

Tattoos and Grub Eggs
Sine Sor'e Waige Une



ÖMIE ARTISTS
of Papua New Guinea

Catalogue
Purple Noon Gallery M: 0409 661 662

Kind note that the images displayed in this catalogue are not professionally photographed and we have relied on copies from various regional galleries who have had public survey exhibitions

If you would like further images on particular pieces please contact the gallery and we will take clearer photographs for you. The artwork should arrive in the gallery on Tuesday 27th February.

SIHOTIE is mud dyed grey tapa cloth appliqued onto the base whitish tapa or vice versa. It is one of the oldest styles for the Omie. No other tapa producing nation in the Pacific has traditionally used such a technique.

NIOGE is painted tapa using all natural rainforest pigments from sap, roots, bark, seeds, flowers, fruits, leaves, arrowroot, coconut fibre or sennit, ash, mud and water. The Omie have the most diverse range of colour both subtle and bright in infinite variation known traditionally in the Pacific.



Ilma Ugibari b. 1969 Sidoraje, Dahoraje sub-clan, Gora village

Maja Nun - Sun and rays. Sihot'e

148 x 86 cm

\$2750



Tospina Bojugo b. c1973 Sidoraje clan, Savodibehi village

Havinde, Jimujimude - moon and orchid Nioge

77 x 57 cm

framed \$2250



Sixtus Kesi b. c1978 Gora village

Bisija – warrior's club. Nioge

44 x 80 cm

framed \$2250



Avami Ajiro b. 1967 Mia'eraje clan Savodibehi village

Visone - eel bone nose accoutrement Nioge

142 x 45cm

\$1,990



Bettrisha Bojugo b. c1962 Idoraje, Savodibehi

Imeche – stem of the sugar cane 2018

104 x 83 cm

\$1,890



Bella Jovo Piruk. b. 1955 Dahuraje Gora village

Butotoame – spider web. Nioge

74 x 83 cm

\$1490



Esphat Mabue b.1975 Sidoraje subclan Nioniraje, Savodibehi

Centipede story - *Nionea Nioge*

121 x 77cm

\$1990



Elizabeth Ruvosemi l'eama b. 1981 Sahoteraje, Asafa
Odunaige, vishu ljahe, Dahuro'e, Ore Sige – unfurling ferns, teeth of a fish, mountains,
pathways 2019 Nioge
121 x 78 cm
\$1990



