

15th Century Bronze Christ



430 EUR

Period: Before 16th century

Condition: Très bon état

Material: Bronze

Width: 16cm Height: 15cm

Depth: 2,5cm

Description

HAUTE EPOQUE RELIGIOUS ART Late 15th century nice bronze Christ figure Stylistic analysis: Several stylistic features of this item are characteristic from this specific period and particularly noticeable: * the position of the legs, which are straight, and in particular the feet, which overlap at their tips, * the arms are also positioned perfectly horizontally (and not in a V-shape), * the very simple type of loincloth. By all these criteria, this Christ figure stands out from more typical medieval productions. Chiseling work adds a highly stylized and rustic element to * the crown of thorns, and emphasizes Christ's face and expression, a mixture of suffering and resignation, * his ribs amplifying his emaciated appearance, and his wounds. The reverse is hollow. An axis still present at the back

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of his head suggests that he may have had a halo, now lost. Dimensions: 15cm high * 16cm wide * and approximately 2.5cm thick. A beautiful example of a very classic type of popular bronze Christ from this period, late 15th century, touching in its simplicity, superb in its very beautiful patina and polish - the brass has acquired over time an almost golden color, linked to prolonged and daily handling over centuries.