

## An Ivory Netsuke Depicting Roshi Seated On The Back Of A Buffalo



6 500 EUR

Period: 18th century

Condition: Très bon état

Material : Ivory Width : 2,3 cm

Height: 6,5 cm

Depth: 1,5 cm

## Description

A finely carved ivory netsuke depicting Roshi seated on the back of a buffalo.

The animal, its muzzle held by a rope, is shown with its head lowered as it carries the master.

Roshi wears a wide robe with flowing sleeves, his hair tied up and his long flowing beard framing his serene face.

The ivory has developed a yellowish patina that enhances the volumes and contrasts of the carving. Himotoshi on the back and under the buffalo.

Period: Edo period, 18th century Dimensions:  $6.5 \times 2.3 \times 1.5$  cm Condition: Excellent condition Dealer

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