



Statuette Of Hanuman South India (tamil Nadu), Late 19th - Early 20th Century.

130 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Height : 7 cm



Description

A small bronze votive statuette depicting Hanuman standing on a stepped, quadrangular pedestal, his hands clasped in namaste before his torso. The simian head, with its rounded muzzle and delicately incised eyes, is framed by a mandorla sculpted with a finely radiating design. The figure wears a loincloth adorned with vertical hatching and simplified ornaments along the shoulders. The frontal modeling, the symmetry of the volumes, and the incised details--particularly around the headdress, face, and garment--attest to meticulous craftsmanship intended for a domestic altar. Bronze, old patina, signs of wear. South India (Tamil Nadu), late 19th - early 20th century. Dimensions: 7 × 4 × 2.8 cm. Sold with an invoice from Galerie Ocarina and a certificate of authenticity from the expert Serge Reynes. *

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