Basic Detail Report



Kogai (Skewer)

Date 1800s

Primary Maker

Japanese

Medium

metal, wood and textile

Description

Tanto sword (short), matched kogai (skewer) and kajuka (handle of short dagger) with matched fuchi kashira. (Kashira - metal cap which fits on the head of the handle. Fuchi - oval ring encircling base of handle). Matched bird memuchi (small ornaments on either side of hilt.

Dimensions

 $16.5 \times 0.9 \text{ cm} (6 1/2 \times 3/8 \text{ in.})$