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## Chandelier With Flower Bouquet And Its Wall Lights Attr. To H. Vian, France, Circa 1890



7 800 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Diameter : 54

Height : 90

Description
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Chandelier - Height: 90 cm; Diameter: 54 cm  
Wall lights - Height: 55 cm; Width: 25 cm;  
Depth: 12 cm

Charming set composed of a four-light chandelier and two matching sconces with two lights, each composed of a gilded bronze and openwork basket imitating wicker, from which springs a bouquet made of polychrome porcelain flowers and painted sheet metal leaves, the bouquet of the chandelier lit by three lights. A knotted rope connects the handle to the knot forming the ceiling light.

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This set is inspired by the porcelain flower models of Meissen, the first factory in Europe to

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manufacture them in the 18th century, and the Vincennes Manufacture around 1741 then Sèvres. Ex : Bouquet of the Dauphine Marie-Joseph of Saxony by the Manufacture de Vincennes and Jean-Claude Duplessis, circa 1749, offered to her father Auguste III elector of Saxony. It belongs to the National Collections in Dresden, Germany (inv. P.E.707)

#### Biography :

Henri Vian, a bronze-caster active in the second half of the 19th Century, made a lot of interior decorations with chimney mantelpieces, ormolu and patinated-mounted vases, chandeliers... He produced articles of the highest quality. The business, located at 5 rue de Thorigny in Paris (the Salé Mansion, now the Picasso Museum), was continued by Madame Vian after her husband's death in 1905.