余仲嘉(1908-1942)

余仲嘉,广东南海(今佛山)人。1908—1942。原名衍猷,以字行,号默尊者。工刻竹。天生 聋哑而颇具天赋,聪慧好学,父亲余楚帆教他《许氏说文》,仲嘉能默写篆文无误。家富收藏, 见书画篆刻名迹,每得神会,即摹仿创作。刻印宗法黄士陵,得其神似,上窥秦汉,不尚修饰。 游上海时本欲从吴昌硕问业,遇上嘉兴刻竹名手张昆仲,得张氏细意指点。又刻竹,先尚浅刻, 后经褚德彝指点须深刻,再仿金绍坊刻竹拓影,所刻益精。抗战期间病殁于香港。

YU Zhongjia (1908–1942)

Yu Zhongjia (1908–1942), a native of Nanhai (present-day Foshan), Guangdong, originally named Yu Yanyou, literary name Mozunzhe, was more widely known by his courtesy name. Despite being born deaf and mute, Yu was talented and unceasing in his pursuit for knowledge. When he studied *Shuowen jiezi* by Xu Shen under his father Yu Chufan, he was able to write the seal characters from memory. Boasting a rich family collection of paintings, calligraphies and seal carving, he would imitate the artworks by ancient masters. He had a keen interest in seal carving, mainly modelling on Huang Shiling and the Qin and Han seals. He travelled to Shanghai with the intention to study under Wu Changshuo, but he came into contact with the noted Jiaxing bamboo carver Zhang Kunzhong and learned bamboo carving instead. He passed away in Hong Kong during the Second Sino-Japanese war.





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素钮方形四字白文印 清光绪至近现代(1908–1942) 余仲嘉

石(寿山/山黄)

印文: 带燥方润

尺寸: 纵:2.2 厘米

横:2.2 厘米

高:6.2 厘米

Square Seal with Four Incised Characters

Qing Guangxu to Modern period (1908–1942)

YU Zhongjia

Stone (Shoushan)

Seal characters: Daizao fangrun

Size: W: 2.2 cm

L: 2.2 cm

H: 6.2 cm