



Very Old Koto Blade From Wakizashi In Shirasaya, Signed Norimitsu And Dated From 1465

4 700 EUR

Signature : Norimitsu 6ème Génération

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Wrought iron



Description

Very old Koto blade from Wakizashi in Shirasaya in very good condition, Zaimei (Signed) "Bishu Osafune Norimitsu" ? ? ? ? ? and dated "Kansho 6" ? ? 6 ? ? ? ?, ie February 1465. (15th century)
Type of certificate : Torokusho Certificate N ° 128594 - Date: Done on: ? ? 29 ? 5 ? 9 ?, that is: 9May 2017, bearing the dimensions: 47.1cm and 61cm in total length as well as the inscription of the name dated February 1465 - Issued by Osaka Prefecture. Details on the characteristics of the blade: Moto-haba: 2.8cm Saki-haba: 1.7cm Moto-gasane: 0.6cm Saki-gasane: 0.4cm.Rating / Blacksmith Rating : Blade Rating: Mi-Koto : Wazamono - Cut Test Rating: Chujyosaku. Osafune blades are part of the Sue-Bizen family of blades, early Muromachi. Mi-Koto blade period, ? ?.Region of : Chugokutchiho or

Dealer

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Chugoku region, central Japan, Okayama

Prefecture. Date: 1465 Kansho Era (1460-1466) -

Muromachi period Blacksmith school : Bizen -

Location: Chugokutchiho, or Chugoku region,

central Japan, Okayama Prefecture. Norimitsu

Kansho 6th generation, of his 1st name Saemon

(1460-1466) Bizen. Due to the fact that there are

blades signed and dated 1477 "Bunmei era" and

bearing the mention "forged by Norimitsu at the

age of 72 years", there is a theory according to

which the Norimitsu of the 5th and 6th generation

would be the same

blacksmith. Characteristics Total length of the

blade : 61cm Nagasa (Length of the cutting edge)

: 47.1 cm Weight : 438 grs Steel type :

Tamahagane Sori : Height of the curvature: 1.4

cm - Type : Chuzori Mekugi-ana : 1 Nakago type

: Standard , Futsu-Gata - End type :

Ha-agari-kuri-jiri - Original "UBU" (original

without shortening) - Yasurime type :

Kosuji-chigai Mune type : Iori Mune Sugata type

: Shinogi Zukuri No-hi (without grooves) Jihada

type : Itame Hada Hamon type : Hosoi-Suguha

(narrow) Kissaki type : O-kissaki Boshi type :

Ko-maru Habaki type : Niju Habaki (In 2 pieces),

Mito Habaki (With lime lines all over its surface,

gold plated Defects : In very good condition,

some scratches and traces of oxidation due to the

age of the 1465 blade, ie over 550 years!