

Basic Detail Report



American Doughboy Medal

Primary Maker

Marcel Lordonnois

Medium

Bronze

Description

A circular medal of struck bronze commemorating the American Doughboy of World War I. On the obverse, a relief figure of an charging Infantryman in profile facing left, holding a rifle and bayonet, with a battlefield in the background including a trench with soldiers at left and

barbed wire in the foreground. In the far lower right, the artist's signature appears as "M. Lordonnois 1919." On the medal reverse, a flat landscape with various locations of battles including Soissons, Bois Belleau, Chateau Thierry, Reims, Argonne, Verdun, and St. Mihiel. Arching along the top of the medal is "1917 FRANCE 1919," with the French Cross in the center bottom. The medal is accompanied by its original maroon paper and cardboard storage box.

Dimensions

Diameter: 0.13 × 2.5 in. (0.3 × 6.4 cm)