

SA1192657

19th century Chinese fisherman with trap carved in hardwood

Price

GBP 325

| USD \$440 | EUR 380

Item Reference: SA1192657

Date of manufacture: 1900

Dimensions

Height = 30 cm (11.8")

Width = 12 cm (4.7")

Depth = 9 cm (3.5")

Description

This good quality Chinese hardwood carved figure depicts a fisherman bear footed and dressed in traditional robes. He has a long, flowing beard, and his hair is drawn up and tied on the top of his head. He has a very happy expression, showing finely inlaid carved bone teeth. He has been successful with his work. In one hand is a woven bamboo fish trap, and in the other a large fish that he has just removed from the trap. He stands on a naturalistic, pierced, rocky base, all carved from a single block of hardwood. This figure shows good detail and is in good condition with a few very minor age related shrinkage cracks. It has a well polished patina and a rich colour. Signed with Chinese characters on the underside. Chinese, circa 1900 Height 30cm x width 12cm x depth 9cm

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