

Netsuke: Tobosaku (Chinese: Dongfang Shou) sennin, who stole the peach of immortality

Japanese Collection

Accession Nr.:	53.393.1 
Type:	bone objects; object for daily use; statuette
Artist/Maker:	Gyokuo, Chikurindo
Date of production:	C. mid-19th century Edo (Tokugawa) period or Meiji era
Place of production:	Iwami, Japan
Signed:	Signed: Gyokuo / 玉翁
Materials/Technique s:	ivory
Dimensions:	height: 4.2 cm

Artist's full name: Chikurindo Gyokuo (竹林堂玉翁)

Purchased at the Oppenheimer auction, Munich, 1913. (HMI_227/1953)

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Analogy (of signature):

<https://www.bonhams.com/auction/26580/lot/48/a-small-boar-tusk-netsuke-with-an-eagle-and-pine-by-gyokuo-iwami-province-19th-century>

