PAGODA RED









GREEN GLAZED TEMPLE JAR

\$2,180

Late 19th Century • China • Ceramic • Collection #CFC055 W: 10.5" D: 10.5" H: 15.75"

This unusual lidded jar exemplifies the timeless rustic appeal of provincial Chinese pottery. Dated to the late 19th century, the jar has a tapered form and warm green glaze that recalls ancient funerary jars, used for storing food offerings for passage to the afterlife. The jar exterior is decorated with petal-like lappets marked by round lotus medallions in low relief. Ginkgo leaves fill in the gaps - symbols of hope and peace. Contrasted by an unglazed base, the jar is finished with a thin green glaze that drips down the textured sides beautifully.

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Additional Dimensions: Diameter of Opening: 9.5"