



16th Century Penknife, Tiny, Openwork Iron, Engraved And Turned Bone

540 EUR

Period : 16th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Wrought iron

Length : 8cm

Width : 1,2cm



Description

Amazing little object, (perhaps ritual), which made me search a lot in documentation, finally found in D'Allemagne collection, see attached photo. We find dimensions, turned brass with beads and inlaid bone rings, and sharp blade, from beaten iron, with 4 openwork and a fine dotted engraving. Good condition, material is beautiful, shape too. Dimensions: 8cm x 1.2cm. featherweight: 7gr. A knife with similar blade, but larger, is in a medical museum, as acircumcision knife.... curious... (photo) This item is for immediate purchase, payable by credit card or paypal. - eclectic - antique dealers since 1970, Siret: FR 24.430113233. Invoice and Certificate are attached to each of our shipments.

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