Basic Detail Report

Square ring

Date

Mid-20th century

Primary Maker

Artist not recorded

Medium

Mixed metals, Silver, stone (piedra negra)

Description

Inlaid square ring. A thick square of sterling silver with circular opening in the center. Each face of the square has a different pattern of inlaid stone and metal. Side 1 has bands of silver, gold, and brass in onyx; side 2 has a wavy band of gold and four rounds of turquoise in onyx; side 3 has three rounds of turquoise between a band of silver and a band of gold in onyx; side 4 has three rounds of turquoise, each in the center of a circle of gold, silver, or brass. Stamped on the inside center of the ring: "Taxco Mexico 925 ARO" and an eagle stamp with the number "3" in the center.

Dimensions

1 × 1 × 3/8 in. (2.5 × 2.5 × 1 cm)