Basic Detail Report



Death Shrine, I

Date

1972-1976

Primary Maker

Ken Price

Medium

mixed media: 8 ceramic sculpture, 1 watercolor Wood, ceramic, ribbon, lace, enamel, Masonite, plastic flowers

Description

One of three Death Shrines by Ken Price, the Death Shrines are part of "Happy's Curios," a project developed through most of the 1970's. Death Shrine 1 is enclosed on three sides, a flat black wall in the rear and open slatted wood above. A low turquoise and white picket fence cross the front . The shrine contains six Ken Price cups , one large vase with skeleton head motif, a ceramic plate, 3 smaller plates and a painting. A small low bench is in front of the fence flanked by 2 vases and plastic flowers.

Dimensions

102" H x 85 1/4" W x 72 " D