

# Epitaph of Seikilos

*"I am a tombstone, an image. Seikilos placed me here as a long-lasting sign of deathless remembrance."*

Text: Greek: Seikilos, ca. 1st-2nd c.

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Music: Seikilos, ca. 1st-2nd c.

Hó - son zêis, phaí - nou mē - dèn hó - lōs sù lu - poû  
While you live, shine bright. Let not grief sour your guest, Life,

pròs ol - í - gon és - ti tò zén tò té - los ho khró-nos a - pai - teî.  
stay-ing with you, but for a while. Soon will come due all de-mands of Time.