



Adoration Of The Shepherds In Meerschaum, Devotional Sculpture With Gilt Frame, 18th Century



480 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Other

Width : 13

Height : 21

Description

A refined oval devotional sculpture depicting the Adoration of the Shepherds, crafted from meerschaum, a material prized for its softness and its ability to render minute and delicate details.

The scene features the Virgin and Child, flanked by Saint Joseph and figures of shepherds in a devout pose, following a traditional and highly evocative iconography. The relief is set within an elegant oval frame of carved wood gilded with gold leaf, produced in northern Italy (the Veneto or Emilia regions) and dating to the late 18th century. The frame, characterized by a lively openwork design in the Rococo style, retains a beautiful antique patina with natural signs of aging. The perfect fit of the relief within the oval setting and the absence of obvious alterations suggest that the ensemble is likely contemporary

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or, at the very least, conceived as a unified whole.
A highly charming object, straddling the line
between sacred art and decoration, ideal for both
collecting and tasteful interior
design. Dimensions: Frame: 21 x 13 cm Inner oval:
10.5 x 8 cm Thickness: 3 cm Overall good
condition, with signs of age and minor wear to
the gilding. For further information, photos, or
technical details, please do not hesitate to contact
us. Worldwide shipping available with
professional packaging.