



A Lacquer And Ivory Okimono Box Depicting A Samurai Armor



9 800 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Ivory

Height : 16 cm

Description

An okimono-box in lacquer and ivory depicting a samurai armor, mounted on a container entirely decorated in hiramaki-e, hiramame, and kirikane lacquer techniques. On the sides are Sojobo, the king of the Tengu, holding a fan and dressed as a yamabushi, and Yoshitsune, holding a wooden staff. At the top, above the kabuto helmet, rests a karasutengu.

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Unsigned

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Period: Meiji, circa 1880

For a similar example of a lacquer box in the shape of an armor, see Meiji no Takara, Treasures of Imperial Japan, part of the Nasser D. Khalili Collection.

In particular, refer to Lacquer Part II, item no.

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