

## HERSTORY LESSON 3: THE FERTILE GODDESS

December 19, 2008 through May 31, 2009



Egyptian, Classical, Ancient Middle Eastern Art  
07.447.500

place excavated: Mohamariéh Egypt

Figurine of Woman

ca. 3650 B.C. - 3300 B.C.

Predynastic Period, Naqada IIa

Terracotta, painted

9 1/16 x 1 3/16 x 3 1/4 in. (23 x 3 x 8.2 cm)

Charles Edwin Wilbour Fund



Egyptian, Classical, Ancient Middle Eastern Art  
07.447.516

place excavated: el Ma'mariya Egypt

Fragment of Figurine of Woman

ca. 3650 B.C. - 3300 B.C.

Predynastic Period, Naqada IIa

Pottery

2 1/16 x 1 15/16 x 11/16 in. (5.2 x 4.9 x 1.8 cm)

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Unknown Cypriote artist

Archaic Venus

ca. 1550-1400 B.C.

Late Cypriot I

Base Ring Ware II.

Ceramic

3 9/16 x 2 3/16 x 2 1/16 in. (9.1 x 5.5 x 5.3 cm)

Gift of Mrs. Fred Betts



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72.133

place made: Iraq

Female Figurine

late 3rd millennium B.C.

Terracotta

5 1/2 x 3 9/16 x 13/16 in. (14 x 9 x 2 cm)

Gift of Mrs. Helena Simkovitch in Memory of Vladimir G. Simkovitch

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possible place made: Iraq  
possible place made: Syria

Female Idol

ca. 4900 B.C. - 4300 B.C.

Halaf Period

Pottery, painted

4 1/8 x 1 7/8 x 1 5/8 in. (10.4 x 4.7 x 4.2 cm)

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1996.146.1

place made: Sudan

Female Figure

ca. 3500-3000 B.C.

Nubian Period, A-Group

Terracotta, paint

5 1/2 x 1 7/16 x 1 9/16 in. (14 x 3.7 x 4 cm)

Bequest of Mrs. Carl L. Selden in honor of Bernard V. Bothmer



Egyptian, Classical, Ancient Middle Eastern Art  
1996.146.4

place made: Cycladic Islands Greece

Torso of a Goddess

circa 2600 B.C.

early Bronze Age II

Marble

4 11/16 x 3 13/16 x 1 1/4 in. (11.9 x 9.7 x 3.1 cm)

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Egyptian, Classical, Ancient Middle Eastern Art  
1996.146.5

place made: Anatolia Turkey

Idol

ca. 2700 B.C. - 2300 B.C.

Early Bronze II Period

Marble

6 7/8 x 4 3/16 x 1/4 in. (17.4 x 10.6 x 0.6 cm)

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place made: Iran

Female Figurine with Conical Headdress

Red-brown burnished clay

Lent by Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Danzig



Special Exhibition

EL59.01

Judy Chicago, American, born 1939

Study for Letter for Primordial Goddess from The Dinner Party

1979

Mixed media on graph paper

Sheet: 7 1/4 x 11 1/2 in. (18.4 x 29.2 cm)



Special Exhibition

EL59.03

Judy Chicago, American, born 1939

Fertile Goddess - Illuminated Capital Letter Study

1979

Mixed media on graph paper

7.25 in. x 11.5 in. (18.42 x 29.21 cm)



Special Exhibition

EL59.04

Judy Chicago, American, born 1939

Ceramic Goddess #3

1977

Glazed ceramic

10 x 8 1/2 x 3 in. (25.4 x 21.6 x 7.6 cm)

