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Mater Abyssi N°1 - Antique Wooden Display Case With Hand-painted Nautilus



650 EUR

Period : 21st century

Condition : Très bon état

Width : 22 cm

Height : 45 cm

Depth : 12 cm

Description

Set within a wooden and glass display case with Gothic lines, like an icon or a relic fragment, this halved nautilus shell holds within it a hand-painted female face in gouache, revealed by the iridescent shimmer of the mother-of-pearl.

Mater Abyssi n°1, the Mother of the Abyss, is a painted tribute to an ancient and unfathomable feminine principle. It is not just a face, but an apparition -- a symbol of origin and mystery, like the shell itself, once alive, now turned into the silent guardian of a painted soul.

The act of painting on mother-of-pearl - a material already perfected by nature - does not add, it reveals.

Every reflection on its changing surface is part of the artwork: light dances with pigment, shifting the expression of the face as if it were still

Dealer

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breathing, hidden beneath the currents.

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Weight: 2 kg

International shipping available. Each piece is carefully packaged to ensure safe delivery.

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