



Silver Betel Box From The 1900s In The Shape Of An Elephant, Southeast Asian Handicraft Genuine



400 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Sterling silver

Length : 20 cm

Width : 10 cm

Height : 17.5 cm

Description

1900s silver betel box in the shape of an elephant, crafted in Southeast Asia. A true gem of craftsmanship, this elephant-shaped betel box is crafted from a sheet of metal that has been repoussé, chiseled, and hammered, consisting of two parts: the box and the lid. Betel is a natural plant used as a stimulant, similar to chewing tobacco. It is popular among communities in Southeast Asia for its health benefits: it aids digestion, acts as a natural antiseptic, and provides relief from joint pain. The beauty of this box and its excellent condition demonstrate the great refinement of the folk craftsmanship of these Asian regions, as well as the respect its former owner had for it; today, it makes a perfect collector's item. Fast and careful shipping to France, Europe, and worldwide. Dimensions->

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Height x Length x Total Width: 17.5 x 20 x 10
cm-> Height x Length x Interior Width: 5 x 15 x
9.5 cm-> Weight: 500 grams