



Habit, Nun's

Medium

cotton; various metals; plastic; wood; linen; nylon

Description

Nun's habit consisting of blouse (a), skirt (b), cape (c), cincture (d), slip (e), veil (f), headband (g), neckerchief (h), helmet (i), collar (j), linen headband (k), habit rosary (l), and crucifix (m). (a) Blouse. Long-sleeved, black. Six black metal snap buttons down front. Eleven black metal hooks around waist for attaching to skirt (b). Two points gathered at back. (b) Skirt. Black. Full length. Pleated at waist. Inside waist: eleven black metal hooks around waist for attaching to blouse (a); additional hooks along waist: two at edge. Back has a slit (12.5-inch long). Extra black fabric sewn onto inner waist, following pleats. (c) Cape, black. Front has four black metal snap buttons. Flares out at bottom. (d) Cincture. Black cotton. Wavy design. Ends are folded on diagonal angle; sewn in this position. Three metal hooks on each end, near fold, that connect to each other. Rosary connected via loop. (e) Slip. Black cotton. White elastic band around waist. Slit from waist band, down about 12-inch long. Gathered in waist. (f) Veil. Black. Tapers in back. Front is attached to headband (g) and folded back. Front bottom corners connected together via pin. (g) Headband with overlap. White cardboard. Bottom two edges has elastic band; safety pins attached to band. Top part connected to bottom part by white elastic band, through four cut holes; more holes with pins for attachment. Metal grommets on holes. (h) Neckerchief, white cotton. Triangular shape. (i) Helmet. Attaches at top via two white cotton ties. Opening for face in front; piece not attached together behind head. Fabric starched around face. (j) Collar. White cardboard. U-shaped, with wide body. Two holes on each side, top, with

white elastic bands. Each band has metal hook. (k) Linen headband. Rectangular piece of cotton. (l) Habit rosary, wood and metal. Circular black habit rosary with wooden beads and silver metal links. There

extends from the circle a single strand at the end of which is a black wooden cross. The cross bears a white strip with the previous object number. (m) Crucifix on cord, metal, wood, and nylon. Metal crucifix inlaid with wood. There is a Christ-figure pinned to the cross. The crucifix hangs on a nylon cord. There is a white stripe painted on the back of the crucifix with the previous object number.

Dimensions

(a) (measured on form) H: 17.25 ; W (shldrs): 17 ; L (slv): 22 (b) (measured flat) H: 34 ; W : (approx) 47 (c) (measured laying flat) H: 23.5 ; W: 41.5 (d) W: 16.25 ; H (from fold): 8.5 ; L: 2.25 (e) H: 31.25 ; W: 27 (f) (measured flat) W: 19.5 ; L: 39 (g) (measured together) L: 4.375 ; W: 15.5 (h) W: 25.375; L: 13 (i) (measured laying flat) W: 20; L: 15.5 (j) W: 14; L: 11 (k) W: 17 ; L: 30 (l) Length 46.000, Width 2.000; (m) Length 4.125, Width 1.875, Depth, 188.