

# Basic Detail Report

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## Wedding Procession

**Date**

20th Century

**Primary Maker**

Yoruba

**Medium**

Wood, cowrie shell and bead

**Description**

Unique, rare ceremonial wood carving of the Yoruba Tribe of Nigeria, illustrating a wedding procession depicting five male and eight female figures aligned in five rows. Two figures a man and a woman appear to be the central figures of the procession. Man bears diamond shaped incisions on his cheeks representing scarification; he is wearing Fes type hat. Woman holds long tresses in either hand.

**Dimensions**

Overall: 6 3/4 x 14 1/2 x 14 1/2 in. (17.1 x 36.8 x 36.8 cm)