

Mary Magdalene In Penitence, Cast Bronze Relief, 16th/17th Century



600 EUR

Period: 17th century
Condition: Bon état

Material: Bronze

Width: 7 cm.

Height: 11.3 cm.

Description

Saint Mary Magdalene in PenitenceCast bronze reliefEurope (presumably Spain), ca. 1600/17th centuryDimensions: 11.3 × 7 cm. This finely cast bronze relief depicts Saint Mary Magdalene kneeling in contemplation before the Crucifix, which she tenderly holds in her right hand. A skull and ointment jar appear beside her, traditional symbols of repentance and her devotion to Christ. Her long flowing hair and richly folded drapery are rendered in sharp relief, set against a rocky background with distant buildings that evoke her retreat into the wilderness. The plaque exemplifies the refined modelling and devotional character of late-16th-century European bronzes. Its small rectangular format and suspension loop suggest that it may have served as a private devotional

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plaque or pax, intended for personal meditation rather than liturgical use. Similar examples in the collection of The Met MuseumIn good condition	
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