



Description

A part of a corridor in the upper level of the catacombs shows an arched niche (with a recess for a lamp in the bottom) and 2 rectangular holes (loculi). The niche is decorated with the bust of a deceased woman in prayer position. She is flanked by two opened books with the names of the four evangelists (John, Mark, Matthew and Luke). Above her head is a Christogram. She is named as Bitalia. Inscription: BITALIA IN PACE (in peace). The white letters (Latin) on the red field above the niche are hard to read. The paintings are currently dated in the 5th-6th century AD.

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Specifications

Country: Italy

Region: Capodimonte-Naples

Site: Catacombs of San Gennaro

Age: Medieval

Internal ID: Object_2

Digitization date: 19-30/09/2019

Photos / scans number: 257 photos - 1 scan

Hardware: FARO Focus3D S70; Z&F 5010 & 5016; Sony A7iii

Lens: 35 mm

Lighting: LCD

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