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RECLINING WATER DRAGON STONE

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c. 1600 • Shanxi, China • Limestone • Collection #BJB042

W: 10.0" D: 8.0" H: 8.0"

In many instances, in traditional Chinese arts, a material inspires the form to be. In this case, an 18th to 19th century artisan saw a water dragon, symbolizing light and positive forces, in a humble piece of limestone. He carved the stone to bring the creature and its fiery breath to life.



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