

SA1050906

PAIR OF 19TH CENTURY JAPANESE CERAMIC SHACHIKOKO ROOF ORNAMENTS

Price

GBP 2,495

| USD \$3,376 | EUR 2,919

Item Reference: SA1050906**Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 77.5 cm (30.5")

Width = 43.8 cm (17.2")

Depth = 25.4 cm (10.0")

Description

STRIKING PAIR OF 19TH CENTURY SHACHIKOKO ROOF ORNAMENTS CIRCA 1880. THESE APPEAR TO BE 'SHACHIKOKO' SEA MONSTERS STILL RETAINING THEIR BOLD COLOURS, SHOWING THE HEAD OF A DRAGON WITH THE BODY OF A CARP. BOTH ARE MADE FROM 2 SECTIONS AND WOULD HAVE BEEN ORIGINALLY NAILED TO THE ROOF. BECAUSE OF THE MATERIAL USED AND THEIR PURPOSE THERE ARE LOSSES AND REPAIRS. THESE HAVE BEEN PHOTOGRAPHED SO PLEASE CHECK.

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