



Date:

1880

Identifier:

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Description:

Northwest Coast daggers were at one time ubiquitous weapons and were said to be carried by nearly every male. Like the stratified Northwest Coast society itself, objects such as knives and daggers also occupied varying levels of recognition and status. The most elevated status was that of the clan heirloom object.

Physical dimensions:

length 17 in ; width 1.875 in

Format:

Dagger

Coverage:

British Columbia or SE Alaska ; Haida Gwaii ; Haida

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