



Large Antique Indian Bronze Ardhanarishvara Hermaphrodite Hindu Deity Shiva Parvati



625 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Height : 44 cm

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Description

Large Antique Indian bronze ardhanarishvara hermaphrodite Hindu deity Shiva Paevati Chola style Ardhanarishvara (Ardhanarisvara, lit. 'the half-female Lord'), is a form of the Hindu deity Shiva combined with his consort Parvati. Ardhanarishvara is depicted as half-male and half-female, equally split down the middle. Ardhanarishvara represents the synthesis of masculine and feminine energies of the universe (Purusha and Prakriti) and illustrates how Shakti, the female principle of God, is inseparable from (or the same as, according to some interpretations) Shiva, the male principle of God, and vice versa. The union of these principles is exalted as the root and womb of all creation. Another view is that Ardhanarishvara is a symbol of Shiva's all-pervasive nature. The

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right half is usually the male Shiva, illustrating his traditional attributes. Period - 19th century or earlier Condition - Good condition Measurement - Height 44 cm SOLD WITH A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY It is possible to pay in installments. On parle français. Wij spreken Nederlands 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. 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.