Marble Cornice Fragment - Roman Period, 1st Century Ad



1 600 EUR

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Marble

Width : 13cm

Height : 15cm

Depth : 5cm

Description

Marble Cornice Fragment Roman Period, 1st Century AD This finely carved marble architectural fragment originally belonged to a decorative cornice of a Roman building. The ornamentation, although partially preserved, reveals a decorative register punctuated by stylized plant motifs, probably acanthus leaves, associated with rectangular coffers. The upper part has a remnant of horizontal molding that underlines the architectural reading of the whole. The execution testifies to a refined work characteristic of Roman decorative sculpture of the 1st century AD, a period when the influence of classical Greek models remained strong while being integrated into the decorative codes of imperial architecture. This type of cornice adorned both public monuments and high-ranking

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