



An Antique And Large High-quality Bronze Bonsho



2 400 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Width : 38 cm

Height : 65 cm

Description

An antique and large bonsho (Buddhist temple bell) in high-quality bronze, made in the Edo period and dated 1754 (the fourth year of the Horeki era). At the center appears the vertical inscription in relief with the devotional formula of the Pure Land schools (??? / ???):????? - Namu Amida Butsu, an invocation addressed to Amida Buddha. The inscriptions within the rectangular panels read:???? ?? ?? - Spring, 1754???????? - Village of Wada, Suzuka district, present-day Mie Prefecture??? ??? ???? - The master founder Abo Tsuneji. In the upper section appear the traditional protuberances ? (chi), arranged in four rows of four, while the handle ?? (ryuzu) depicts two confronting dragon heads, symbols of strength and wisdom, modeled with care and precision. Period: Edo, 1754 (fourth year

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of the Horeki era)Dimensions: 65 × 38
cmWeight: 30.6 kgCondition: Excellent, with its
original patina preserved