



Kaarlo Merikoski (1878-1954) Knife And Its Sheath Sami Culture, Northern Finland



800 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Description

Kaarlo MERIKOSKI (1878-1954) KNIFE and its SHEATH Sami culture, northern Finland Circa 1925 Horn, steel, and leather Total length: 22 cm Blade length: 19.5 cm A knife with a straight, single-edged blade, engraved with the maker's name and located in Oulu. The tang is carved from a section of reindeer antler and adorned with an incised frieze and an applied polychrome ring. Its sheath consists of two riveted pieces of andouiller wood, slightly curved and tapering at the ends--one side is engraved with a lively scene depicting a man in his sleigh, pulled by a reindeer. The upper part of the sheath features a leather patch with geometric patterns and a metal hanging hook. Provenance: Former American private collection.

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