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HAN ARCHAISTIC BRONZE HU

the bulbous ovoid form with concentric ribs, fitted with dragon head loose drop ring handles at the shoulders, rising to narrow neck and flaring banded rim, surmounted by conforming gently domed cover, fitted with three pierced stylized birds, the base tapering to hollow foot; the whole displaying bronze verdigris and archeological patination

After the Han Dynasty (206 B.C.E. - 226 C.E.)

Overall dimensions: 9" deep x 9 1/2" wide x 13 1/2" high