



Folk Art - Wooden Snuffbox



250 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Solid wood

Length : 9,23 cm

Width : 3,95 cm

Height : 3,82 cm

Description

Sculpted wood snuffbox with anthropomorphic decoration. On the front of the snuffbox is a face, the eyes are represented with two rhinestones, the nose in carved wood, and the mouth with foliage. The reverse features a figurative scene carved in relief depicting several characters in an architectural setting. The hinged lid reveals a hollowed interior intended for snuff. The metal hinge slides into the lid but does not remain fixed. It is probably broken inside the lid. A curiosity and folk art object, this snuffbox illustrates the taste for carved pieces of character, blending humor, craftsmanship virtuosity and imaginary fantasy. Late 19th, early 20th century work. Dimensions-Weight: 47.89 grams Length: 9.23 centimeters at longest Width: 3.95 centimeters at widest Height: 3.82 centimeters You

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