PAGODA RED







PROVINCIAL IRON BELL

\$780

c. 1850 • Northern China, China • Iron • Collection #S157C H: 17.0" Dia: 11.0"

This rustic, 19th-century iron bell once pealed in celebration or gave notice of important events in a town in northern China. The shoulder of the bell is decorated with subtle linework in low relief for added texture. Marked with holes to affix a clapper or insert a pole, the bell looks lovely lit from within by a flickering candle or simply stationed as a garden sculpture.