18th-century Wedding Chest From India (kerala)



480 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Painted wood

Length : 32cm

Width : 21cm

Height : 23cm

Description

A wooden box from Portia (teak) used to hold the bride's jewelry; it echoes the pyramidal shape of the houses in the province of Kerala on the Malabar Coast in southwestern India. The ornamentation consists of wrought iron in a flamed and crescent-moon pattern; this box features a hasp lock (without a key) and retains its original polychrome finish. India, Kerala, 18th century

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