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Chinese Decorative Panel -- Opium Bed Element, 19th Century



500 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Painted wood

Width : 21.5

Height : 30

Description

Fine carved panel originating from an antique Chinese opium bed, dating most likely from the late Qing dynasty to the early 20th century. The lacquered carved wood plaque depicts a lively figural scene with characters dressed in traditional garments engaged in musical and social activities. The expressive, slightly humorous figures reflect the narrative style typical of Chinese folk decorative arts created for domestic interiors and leisure environments. Originally, this panel formed part of the side or front decorative elements of an opium bed, furniture widely used in Southern China between the 18th and 19th centuries. The red lacquer -- symbolizing prosperity and good fortune -- retains an attractive aged patina with natural wear consistent with its age and

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