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**Revisiting the Soter Family Funerary Assemblage:
Newly Identified Materials and Their Implications**

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View of the site from the pyramid chapel of Theban tomb TT 32
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Theban Tomb TT32, originally built for the Ramesside official Djehutymose, was opened in antiquity and repeatedly reused. In the Roman Period it served as a family burial for an individual named Soter, who bore the title ‘Archon of Thebes’. The rich assemblage of funerary material, crucial for understanding Roman-period burial practices, was discovered in 1820 and subsequently dispersed among European collections without adequate excavation records. Reconstructing this family has required extensive work based on papyri and coffin inscriptions, yet this study identifies previously overlooked papyri that could belong to this assemblage. This paper presents these newly identified objects, and discusses their implications for the history of this family and for scribal practices in the production of funerary papyri in Graeco-Roman Thebes.