



Naga Necklace, Late 19th-early 20th Century



650 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Brass

Description

Stunning and rare three-headed Naga necklace made of brass 6 glass olives; the rest are orange--I don't know what the material is (ceramic, glass, coral?) Total length: 43 cm Beautiful antique patina The Naga people live in Southeast Asia, in northeastern India, Nagaland Three bronze heads Only warriors who had captured heads were allowed to wear this type of necklace A grand ritual commemorated this tradition Cutting off heads was believed to promote crop fertility, support livestock farming, curb disease, etc. In very good condition From a private collection free shipping

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