

Sheesham Wood

Fair Trade and Certified Sustainable Wood



Sheesham wood, also known as Indian Rosewood, is an eco-friendly deciduous tree, native to the Indian Subcontinent. Second only to Brazilian Cherry as the hardest wood in the world, sheesham has a beautiful irregular grain structure which is very distinctive in appearance.

All our sheesham wood is sustainably sourced through government managed plantations. It is methodically kiln-dried and treated to protect future stability. Our hand joined furniture is crafted from both the dark heartwood and the lighter-colored sapwood of the tree, and an environmentally friendly stain is applied to obtain a beautiful, consistent finish. Because it is hand finished from an entirely natural product, variations in knots, grain detailing, mineral deposits and minor imperfections may sometimes occur. This is considered part of the uniqueness and charm of owning a one-of-a-kind sheesham piece.



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