



## Djenné Statuette



1 500 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Terracotta

Length : 20

Width : 16

Height : 45

### Description

This female terracotta statuette from the Djenné culture is presented kneeling, hands resting on her thighs. The stylized, slightly turned face expresses a certain interiority. She wears a sculpted pearl necklace, bracelets, as well as ritual scarifications on her torso and stomach. The elongated proportions, elaborate hairstyle, and treatment of the hands testify to a refined aesthetic specific to the terracotta productions of this flourishing civilization. These figures often accompanied the dead, playing a symbolic or protective role, and also reflecting the social or spiritual status of the deceased.

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