



## TURTLE WEDDING STOOL

**\$1,280**

c. 1900 • Unknown • Paint, Wood • Collection #CAA1324

W: 13.0" D: 23.25" H: 13.75"

Cultures across the world associate turtles with many similar symbols--wisdom, longevity, and protection, to name a few. In Africa, these symbols exist alongside hundreds of stories of sly old turtles using their hard earned wits to outsmart opponents. Each of these qualities are visible in this endearingly mischievous wedding stool. The bride to be would have rested on this symbolic stool, ensuring longevity, protection, wisdom, and a little playful fun for her marriage to come.



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