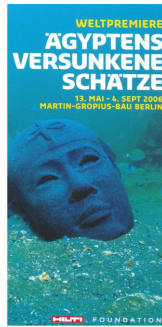


Egypt's Sunken Treasures and Antiquities (May to September 2006)



(Picture 1)

Egypt's Sunken Treasures Exhibition

The exhibition of Egypt's sunken treasures is currently taking place in Berlin, Germany (Picture 1). The exhibition displays 489 antiquities recovered over the last ten years from the waters of the eastern port as well as Abu Kir bay, dating back to the period between 700 BC and the eight century AD.

The exhibition will continue for a period of two years, during which the sunken treasures will tour Europe going through Germany, France and Two other countries in Europe which have not yet been decided yet.

As a first step the exhibition is starting at (the Martin Gropius Bau, (picture 2A and 2B), built in the year 1881 and rebuilt in 1978 due to its extensive destruction during the war) in Berlin, which is considered as one of the most famous and beautiful exhibition halls in Germany, for the period from 13 May 2006 until 4 September 2006.



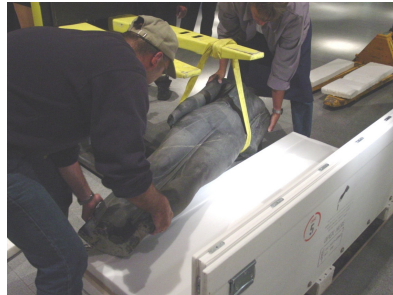
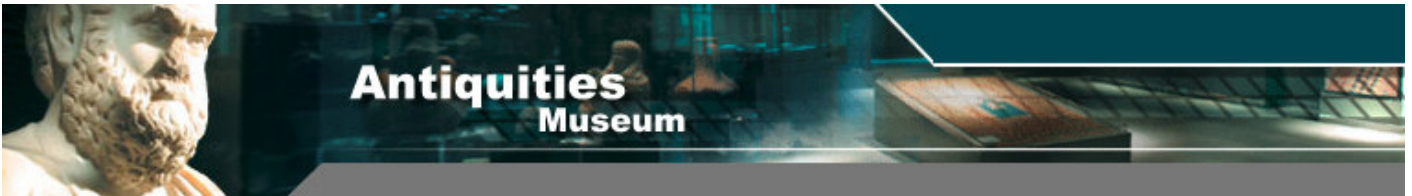
(Picture 2A)

Martin Gropius Bau©



(Picture 2B)

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(Picture3)

Packing the statue of Arsinoe II to her journey to Berlin



(Picture 4)

Head of Serapis, the official god of Egypt during the ptolemaic period.

The BA Antiquities Museum is participating with 31 antiquities that include a black basalt statue of Arsinoe II wife of Ptolemy II (Picture 3, the packing), a piece considered as one of the unique pieces of the collection, also included is the head of Serapis, the official god of Egypt during the Ptolemaic period and gold coins. (picture 4 and 5).



(Picture 5)

A coin representing Ptolemy the first (Soter).



The journey of Caesarion

A new collection was obtained from the Greek museum to display during the period of the exhibition, the collection was discovered at Al Mahmara Area at Sidi Beshr, Alexandria in 1973, which includes a statue of the Goddess Aphrodite and the God Asclepius of healing and health and another statue of his wife Hagia and a statue of the God of war, Mars.

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