
PAGODA RED



KWERE CHIEFTAIN'S STAFF

\$1,180

c. 1950 • Tanzania • Wood • Collection #CAA306E

H: 66.6" Dia: 2.0"

To the Kwere tribe of Tanzania, finely carved, darkwood staffs were used as status symbols. Healers, shamans, warriors, and, in this case, chieftains, would carry them to display their power. Here, a man sits proudly in a high-backed, figurative stool reserved for the chieftain. From the highly-detailed carving at the top to the gracefully tapered shaft ending in a finished point, this staff displays a proud history as an eye-catching sculptural object.



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Additional Dimensions:

Stand: 7"W x 7"D x 48"H



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