



Antique Tibetan Utilitarian Knife With Pierced Iron Scabbard, Late 19th Century

365 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Other

Length : 24 cm



Description

Genuine Tibetan working knife with pierced and chased iron scabbard, wooden handle, and short single-edged blade. This is an authentic utilitarian object, made for daily wear and use rather than for ceremonial or decorative purposes. The cylindrical iron scabbard is hand-worked with pierced decoration featuring a stylised protective beast or dragon motif, a common element in Tibetan folk metalwork. The surface shows honest wear, oxidation, and irregularities consistent with hand forging and long-term use. Rear suspension bar and ring for belt wear. The handle is carved from dark wood, simply shaped for grip, with a metal ferrule at the blade junction. The blade is broad and functional, showing signs of repeated sharpening and use, as expected on a genuine working knife. A compact and honest

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example of Tibetan material culture, dating to the late 19th or very early 20th century. Total length in scabbard: 24 cm Condition: Good condition, with expected wear and patina from age and use.

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