



Antique Hand-painted Chest With Flowers, Dated 1800

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Period : 19th century

Condition : Restauré par notre atelier

Material : Sapin

Width : 130

Height : 48

Depth : 61



Description

Antique Hand-Painted Chest with Flowers, dated

1800 Technical information:

Code:C207Period:1800Origin: Alps

(Tyrol)Wood:FirHeight: 48 cm | 18.9

inWidth: 130 cm | 51.2 inDepth: 61 cm | 24

inDescription: This antique solid fir chest, dated

1800 and originating from the Alps (Tyrol), is a

remarkable example of Alpine folk

craftsmanship. The rectangular body rests on

turned bun feet, with a hinged lid and a sturdy,

compact structure. The front features two

octagonal framed panels painted in muted

blue-grey, each adorned with delicate floral

bouquets in red and ivory, executed in traditional

tempera.Above the panels, the carved

initials E.C.J. and the date 1800 suggest the chest

may have been a wedding gift or part of a dowry.

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The side panels also bear floral decorations and are fitted with original wrought iron handles. The top surface reveals a beautiful aged patina, showing traces of the original painted motifs. The color palette--reddish brown, ochre, forest green, and carmine red--remains subtly visible, adding warmth and authenticity to the piece. Ideal for use at the foot of a bed, in an entryway, or as a decorative storage element, this unique chest brings with it the timeless charm and symbolic richness of 19th-century Alpine domestic life.

Restoration Information: The photos you see depict the cabinet in its unrestored state. Its condition is excellent. At the time of sale, the piece will be delivered fully restored. The client may choose the desired level of restoration. Our workshop guarantees conservative restoration for every piece, respecting its original integrity. Each cabinet is treated to ensure structural stability and hygiene. The restoration includes:

- Structural restoration
- Thorough anti-woodworm treatment
- Interior cleaning and sanitization
- Exterior finish with natural beeswax
- Interior finish with shellac (natural alcohol-based varnish)

Upon request, we can agree on the preferred level of restoration and customize the interior setup (clothing rods, shelves, etc.).