Brendon Bojugo. B 1995 Sidoraje clan Savodibehi village

Sodereje - patterning inside ice formed on the mountain homelands of the Omie

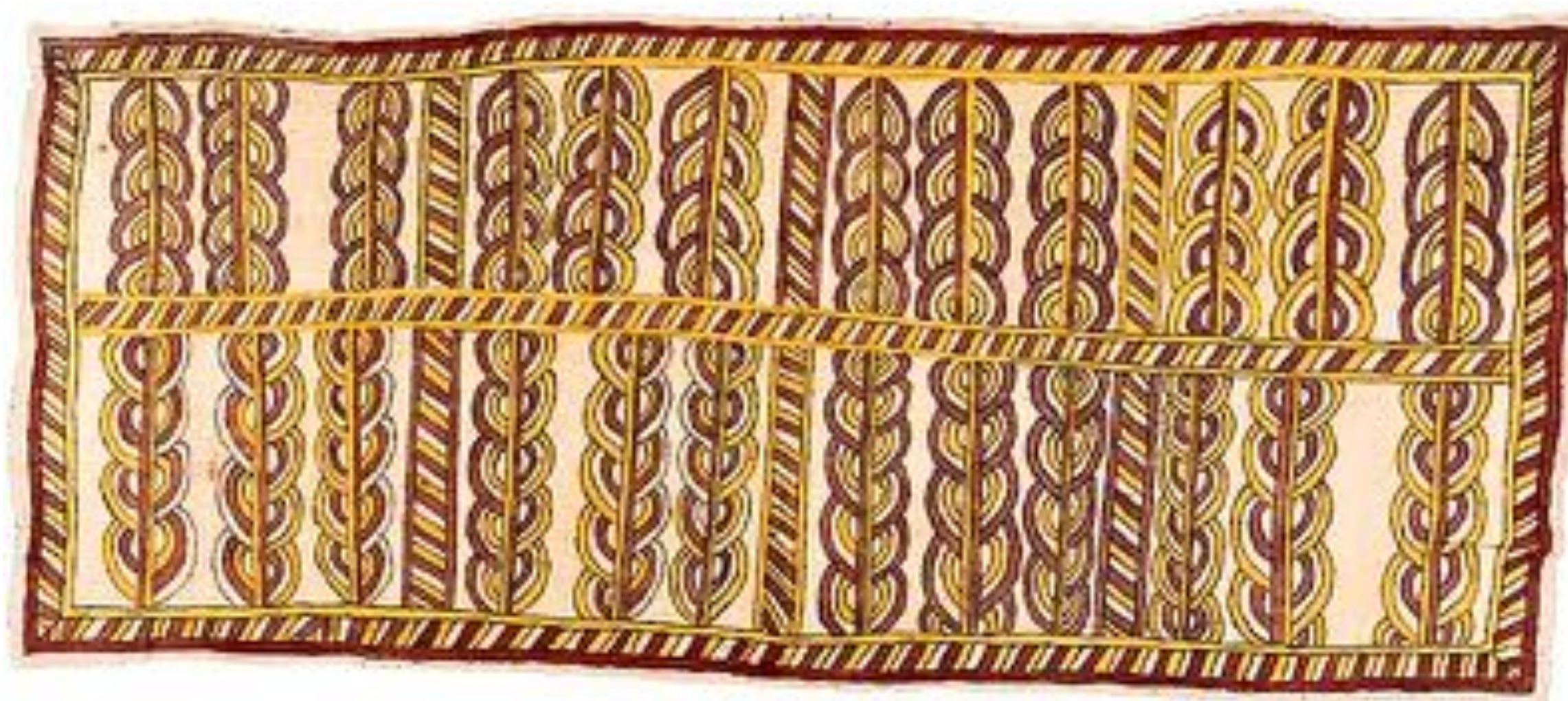
Nioge

106 x 97 cm

\$1990



Rosemary Isodi Enebiriri b 1985 Enejeraje clan Gora village
Budorero ane Butom Deje - Hornbill beak and lizard backbone. Nioge
109 x 95 cm
\$2150



Rosemary Isodi Enebiriri b 1985. Enejeraje clan Gora village

Vavore - a thick vine nioge

141 x 62 cm

\$1890



Peter Sihevo b. 1964 Mia'e Savodibehi
Vinohue Hia Aje'e - Initiation tattoo designs 2018 Nioge
118 x 57 cm
\$1890



Bibra Hinana b. 1987 Inae raje, Gora

Ujava'ajahe Oje – steps to the menstrual house door, Nioge

123 x 68 cm

\$1,850



Ananas Oviro b. c1963 Sidoraje, Savodbehi

Mijome odunage - body tattoo & vines growing over water. Nioge

72 x 116cm

\$1790



Penny Rose Sosa Godibehi village

Jije, Hia'e deje Jimue'jimue 2023

Evening star, python skin, small bird, tattoo design Nioge

124 x 71 cm

\$2250



Dangel Sirimi. b 1982

DETAIL: *Nuanohu'o de Jonohu'o sine sore* - torso tattoos

Nioge

215.5 x 84 cm

\$2750



Jacob Nekol Sume b. 1990 Agebejeraje, Gora village

Jukire - vines 2019. Nioge

92 x 64cm

\$1990



Delma Huvanipa 1975 - 2019 Evoraje clan, Gora village
Siha'e - Sandalwood fruit 2018
132 x 61 cm frame size
Framed \$2250



Terry Rorai. b.1992 Sahote beriraje, Gora Village
DETAIL: *Bubore Dehe* - Wing feathers of the hornbill bird
used for traditional dancing and ceremony Nioge
132 x 48cm
\$2190



Sandra Durami Inura b. 1993 Sidoraje clan Asafa village

DETAIL: *Sabu'e Dahoru'e Obohutage ore sige* - 2023 - caterpillar mountain tree
trunk, butterfly larvae, Nioge

128 x 69 cm

\$2250.



