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Antique Sri Lankan Kandyan Bronze Seated Buddha With Mandorla Ceylon



365 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Height : 11.8 cm

Description

A finely detailed antique Sri Lankan bronze figure of the seated Buddha, created in the distinctive Kandyan artistic tradition. The Buddha is seated in Virasana, the hero's meditation posture, with both hands resting neatly in his lap in Dhyana mudra, symbolising deep contemplation, spiritual balance and inner stillness. His monastic robe, or civara, falls over the left shoulder and is rendered with deeply incised, tightly packed parallel folds that undulate across the body. The ushnisha is surmounted by a stylised flame-shaped finial known as a siraspata, representing the radiant spiritual energy and supreme enlightenment of the Buddha. The figure is framed by an elegant teardrop-shaped mandorla. Its richly worked, layered border incorporates miniature nested motifs resembling

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stylised flames or the protective makara-derived arches associated with Kandyan regional art. A charming and particularly decorative small example of Sri Lankan Buddhist bronze sculpture. Height: 11.8 cm / 4.65 inches Good condition. SOLD WITH A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY It is possible to pay in installments. If you have any questions do not hesitate to call me 0678679716 or email tdixonfrance@yahoo.co.uk. Frais de port inclus pour la France. Shipping included in the price for FRANCE. Price does not include international shipping. Please contact me for a shipping quote. I am happy to combine shipping costs if you buy more than one item to save you money. Please note that I ship all items insured priority mail with tracking. I am an Englishman living down in the beautiful rural South of France and spend my days searching the little brocantes, flea markets, and shops for treasures. If you are forming a collection, I will be happy to advise you. We speak English and French. Nous parlons anglais et français. Any questions will be answered promptly. MONEY BACK WITHOUT QUESTION IF I MISREPRESENT SOMETHING IN ANY WAY. I want YOU to be happy at the end of the day, so buy with confidence. I take a great deal of care packing - I have a proven track record of selling high value, fragile items that arrive safely worldwide. Payment: Credit Cards via PayPal. Cheque or Bank transfer. Other payment methods are available, please ask.