



Bell Buddhist Bronze Dancer Apsara Khmer Cambodia Thailand Nineteenth



220 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Bronze

Diameter : 3,3 cm

Height : 14,5 cm

Description

Khmer style bronze bell decorated with a dancing young girl, an Apsara*, from Thailand or Cambodia, from the 19th century. This bell is in good general condition, in its own juice. A note: wear and dirt of time on the bronze, see photos. We put other statuettes of the same style for sale on this site. * The Apsara is a female spirit of clouds and waters in Hindu and Buddhist mythology "a celestial nymph" or "celestial maiden". The Apsaras are beautiful supernatural feminine beings. They are young and elegant and superb in the art of dancing. They are often the wives of the Gandharvas, the court musicians of Indra. They dance to music made by the Gandharvas, usually in the palaces of the gods, entertaining and sometimes seducing gods and men. As guardians of fallen heroes, they can be

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compared to the Valkyries of Norse mythology.

As ethereal beings who inhabit the sky and are often depicted in flight, or in the service of a god, they can be compared to angels. Apsaras are said to be able to change their form at will and rule the fortunes of gambling and gambling. They are also associated with fertility rites. Diameter: 3.3 cm

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