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Nymphe à La Coquille - 18th Century Bronze After The Antique



550 EUR

Signature : D'après l'antique

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Description

Reclining female figure in bronze, called "Nymphe à la Coquille", after an Antique kept at the Louvre Museum.Italy, first half of the 18th century.Later fixed on a base at the end of the 19th or beginning of the 20th century.Total dimensions:Height 11.5 cmWidth 15.7 cmDepth 9 cmThe Antique sculpture is now kept at the Louvre
Museum: https://collections.louvre.fr/ark:/53355/cl010275822It was only purchased by Napoleon I in 1807 and was previously in Rome in the Borghese collection. It was very widely disseminated during the 17th and 18th centuries through numerous bronzes and engravings (cf. Pour l'Amour de l'Antique...).
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