

## Engraved Woodblock, Woodcut, Printing Matrix: Awakening Of "sleeping Beauty"



240 EUR

Period: 19th century

Condition: Très bon état

Material: Solid wood

Width: 7 cm

Height: 11 cm

Depth: 2,2 cm d'épaisseur

## Description

A Prince arrives to wake the Princess who has been asleep for 100 years following an evil spell: scene from "Sleeping Beauty", one of Charles Perrault's Tales published in 1697. The princess dressed in beautiful clothes wearing a three-strand pearl necklace, is lying on a ceremonial bed; a prince wearing a large cape and a quiver lifts the canopy of the bed with his outstretched arm. Deep and very fine engraving on wood grain, most likely pear wood (very dense and hard wood allowing fine details). Similar to the engravings by Gustave Doré for Hetzel editions in 1880. Ink inscription on the back difficult to decipher Height 11 cm - width 7 cm thickness 2.2 cm Very good condition 19th century

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