



Divination Bowl (Agere Ifa)

Date

20th century

Primary Maker

Nigeria, Yoruba people

Medium

wood and stain

Description

The chicken is the animal most often used as a sacrificial offering. The humble domestic bird is therefore a symbol of devotion and communication with the spirit world.

Dimensions

Overall: 8 1/4 x 6 1/8 x 7 3/4 in. (21 x 15.6 x 19.7 cm)