



Syrian Walnut Table - Late 19th Century



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Period : 19th century

Condition : Restauré par notre atelier

Material : Walnut

Width : 68

Height : 71

Depth : 48

Description

<https://www.antiquites-lecomte.com/boutique/table-de-salon/table-syrienne-en-noyer-fin-xixe/>This small walnut table perfectly illustrates the excellence of late 19th-century Syrian workshops, where meticulous carving and mother-of-pearl inlay combine to create pieces of exceptional refinement. Walnut, chosen for its warmth and density, is worked with remarkable virtuosity: each face is adorned with scrolls, interlacing patterns, and deeply carved geometric motifs, giving the piece a vibrant and almost architectural presence. The tabletops and panels are enhanced with finely cut mother-of-pearl inlays, whose iridescent sheen underscores the delicacy of the decoration and brings a subtle light to the wood's surface. This interplay between dark tones and pearly reflections creates a visual effect highly

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characteristic of prestigious Syrian craftsmanship.

The table also features an ingenious system of movable panels, allowing it to be used open or closed. When closed, it presents a compact silhouette that highlights the density of its carvings. When opened, it unfolds its shelves and reveals the full richness of its inlaid decoration, transforming the object into a true statement piece. Composed of three levels--a top shelf, panels, and an intermediate shelf, also adorned--it combines elegance, functionality, and decorative sophistication. Through its exquisite craftsmanship, the quality of its materials, and the finesse of its design, this Syrian walnut table inlaid with mother-of-pearl stands out as an authentic and expressive piece, emblematic of late 19th-century Oriental decorative art.

*****Period: Late 19th century. Excellent condition after restoration in our workshop.

Waxed finish. Shipping available upon request in France and internationally. Dimensions when closed: Width: 68 cm, Depth: 48 cm, Height: 71 cm. Dimensions when open: Width: 88 cm, Depth: 68 cm. Reference 489V