Gillchris Sosa b. 1970 Sidoraje caln sub clan Gusiraje

Sisobe Guri'e - Special male necklace. Nioge

119 x 53 cm

\$1990



Drussella Iji Umasiha b. 1979 - 2023 Sahuote clan, Asafa

DETAIL: *Nunie, obohutagu'e sine sore* - Eye and tattoos

Nioge

121 x 49 cm

\$1990



Vivian Minari Jivo, b/c. 1955 Monruraje, Asafa village

Visue ane, Bubori ane, sabuahe, Guojaje Siahe - 2018 - Fish teeth, hornbill bird teeth, a bat found on dry trees, the feathers of the white cockatoo

152 x 77 cm

\$1990



Drussella Iji Umasiha b. 1979-2023 Sahuote clan, Asafa
Nunie, Sabue ah'e Gotahe - eye and tattoo design. Nioge

120 x 64 cm

\$2190



Ilma Ugibari. b. 1969 Sidoraje, Dahoraje sub-clan, Gora village

Mahu Simane – pig's head 2019

77.5 x 73.5 cm

Framed \$2190



Gratel Ririmi. b. 1972 Nugoraje, Gora village
Vinohe Initiant - belly button tattoo design Nioge
101 x 57 cm
\$1450



Onestmus Ugibari b 1974 Sidoraje Gora village
Mododa'e Diburi'e - tail feathers of the Swift bird 2023
sihot'e
139 x 99 cm
\$1850



Onesmus Ugibari b.1974 Sahoteraje subclan misaje, Gora
village

Sine sore - varied tattoo designs for male initiation.

Nioge

138 X 99cm

\$3750



Sixtus Kesi b. c1978 Gora village

Bisija – warrior's club 2018

86.5 x 80 cm

\$1,890 framed



Onestmus Ugibari b 1974 Sidoraje Gora village
Hon'e Sopr'e - aerial view of cut bamboo design Nioge
66 x 80 cm
Framed \$2290



Ilma Ugibari. b.1969 Sahote clan misaje subclan Gora village

Ujawa'a Oje Young men's initiation house doors Sihoti'e

104 x 48cm

\$1990



Jeremiah Siranumi

Hojihane, jaje – drum making tree branches, noige

115 x 81 cm

\$1750



Faith Jina'emmi. b c 1960s Sidoraje clan, Duha village

Hia'e hia'e Visone - Ear and ear hole. Nioge

66 x 152 cm

\$2190



Linda Grace Savari b. 1960 Sahote clan subclan Evoraje, Gora village

Tamaje - Traditional pendant necklace for ceremonial dancing Nioge

93 x 60 cm

framed \$2290



Linda Grace Savari ioge b. late1960s Evio raje, Gora Village

Butotua - spider webs 2018 nioge

60 x 115

\$1990

Anastasia Kesi. b. 1982 Nugoraje Gora village

Goriri beetle home and tracks. Nioge

82 x 68 cm

\$1390

Edith Tugi Upia b. 1973 Sahoteraje Asafa village

Vahuhesine - python skin design. nioge

95 x 49 cm

\$990



Ilma Ugibari b.1969 Sidoraje, Dahoraje sub-clan, Gora village

Mokojoane'e - Beak of the red parrot 2019. Nioge

65 x 49 cm

\$990



Liam John b.c1987 Dahouraje Savodibehi

Sibire - a plant flower 2018

60 x 70 cm

Framed \$1440



Nathan Homevo b. 1975 Enaje Gora

Flower Nioge

56 x 47 cm

Framed \$1890



Felicity Edith Oviro b. 1980 Sidoraje clan, Savodibehi village

Ha ba Ra'l Hi'ai'a - Fish ears/gills Nioge

74 x 50 cm

\$1190