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**Dimensions**

25 1/2" H x 26 1/2" W

**Object number**

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## Vodoun flag

**Date**

Late 20th C

**Artist/Maker**

Unknown, Haitian

**Medium**

Satin cloth, sequins, and seed beads

**Description**

Carrefour (Crossroads). Ceremonial Vodou flag (drapo) on a light brown satin ground. The central image on the banner is of a crossroad within a scalloped circle, a symbol (vèvè) for Legba. On the diagonal in the left upper corner is the word "Carre" and on the right "Four" in red sequins. This is the French, while in Creole it is Kafou. Kafou is Legba's alter ego, who guards the crossroads at