

Rare Anthropomorphic Snuff Box In The Shape Of A Foot In A Sandal



535 EUR

Period: 19th century

Condition: Très bon état

Material: Wallnut

Length: 11,3 cm

Height: 5,3 cm

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Description

An anthropomorphic snuff box from the beginning of the 19th century which is really out of the ordinary.

we regularly come across snuffboxes in the shape of a shoe but this one goes off the beaten track with this foot in a very nicely treated sandal. it is in carved walnut with a very beautiful patina, the sandal comes out with blackened walnut and the toe nails are inlaid with bone as well as the lid inlaid with bone in a diamond.

Note that it is in excellent condition and that its cover works perfectly with a small brass ring inlaid in the bone diamond.

notice the delicacy with which the foot is treated with its pretty toes and especially the delicacy of the ankle.

a very beautiful collector's snuff box with an

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original subject.

size:

11.3 cm long and 5.3 cm high.

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