

Heavy Vintage Deity Head, South American, Carved Crystal, Gilt Metal, Artefact



DESCRIPTION

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This is a heavy vintage deity head. A South American, carved crystal and gilt metal decorative artefact, dating to the mid 20th century, circa 1950

- Highly distinctive and fascinatingly heavy skull in the Inca or Pre-Columbian manner
- Displays a desirable aged patina and in good original order throughout
- Profusely carved form, with an exaggerated skull depth
- Adorned with quality un-hallmarked soft yellow metal
- Ovoid eyes adorned with smaller grimacing faces
- Large wolf like figure at the side, with a gilt finished head and snake's head to the tail
- Substantial weight in the hand at 13.85kg (30.5 lb)

This is a fascinating vintage deity head, with a striking form and heft. Delivered ready to display.

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DIMENSIONS

Max Width: 18cm (7")
Max Depth: 29cm (11.5")
Max Height: 21cm (8.25")

LIST PRICE

£2,950.00

