



Orphelinat des Armees Medal

Primary Maker

Rene Lalique

Medium

Stamped brass

Description

A small rectangular stamped brass medal, depicting a crouching woman in classical draped garments, embracing a small child. Below the figure is the inscription "ORPHELINAT DES ARMEES," ("Army Orphanage"). The signature "R. Lalique" can be seen under the female figure at the far left corner. At the top center of the little medal is a small slotted tab, originally intended for a

scrap of ribbon to be worn on a lapel or other garment.

Dimensions

1.25 × 1.13 in. (3.2 × 2.9 cm)