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## Statuette Of Shoulao Carved In Boxwood. China Qing Period.



600 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Solid wood

Diameter : 50mm

Height : 120mm

Description
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The Chinese sage of longevity is depicted standing holding a peach branch laden with fruit in his left hand. The peach is the symbol of immortality. The artist has represented Shoulao slightly bent by the weight of his years, his gait is hesitant and his step is reduced and seems slow. The left arm rests on the kidneys to relieve the pain. The details are finely sculpted, the hairs of the beard are precisely incised. The facial expression is well rendered. The hair is pulled back into a bun covered with fabric. Chinese boxwood work, Qing period, 19th century or perhaps before. Very beautiful patina of the wood. Height: 120mm No repair. The boxwood split on the chest.

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