

Yipwon Cult Figure, Papua New Guinea, Oceanic Art, Primitive Art, Tribal Art, 90 Cm



370 EUR

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

Width: 6 cm Height: 90 cm Depth: 7 cm

Description

Wooden sculpture called "Yipwon", presented and sold mounted on a base. The Yipwon is one of the most stylized and symbolic objects of the Sepik River region. These sculptures are placed in the Haus Tambaran (ceremonial house) and are closely linked to the warrior world. Its other name, wanleg (from the English "one leg") in pidgin English designates all the figures of this style found in the Korewori River area. Here carved in a root (wood knot visible on the back). Missing and traces of use. Approx. 90 x 6 x 7 cm / 370EUR base and free shipping.

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