

## Jimma Traditional Headrest



#### **300 EUR**

Period: 20th century Condition: Bon état Material: Solid wood

Length: 16 Width: 12

Height: 17

### Description

A traditional headrest from the Jimma region of Ethiopia, associated with the Oromo people. Carved from dense, polished wood, it served to preserve elaborate hairstyles while sleeping, while affirming its owner's social status. A personal object, often carried when traveling, it symbolizes masculine dignity and a spiritual connection to the land and ancestors. Its clean, harmonious form reflects a minimalist and functional aesthetic. Beyond its practical function, it embodies an intimate and cultural presence, a silent witness to the oral traditions and daily gestures of its people.

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