Pair Of Rare Grand Tour Basins 1780,1800



35 000 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Marble

Description

Description:Botticino marble carved. This pair of basins is a work of the Grand Tour by reproducing those of large size of the ancient Roman period.Moreover and rarely in pairs, the cups in centerpieces are never thus organized in such a design of basin. The Grand Tour was an authentic cultural journey before the letter and a small industry of objects was born from it. At the time, the spirit of beauty predominated over authenticity hence the objects in reduction allowing to easily bring back a witness of the last discovery of excavations, as well as the spirit of the beauty of Ancient Art.Each basin is placed on a base with curved pyramid coffers.The belly has the base widened in gadroons as for a Medici vase. The edge is encircled with very elegant volutes in ribbons tied in four parts and joining in

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a fleuron of foliage or on large pearls.Like their design, the work of these pieces is of a quality without weakness. Botticino marble was used for churches or architectural elements in the 16th century for example. Condition: Excellent condition for this type of object apart from very small chips from use on the lower edge of the base and a repair at a practically invisible angle. Beautiful patina of the marble.Dimensions:Height: 26 cm, base: 13.5 cm x 13.5 cm, Diameter: 30 cm.Ref 3559 / 20, 28kg or 2 packages /35000If you would like a video of this object in order to better "understand" it, or detailed photos, do not hesitate to ask us, we will send this to you by email or Whatsapp.Conditions of sale: -> we only work on the Internet but we can receive by appointment, we will then collect from our warehouse in Blaye the objects that interest you to present them to you at our place. -> We guarantee the authenticity of all our objects. Our objects are cleaned and restored to be as close as possible to the original appearance.-> Shipping costs: free for France and the whole world (these conditions are valid for all countries in the world served by La Poste or carriers). -> Your objects will be delivered to you in professional packaging individually insured by AXA ART.-> Do not hesitate to ask us for additional photos. In order to overcome the only defect of the Internet which is the impossibility of "touching" the objects, you can receive your object to discover it fully and keep it or return it while keeping your freedom of choice (our packages are reusable). Payment Facilities / All Types of Payment