H. Levasseur - Rare Chryséléphantine, Little Red Riding Hood



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Signature : Henri-Louis Levasseur (1853-?)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 12cm

Width : 12cm

Height : 29cm

Description

Rare chryselephantine in bronze and natural stone representing Little Red Riding Hood after the model by Peyrot. This sculpture rests on a sea green marble base and is signed on a small plaque "FUTUR SÉNATEUR - par H. Levasseur - Hors Concours". It is in good condition. ** The word "chryselephantine" comes from the Greek - chrysos which means "gold" and "elephantinos" which means "ivory". Chryselephantine refers to a technique of Greek origin, which appeared around the 6th century BC, which consists of combining ivory and gold plates with less noble materials such as wood or stone. ** Dimensions Total height 29cm Marble base - 12cm x 12cm

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