

Congo Bembe Statue- Tribal Art - Africa



1 200 EUR

Period: 19th century

Condition: Quelques manques

Material: Solid wood

Height: 14

Description

Ancient Bembe statuette from Congo, presenting a standing ancestor, a stick in his hand. Its belly features fine graphic scarifications in relief. Its eyes are encrusted with two white pearls.

This sculpture, with a magical and religious function, protected its owner from accidents and illnesses.

The right arm and the tip of the headdress are missing, some chips on the feet.

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