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## Kateri Tekakwitha, (sculpture) (<https://siris-artinventories.si.edu/ipac20/ipac.jsp>)

Save Outdoor Sculpture, South Dakota survey, 1993.

**GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION** 43.07796385, -100.9830086

**NOTES** Save Outdoor Sculpture, South Dakota survey, 1993.  
Image on file.

(On base, left:) E. Brunet 1969/Foundaria/Bronzarete/Milano (Incised on base, front:) KATERI TEKAKWITHA/1656-1680/GLORY OF THE/INDIAN RACE (Incised on base, right:) DEDICATED/TO THE/UNKNOWN SAINTS/PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE/OF THE/AMERICAN INDIAN PEOPLE/JOHN BIRMINGHAM FAMILY (Incised on base, left:) "THE VIRTUES OF/TEKAKWITHA/WERE HEROIC"/PIUS XII signed Founder's mark appears.

The information provided about this artwork was compiled as part of the Smithsonian American Art Museum's Inventories of American Painting and Sculpture database, designed to provide descriptive and location information on artworks by American artists in public and private collections worldwide.

**SUMMARY** Full-length portrait of Native-American Kateri Tekakwitha. She wears a cloak with fringed sleeves, leggings, an apron and moccasins. Her hair is in two braids and she wears a headband. She holds a cross to her chest in her proper right hand. Rosary beads are draped over her bent proper left arm.

**DATE** 1969. Dedicated May 10, 1970

**SCULPTOR** Brunet, Emile

**FOUNDER** Foundaria Bronzarete

**FABRICATOR** Stengal Brothers of Dakota Quarry

**SUBJECT** Tekakwitha, Kateri

**CONTROL NUMBER** IAS SD000084

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