

SA668406

Pair of late C19th Chinese Qing Dynasty carved hardwood sculptures of auspicious Mandarin ducks .

Price

GBP 475

| USD \$642 | EUR 556

Item Reference: SA668406

Date of manufacture: 1900

Dimensions

Height = 25 cm (9.8")

Width = 30 cm (11.8")

Depth = 10 cm (3.9")

Description

Pair of late C19th Chinese Qing Dynasty carved hardwood sculptures of auspicious Mandarin ducks . Well executed , carved stylised hardwood sculptures of a pair of Mandarin ducks . Depicted stood on naturalistic 'rocky' bases , with detailed feather carving and each fitted with carved bone and ebony eyes . In Chinese culture and Feng Shui Mandarin ducks , and in particular a pair, are kept in a home to enhance and attract love . They are known as love ducks , as in real life too Mandarin ducks are single partner species. Once separated they do not live a long time and apparently grieve for their missing partner , and wait for their return. In Feng Shui they are a 'tool' that symbolises love and attracts and enhances love and passion amongst couples. In excellent original condition with a rich colour and patina to the heavy quality Chinese rosewood. H 10" W 12" D 4" China c.1900

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