

## 4.6a Egyptian Art and Relief



**David Foreman   Egyptian Cosmetic Palette   Slate**

## 4.6b Egyptian Art and Relief

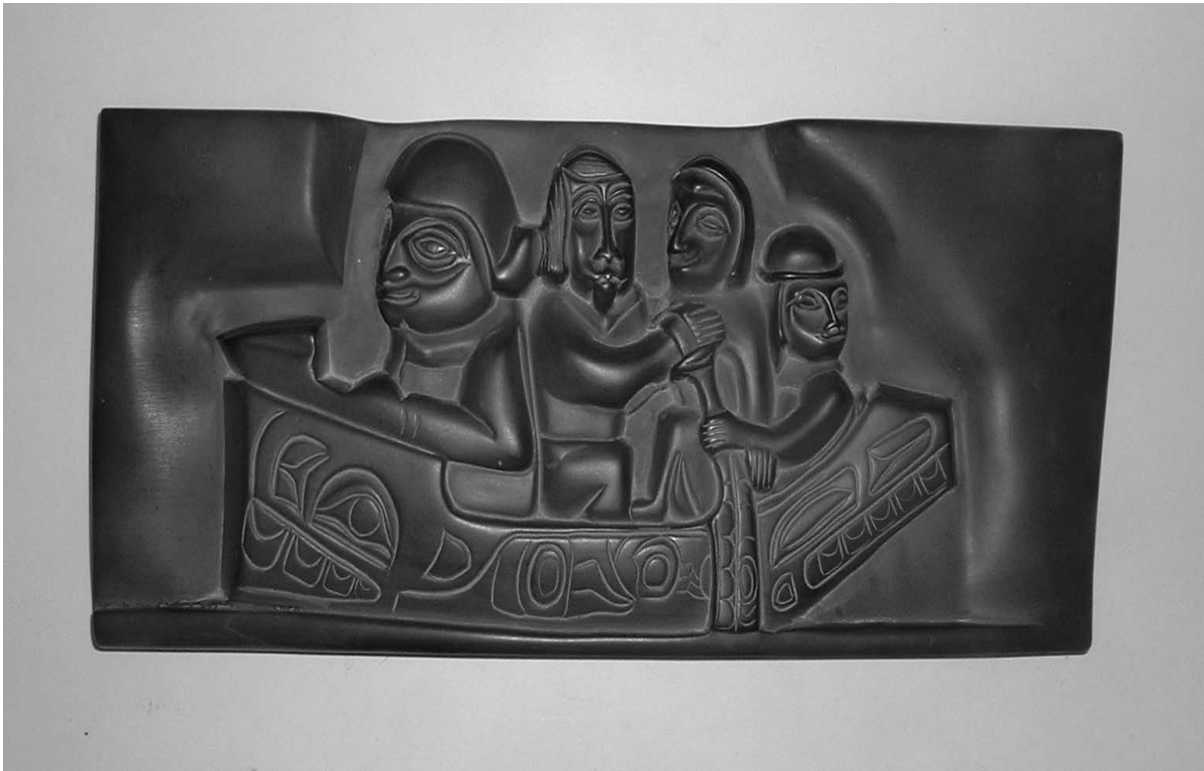
Video: 'Of Times, Tombs, and Treasures'

1. At what age did Tutankhamen die?  
Eighteen
2. Describe the cover of the coffin of Tutankhamen.  
It was gold, inlaid with enamel and semiprecious stones, and is ornately sculpted in the likeness of the boy king.
3. Why is Tutankhamen the most famous of the Egyptian pharaohs?  
His tomb is the only one discovered with most of its contents still intact, including his internal organs.
4. Why were so many of the tombs destroyed and robbed?  
There were semiprecious stones and gold to be found.

## 4.6c Egyptian Art and Relief

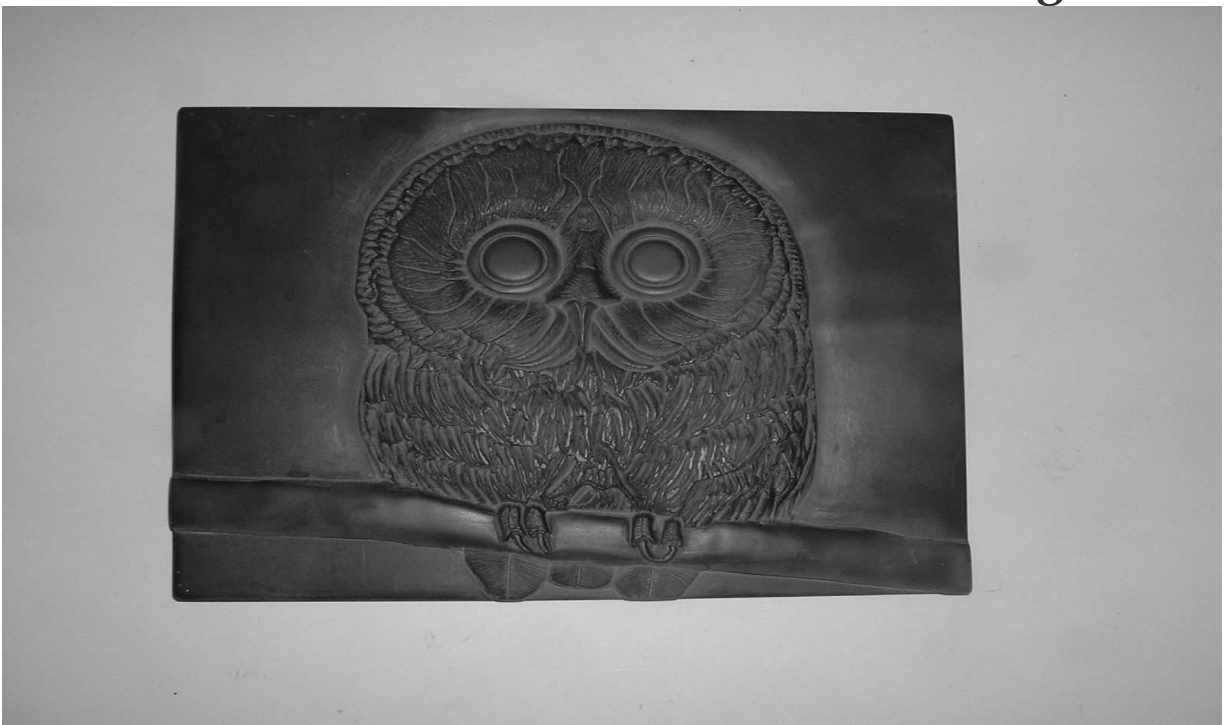
5. Who was Akhenaten and why did so much about the artwork of Egypt change when he was pharaoh? He was Tutankhamen's predecessor. He was a revolutionary that fostered and promoted a new style. There was more precision and refinement in relief carvings. It is not that there was more realism, but rather the forms seemed less 'frozen' as Akhenaten's predecessors. They seem more lifelike and relaxed.
  
6. Who discovered King Tut's tomb? The discovery was made by Howard Carter, an archaeologist.
  
7. Why were so many fabulous treasures found in the tomb with the boy king? They were to help him in his journey through the next world.

## 4.6d Egyptian Art and Relief



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