



## Amazing Kota Relic Box From Gabon



2 250 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Other

Length : 60

Width : 37

Depth : 8

### Description

From Christie's, with its unattainable auction results, to specialized galleries and online marketplaces, the web is a delight. It makes you wonder: what could have inspired the creator of this incredible face, nestled in the heart of the equatorial forest, to imagine such a protective being, a guardian of the forces of the afterlife...? The wood, carved by the force of iron blows--still visible on the back--was covered with its studded copper adornment. This reliquary stood enthroned above the bones of dignitaries, resting in a wicker basket under its protection for decades, toward the end of the 19th century. This authentic effigy still has the power to ward off the invisible forces of evil... Without a doubt. It is remarkably exceptional from an aesthetic standpoint, complete and in perfect condition. It

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