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## Majolica - Choisy Le Roi "neapolitan Fisherboy" Designed By Henry Giraud (1805 - 1895)



4 950 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Ceramic

Width : 30 cm.

Height : 92 cm.

Description
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French Majolica Choisy le Roi "Neapolitan Fisherboy" designed by the Belgian-French Sculptor Henry Giraud (1840?-1895), measurements 12 x 36 inches height

This work is reminiscent of the "Young Neapolitan Fisherman Playing with a Turtle" by his contemporary François Rude (1784-1855). His Neapolitan origin is indicated by his bonnet and scapular, a devotional object consisting of two small pieces of blessed cloth linked by cords worn around the neck.

The earthenware factory of Choisy-le-Roi, France produced majolica from 1860 until 1910. The common

Dealer
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### Majolica

19th century European paintings and "Barbizon School"

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mark is usually a black  
ink stamped "Choisy-le-Roi" pictured to the right  
with the large "B".

The "HB" stands for Hippolyte Boulenger a  
director at the pottery.

The factory's work was some of the most delicate  
produced in  
France