Basic Detail Report



Necklace

Date

New Kingdom, 1550-1069 B.C.E.

Primary Maker

Unknown

Medium

Carnelian, faience, and shell beads

Description

Necklace of turquoise and green tubular and tine blue, green, brown and yellow round beads, shell discs and two roundish carnelian beads. Used, beads not originally assembled as they are now. Description given by Susette Khayat: "It has four long chains of green color tubular form glazed faience beads, with groups of small round red and dark green faience beads, all dating of the 18th Dynasty (...). Also in this necklace are a few predynastic disk form white shell beads dating over 5000 B.C. (...) And two round ancient carnelian semi-precious stone beads of about same age as faience beads".

Dimensions

Overall: 19 in. (48.3 cm)