

PHOTO CAPTION

**Gilded Funerary Mask of Tjuya**

*Egypt*

This exquisite mask, a masterpiece of the jeweler's art, was fitted closely over the head, shoulders and upper chest of the lady Tjuya—Tutankhamun's supposed great-grandmother to preserve and echo her features for eternity. Tjuya wears a long wig and a broad collar of gold and glass. Her eyes are inlaid with obsidian and calcite and the cosmetic lines and eyebrows are inset in dark blue glass. The exhibition ***Tutankhamun and the Golden Age of the Pharaohs*** marks the first time in 26 years that the treasures of Tutankhamun have visited America. The exhibition will fascinate visitors beginning May 26, 2006 through January 1, 2007 at The Field Museum. For more information, call The Field Museum at (312) 922-9410.

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