



Rustic Oak Sideboard - 18th Century

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Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oak

Length : 146 cm / 57,5 in

Height : 103 cm / 40,5 in

Depth : 55,5 cm / 21,8 in

Description

A superb solid oak sideboard dating from the 18th century, originating from a property in the Loire Valley once inhabited by a local dignitary. This refined rustic piece, with its balanced proportions, is a fine example of traditional provincial craftsmanship. The sideboard features three paneled and molded doors -- two wide ones on either side and a narrower one in the center -- topped by two dovetailed drawers adorned with hand-forged iron knobs. The doors close securely with three functional locks (added at a later date), each with its original key. The sides are decorated with four recessed panels, characteristic of 18th-century country furniture. The piece stands on straight, solid legs, both simple and sturdy. Crafted using mortise-and-tenon joinery and dense oak sourced from the local forests of

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the Loire Valley, this sideboard was clearly built to last generations. The top, made from a single solid oak board, showcases a spectacular and even grain, enhanced by a beautifully aged patina. The wax finish, carefully maintained over time, lends the piece a warm, soft, and authentic appearance. This piece is in very good original condition, fully functional and ready to use. No recent restoration has been carried out. Its exceptional preservation is due to careful family ownership and regular upkeep. Some signs of age are visible, as expected for a piece of this period, but they do not affect its integrity or functionality. With its practical dimensions and understated elegance, this sideboard would be a perfect fit in a welcoming entryway, a characterful living room, a rustic dining area, or a chic country home. It can serve as a low buffet, a side cabinet, or refined storage for linens, documents, or decorative items.