



Mortar and Pestle

Date

20th century

Primary Maker

Artist Unknown

Medium

wood, stain, shell and copper alloy

Description

Beautifully inlaid chip carving adorns Muslim household objects across North Africa and down the Swahili (East) Coast.

Dimensions

Overall (Mortar): 11 5/8 × 9 1/8 in. (29.5 × 23.2 cm)

Overall (Pestle): 27 1/8 × 2 1/2 in. (68.9 × 6.4 cm)