

The Dragon And The Templar Cross. An Extremely Rare Medallion Carved In Carnelian.



7 500 EUR

Signature: Siciliano

Period: Before 16th century

Condition: Parfait état

Material: Semi precious stone

Diameter: cm.4

Height: cm.1

Description

The Dragon and the Templar Cross. An extremely rare medallion carved in Carnelian, with the esoteric depiction of the Dragon, symbol of power, which kills all who encounter it. In the eternal dualism of opposites, the Holy Cross is contrasted with the Dragon, symbol of evil, heresy, sin, and demonic power. The carving on the extremely hard Carnelian displays remarkable elegance and sculptural mastery. Sicily, 12th-13th century. Diameter 5 cm, height 2 cm. To be published in the text 'The Templars in Sicily'.

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