

A

CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

16-41

241853

Field No.

Provenience: Santa Isabel, Ilha do Bananal  
Rio Araguaia, Goias, Brasil

People or Culture: Karaja

52

Object: Clay figurine

Material: clay, vegetable fiber, uruku dye and  
vegetable carbonized dye

Description: Two women wearing breech clouts  
made out of fiber. They are fighting, in  
a kneeling position, pulling at each others  
hair. Figurines are made, owned and traded  
by the women.

Neg. No.

Dimensions: Ht. 10.5 cm., L. 12 cm., W. 6 cm.  
(in cm.)

Acc. 2624

Collection: Borys Malkin -- purchased

ENT



vegetable  
fiber

vegetable  
fiber