Basic Detail Report



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Title

Belt Buckle - Chief Illiniwek

Date

20th Century

Primary Maker

Basic Tool Supply (BTS)

Medium

Metal (brass), Bone

Description

This is an oval-shaped brass belt buckle with a scrimshaw inset of an image depicting Chief Illiniwek. Chief Illiniwek is wearing traditional Native American clothing with a feathered headdress and is depicted in a dancing pose. Stamped into the back of the buckle is text stating, "SOLID BRASS BTS MADE IN U.S.A."

Dimensions

3 1/2 in. (8.9 cm)

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