



Papuan Ritual Bowl, Tami Island

1 500 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Solid wood

Length : 71

Height : 11

Depth : 24

Description

Hand-carved nautical-shaped kwila wooden bowl (intsia bijuga), decorated with relief and incised motifs, the entire surface rubbed with black volcanic earth and plant sap. Oceania, Melanesia, Papua New Guinea, Huon Gulf region, Tami Island, late 19th century. Provenance: Claude de Marteau Estate. Sold with certificate of provenance. L 71 cm x H 11 cm x W 24 cm. See full-screen photos of this Papuan ritual bowl on our website

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