



Auvergne Roman Capital. The Three Wise Men.

3 800 EUR

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Stone

Width : 27 cm

Height : 18 cm

Depth : 27 cm



Description

Auvergne Romanesque capital carved on three sides and representing the three wise men. The sculpted faces represent three crowned kings on a decoration of stylized acanthus leaves. This Romanesque wall capital finds analogies in Auvergne Romanesque art from the end of the 12th century and the beginning of the 13th century. The material used, the naivety of the faces and the treatment of the eyes bring this sculpture closer to certain capitals of the cloister of the Benedictine abbey of Saint-André de Lavaudieu, the only Romanesque cloister in Auvergne preserved and dated from the 12th century. The priory of nuns of Lavaudieu depended on the abbey of Chaise-Dieu.

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