



Kobako - Japanese Lacquer Box, Edo Era

3 500 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Lacquer

Length : 27,5 cm

Width : 23,5 cm

Height : 19 cm

Description

Discover this exceptional kobako, a treasure of Japanese craftsmanship from the Edo period. Measuring 27.5 cm in length, 23.5 cm in width and 19 cm in height, this art object combines elegance and functionality with its majestic design. The box's structure reveals a solid base framed by elaborately lacquered sides, supporting a precision-fitted lid. The visual contrast between the deep black lacquer and vibrant red captures the essence of traditional Japanese elegance. Each side is decorated with golden maki-e motifs, possibly family coats of arms, illustrating ancestral traditions with unparalleled finesse. Upon opening, the glossy black interior provides a striking contrast to the ornate exterior, highlighting the dualism of Japanese art. The perfectly aligned cover continues this aesthetic

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story with identical patterns enriching the visual coherence.

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Hanakago Hyotan (Meiji era)

- double gourd basket for ikebana

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