



## Vintage Kokeshi 1970 - By Toa Sekigushi ( Born 1942) #69



180 EUR

Signature : Toa Sekigushi ( né 1942)

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Solid wood

Height : 45

### Description

Kokeshi model Hana Kazari | Flower Dress- by Toa Sekigushi ( born 1942) circa 1970

Condition: some traces of handling, micro shocks - workshop stamp. ----- the artist:Toa

was born in the town of Shibukawa, where his family specialized in Sosaku Kokeshi.He is the son of Son of SekigushiSansaku, a renowned master. ofof numerous awards, he received the Ministry of Internationalin 1978. Since then, he has won thethe Prime Minister's Award, as well as other distinctions. This is aa piece from the early days of his business, very vintage 70s.

Laterhis styleornamentation would become rich in detail and pattern; sequins and gold. Our doll features a "helmet" hairstyle, inspired by Buddha's spherical bun. Some art critics describe this doll as embodying the "beauty of

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silence".-----about kokeshis kokeshi  
appeared in the 1820s-40s (late edo  
era).Originally, they were made from scrap wood  
by craftsmen and peasants and sold to  
townspeople.They were toys for little girls, or  
offered as tokens of love or friendship; or  
symbolized the desire to have a healthy child.the  
doll is the result of a Shinto communion with  
nature (forest / wood / landscape).Their chignon  
is an evocation of Buddha.A certificate, an artist's  
note and a detailed explanation of the art of  
kokeshis will be given to the purchaser.