

Larg Wden Carved Mortar On Heel, The Trainer Of Animals



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Period : 19th century Condition : Bon état Material : Solid wood

Diameter: 15 cm Height: 20 cm

Description

FOLK ART Early 19th century, or late 18th century Superb and large carved wooden MORTAR, MONOXYLE, on a pedestal, accompanied by ITS PILON Decoration engraved in the wood on the back side: * of the initial B (reference to the name of its former owner?), * a large heart with 3 points in its center, * and a cross in an architectural reserve, like a chrurch quicky sketched. The main façade depicts an amusing scene from the MASSTER / TRAINER OF ANIMALS, a figure in the center standing in front of him seeming to hold or contain 2 animals, one on each side. The circular borders and some contours of the drawings are frequently serrated in a rather primitive way. Will we notice the VERY NAÏVE STYLE of the drawings Ardèche, Auvergne or Savoie / Alpes' mountains

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area? Early 19th century (or late 18th) Very good condition (an old crack blocked very long ago at the pedestal) and superb patina of the wood, blond to red shade. Dimensions 20 cm height and 15 cm diameter