



Yena Cult Figure, Papua New Guinea, Primitive Art, Oceanic Art, Sculpture, Oceania



1 800 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Painted wood

Width : 31 cm

Height : 126 cm

Depth : 31 cm

Description

Rare cult figure called "Yena" collected in the Washkuk hills area in Papua New Guinea. Kwoma ethnic group. The Yena figures are linked to the cult of the yam. They are placed above a large pile of tubers during the first ceremony (there are 3 in all) organized at harvest time, and which aims to thank the ancestors for this sacred gift and ensure a good harvest the following year. The Yena figures symbolize the period of planting yams in the ground. Wood, natural pigments and paint. Exceptional piece sold with a base. Approx. 126 x 31 x 31 cm / EUR1800 base and free shipping costs for France. Shipping costs: France free / EU 120EUR / USA 350EUR.

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