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Cosmos and Cane Water Sets



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The Cosmos and Cane Water Sets were made by the U.S. Glass Company. Carnival Glass made by U.S. Glass appeared in Butler Brothers adds in 1912. The Water Sets have only been reported in Honey Amber, Marigold and White. I have see what is reported as Marigold and could not tell any difference between the base glass of the Honey Amber sets, I would like to see a Marigold example along side of a Honey Amber. The Honey Amber is lighter than Marigold and different when side by side the example above appears darker because I used a dark background to capture the iridescence. The Water Pitchers and Sets are fairly rare you normally do not see many offered for sale each year at auction.

The Cosmos and Cane pattern can be found in many different shapes such as Chop Plates, Berry Sets, Table Sets and quite a few more including Spittoons. If you ever find a Cosmos and Cane Spittoon you are very lucky they can command very high prices.

Resources Used:

Dave Doty's Carnival Glass Website http://www.ddoty.com/index.html
Carnival Glass Worldwide https://www.carnivalglassworldwide.com/other-usa.html