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Two Shibuichi Kozuka, Edo Period, Fine Quality



340 EUR

Signature : Art Japonais

Period : 19th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Metal

Length : 9,5cm

Width : 1cm

Description

This lot consists of two handles from the famous utility knives traditionally carried by samurai. Each kozuka features a smooth side, designed to slide easily into the katanas scabbard, and a decorated side displaying refined metalwork. The kozuka are made of patinated copper alloy (shibuichi) and enhanced with silver and gold overlays and inlays. The lot includes two attractive examples: a crane resting among apple blossoms, a fishing-return scene featuring a finely rendered golden crustacean. This piece is signed by the artisan ?? (Mitsuyoshi). The value of lot is primarily based on this signed kozuka; the second kozuka is included as a bonus. Dimensions: 9.5 × 1 cm (3.74 × 0.39 in). Condition: good overall condition, light wear, attractive surviving gilding. Buy It Now:

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