

Basic Detail Report



Bowl

Date
20th Century

Primary Maker
Igbo

Medium
Wood

Description

Igbo, Kola Nut Bowl, Nigeria Dark carved wood, incised details, raised carving in center with 2 faces. Carved piece with faces is a lid. Bowls such as this are used to hold condiments or sauces for dipping kola nuts. Kola nuts are an integral part of Igbo ritual and daily life and are given hospitably to guests.

Dimensions

Overall: 8 1/2 x 14 5/8 in. (21.6 x 37.1 cm)