown.

Please note that the contents of the collection and the language and terminology used reflect the context and culture of the time of its creation. As an historical document, its contents may be at odds with contemporary views and terminology and considered offensive today. The information within this collection does not reflect the views of the Smithsonian Institution or National Anthropological Archives, but is available in its original form to facilitate research.

Local Numbers

NAA MS 3957

Variant Title

The Painted Rock--View Overhead

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Archaeology
Yokuts

Cultures:

Yokuts

Types of Materials:

Drawings
Petroglyphs
Works of art

Places:

North America
Tule River Indian Reservation (Calif.)