

Basic Detail Report



Kimono

Date

Mid-20th century

Primary Maker

Artist not recorded

Medium

Dyed, painted, stenciled and embroidered on silk

Description

Interior: Painting of four Kabuki figures in the mode of the Chinese "lion" pour and drink sake in a happy festive scene, surrounded by Chrysanthemums, bamboo and flying cranes - symbolizing long life and happiness.

Exterior: Painting of festively adorned boxes used for gifts

and for decoration, containing shrimps and cranes - showing the gifts given at the time of a young woman's engagement. Colors are gray, pale red, pale black, pale gold-green and brown, pale blue; materials are silk and dyes; technique is "Yuzen" (painted with dyes).

Dimensions

67 × 50 in. (170.1803 × 127.0003 cm)