



émile Louis Picault (1833-1915) - Bronze Sculpture "the Sower Of Ideas," Late 19th Century



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Signature : Émile Louis Picault (1833-1915)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 19 cm

Height : 67 cm

Depth : 36 cm

Description

Bronze with brown patina representing The Sower of Ideas, an allegorical figure embodying the spread of knowledge and intellectual progress. The figure, dressed in antique style and captured in dynamic movement, symbolically sows ideas toward the future. He holds an open book, the central element of the composition, evoking the transmission of knowledge and the evolution of thought. The ensemble is part of the positivist trend of the late XIXe century, a period marked by the valorization of science, the human spirit and progress. The open book held by the figure bears a symbolic inscription: "Messenger of Progress, the Book son of the Past gives birth to the Future", underlining the intellectual and philosophical scope of the composition. Signature "E. Picault" visible on the base. Beautiful shaded

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brown patina.Émile Louis Picault (1833-1915) was a French sculptor particularly active during the second half of the XIXe century. A major exhibitor at official Salons, he specialized in allegorical and symbolic subjects, in the spirit of his time. His work regularly celebrated patriotic, intellectual and moral values, through figures such as Le Génie des Sciences (1894), Le Guerrier Gaulois (1885) and La Vaillance (1897).Good overall condition.Epoque fin XIXe siècle.Dimensions:H: 67 cmW: 19 cmP: 36 cm