

2009-2012 ANDRIAKE KAZILARINDAN ELE GEÇEN UNGUENTARIUM, ŞİŞE, LYKION VE MORTAR ÖRNEKLERİ

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ABSTRACT

Uncovered Unguentarium, Bottle, Lykion and Mortar Examples from Andriake Excavations 2009-2012

In this study, unguentarium, lykion, bottle and mortar examples, most of which were obtained from the Andriake Synagogue and eleven different types of sealed or not sealed unguentaria belonging to the Late Antique Period, obtained from the city in general are evaluated; furthermore form and typological development of cosmetic, medical and liturgical vessels in Andriake are analyzed as a whole. Analyzed ceramics are dated from the Hellenistic Period to the Early Byzantine Period. Apart from this, analysis of sealed samples is quite important in the sense of diversifying the typology of unguentaria in the region belonging to the Late Antique Period. On the basis of sealed unguentaria samples obtained from Andriake, it is observed according to recent studies that local production was undertaken throughout Lycian cities. In Myra, the capital city of Andriake, religion based oil culture of St. Nicholas belonging to the Late Antique Period and sealed unguentaria production dealing with this, is well known. Another local production of the Lycian Region are the unguentaria samples named as “Eşen Type”. Two samples in this type obtained from Andriake represented the existence of local production on the coasts of Lycian cities apart from the Eşen Valley. In this way, the distribution area of the “Eşen type” samples are expanded. Another material group obtained from the Synagogue in Andriake are the medical vessels produced in Patara and named as lykion. Samples in Andriake have similar form, clay and slip characteristics with the Patara ones which shows the trade relations between Patara and Andriake

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