

DOKRAARTS AUCTION



LIVING TRADITIONS: FOLK AND TRIBAL

Dokra is one of the ancient Indian art forms showcasing the local lifestyle and culture of people making the art. The vanishing wax method of metal casting, popularly known as Dokra, is a primitive technique. It can be traced back to the Indus Valley civilization and is considered popular because of its wide usage, cultural connectivity, and folk charisma

Dokra has historically been associated with the tribal culture of India. Its hub for many centuries was in the metal-rich region of Central-East India. But it is now restricted to a small number of groups of traditional artisans in widely dispersed locations, like Bikna Village (Bankura) and nearby Dariapur Village (Burdwan), in West Bengal.

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