



The Egg That Outlasted Rome

A 1,700 year old Roman egg was found whole in England, yolk still inside

Found In A Roman Wishing Well

In 2010, archaeologists near Aylesbury, England, found four whole chicken eggs inside a Roman era pit that people had turned into a wishing well around AD 300.

Source: [Smithsonian Magazine](#)

Eggs Meant For Rebirth

Archaeologist Edward Biddulph says Romans linked eggs to rebirth and fertility, so this was likely an offering left during a funeral rite or religious ceremony.

Source: [Smithsonian Magazine](#)

The One Egg That Held

Of the four eggs, only three came out of the ground whole. Two of those cracked during retrieval in 2010, releasing a sulfurous smell built up over 1,700 years. Only one egg survived the lift whole and intact.

Source: [Buckinghamshire Council](#)

A Scan Thirteen Years On

In 2023 the University of Kent ran a micro CT scan on the surviving egg. Inside, still, was liquid yolk and albumen, and one small air bubble.

Source: [Smithsonian Magazine](#)

The Oldest Of Its Kind

Natural History Museum curator Douglas Russell called it the oldest unintentionally preserved bird egg he had ever seen, with no other naturally preserved egg known to be as old.

Source: [Smithsonian Magazine](#)

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