



Meerschaum Bas-relief Depicting "Jesus And The Children" - Napoleon III.



380 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Meerschaum

Diameter : cm. 16

Description

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This is a meerschaum (magnesite) or kaolin bas-relief depicting a religious subject, "Jesus and the Children."

The meerschaum gives the relief an ivory appearance.

It depicts a delicate scene of evangelical inspiration, characterized by a harmonious composition and refined detail. The central figure of Christ, seated and wrapped in soft draperies, is surrounded by children in an affectionate and devotional pose, a symbol of innocence and protection.

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The work is set in a thick, contemporary circular frame in ebonized wood, which enhances the color contrast and depth of the relief. Meerschaum, a material prized between the 19th and early 20th centuries for its lightness and fine workmanship, lends the overall work a distinctive sculptural softness.

Good state of preservation, with minor signs of aging consistent with its age. Antique patina.

An object of sacred art and domestic devotion, of certain interest as a collector's item and a decorative object. Dimensions: 16 cm