# **Basic Detail Report**



# Ladle with Human Face

#### **Date**

c. 1550-1575

## **Primary Maker**

Haudenosaunee (Iroquois)

#### Medium

Wood

# Description

Ladle, ca. 1660-1680 Northeastern Woodlands Wood Among the Iroquois, dreams function as a major inspiration in the carving of effigies on bowls, ladles and spoons. This early wooden ladle with its carved effigy handle was most likely owned by an individual and taken along when visiting friends and relatives.

### **Dimensions**

Overall:  $2 \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \frac{3}{4} \times 5$  in.  $(6.4 \times 9.5 \times 12.7 \text{ cm})$