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Marking the centenary of Howard Carter’s remarkable discovery
It’s been 100 years since the groundbreaking discovery of Tutankhamun’s tomb, and Royal Mail is marking the occasion with an exquisite new set of Special Stamps and Collectibles.

The unearthing of King Tutankhamun’s tomb by British archaeologist Howard Carter in 1922 changed the way historians understand the religion, rituals and culture of ancient Egypt – and continues to do so today.

Discover our collection of beautiful photographic stamps showcasing artefacts from Tutankhamun’s tomb, a fascinating Miniature Sheet featuring photographs of the excavation, limited edition Coin Covers produced in partnership with The Royal Mint and a framed souvenir.

This very special collection is perfect for philatelists and history lovers alike.

### 1 Stamp Set | AS9300 £12.06
- Eight stamps featuring a selection of some of the most significant and well-preserved items from King Tutankhamun’s tomb.
- The set features artefacts from the Grand Egyptian Museum, including King Tutankhamun’s iconic gold mask.
- With beautiful images taken by Araldo de Luca, the stamps are presented as four horizontal se-tenant pairs.

#### Second Class Head of the King
- First Class Gold Mask
- First Class Falcon Pendant
- £1.85 Lion Couch
- £1.85 Throne
- £2.55 Boat Model
- £2.55 Guardian Statue

#### Second Class Inlaid Fan
- £1.85 Examining the innermost coffin
- £1.85 Moving small shrine to laboratory

### 2 Miniature Sheet | MZ180 £5.60
- These additional four stamps illustrate the discovery of Tutankhamun’s tomb by a team led by British archaeologist Howard Carter.
- A fascinating selection of photographs taken by Harry Burton, the only photographer allowed inside the tomb during its excavation.
- The background of the miniature sheet is a photograph of the entrance to the tomb.

#### First Class Objects in the antechamber
- First Class Head of the outermost coffin
- £1.85 Examining the innermost coffin
- £1.85 Moving small shrine to laboratory

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7 Presentation Pack | APS14 £18.55
- A beautifully illustrated fold-out souvenir containing all 12 stamps in the Tutankhamun issue.
- The eight main stamps feature a selection of the objects discovered in Tutankhamun’s tomb.
- Inside the special-edition envelope is an information card with the issue’s details and stamp specifications.
- Strictly limited availability – order by 24 November 2022.

Choose your handstamp
All First Day Covers have the option of two new postmarks. The Tallents House postmark depicts two cartouches, used by ancient Egyptians to write the names of their gods and royal people. The alternative postmark features the location of Oxford, the home of The Griffith Institute, experts in Egyptology.

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11 £5 Brilliant Uncirculated Coin Cover | AN221 £19.99

• Produced in partnership with The Royal Mint.
• Includes the new UK £5 coin marking the 100th anniversary of the discovery of Tutankhamun’s tomb.
• The coin is in immaculate Brilliant Uncirculated condition.
• Includes Royal Mail’s eight Tutankhamun Special Stamps, featuring some of the preserved objects found in the tomb.
• Postmarked with a new handstamp designed for the coin cover.
• With words and images from Egyptology experts at The Griffith Institute, the pack offers captivating insight into the moments when Howard Carter and his team uncovered Tutankhamun’s sarcophagus.
• Limited edition of 10,000 individually numbered covers.

9 £5 Silver Proof Coin Cover | AN222 £92.50

• Produced in partnership with The Royal Mint, a new Silver Proof UK £5 coin celebrating the 100th anniversary of the discovery of Tutankhamun’s tomb.
• The coin is struck to a flawless Silver Proof finish, with stunning mirrored and frosted detailing in the design.
• Includes Royal Mail’s eight Tutankhamun Special Stamps, featuring some of the preserved objects found in the tomb.
• Postmarked with a new handstamp designed especially for the coin cover.
• With words and images from Egyptology experts at The Griffith Institute, the pack offers captivating insight into the moments when Howard Carter and his team uncovered Tutankhamun’s sarcophagus.
• Limited to just 750 numbered coin covers.

10 £5 Gold Proof Coin Cover | AN223 £2,865.00

• Produced in partnership with The Royal Mint, a new Gold Proof UK £5 coin celebrating the 100th anniversary of the discovery of Tutankhamun’s tomb.
• The coin is struck from 916.7 Au Gold to a flawless Proof finish using specially polished dies, with stunning mirrored and frosted detailing in the design.
• Includes Royal Mail’s eight Tutankhamun Special Stamps, featuring some of the preserved objects found in the tomb.
• Postmarked with a new handstamp designed especially for the coin cover.
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13 Press Sheet | PZ065 £100.80
• Directly from the printing press, containing 18 Tutankhamun Miniature Sheets
• Limited print run of just 200. Each sheet is individually numbered.

14 Stamp Souvenir | AW231 £15.15
• The Stamp Souvenir is a non-personalised version of the First Day Cover.
• The stamps are cancelled with the alternative Oxford postmark.
• Available until 21 February 2023.

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• A Full Stamp Sheet containing 60 Tutankhamun Second Class stamps.

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• A Half Stamp Sheet containing 30 Tutankhamun Second Class stamps.

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• A Full Stamp Sheet containing 60 Tutankhamun First Class stamps.

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• A Half Stamp Sheet containing 30 Tutankhamun First Class stamps.

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• A Full Stamp Sheet containing 60 Tutankhamun £1.85 stamps.

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• A Half Stamp Sheet containing 30 Tutankhamun £1.85 stamps.

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• A Full Stamp Sheet containing 60 Tutankhamun £2.55 stamps.

23 Half £2.55 Sheet | AS9300DHS £76.50
• A Half Stamp Sheet containing 30 Tutankhamun £2.55 stamps.

24 Framed Stamps | N3305 £46.99
• The complete collection of Tutankhamun stamps in one beautifully presented framed display.
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