



Ceremonial Paddle From The Ra'ivavae Islands Before 1846



9 500 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Width : 19 cm

Height : 92 cm

Description

Used as a dance paddle during ceremonies and an emblem of power reserved for chiefs intended to symbolically direct the canoe or the group. A rare example carved from dense wood using archaic tools, it is in perfect condition and features tiki heads on its upper part. Very beautiful patina.

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