



## Silver Bronze Sculpture, The Chilly One, I Sang Signed Alexandre Etienne Stella 19th Century Woman



500 EUR

Signature : Alexandre Etienne Stella

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

### Description

Antique silver-plated bronze sculpture dating from the second half of the 19th century. A young, naked, shivering woman carries a mandolin on her back. Allegory of Winter, titled I sing. Signed by the French artist Alexandre Etienne Stella. 26cm high. Very good condition. Alexandre Étienne Stella, also known as Étienne Alexandre Stella, was a French sculptor active in the late 19th century who died in 1892. Stella is best known for his bronze sculptures of allegorical figures, notably the seasons--Spring, Summer, Autumn, and Winter. These works, often large (approximately 94 cm high), are characterized by a dark brown patina and meticulous attention to detail. They are frequently signed "Stella" at the base. Notable creations include pairs of allegorical figures representing

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the seasons, such as Summer and Winter, or Spring and Summer. In addition to allegorical figures, Stella also created electrotyped bronze bas-reliefs depicting dramatic scenes in a 17th-century style. These works, such as those depicting a secret romantic encounter followed by a duel, demonstrate his ability to capture complex narratives with great expressiveness.