



Meissen Blanc De Chine Figure Of Amor, Paul Scheurich, C.1910-1924



500 EUR

Signature : Meissen

Period : 20th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Ceramic

Length : 9.5 cm

Width : 6 cm

Height : 14.5

Description

A finely modelled Meissen Blanc de Chine porcelain figure of Amor with a bow, after a model by Paul Scheurich (1883-1945), produced in Germany circa 1910-1924. This is a compact cabinet-scale antique figure, combining strong sculptural clarity with refined decorative appeal. The figure is shown seated in a slightly turned pose, holding a stylised bow. The anatomy is softly modelled, with smooth transitions and a controlled, calm facial expression. The treatment of the hair and proportions reflects Scheurich's characteristic approach, where form and balance take precedence over elaborate detailing. The piece is executed in pure white glazed porcelain (Blanc de Chine), where the absence of colour places full emphasis on modelling and surface. This type of production represents

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Meissen's early 20th-century shift toward more restrained, sculptural interpretations of traditional Rococo subjects such as putti and Amor figures. The underside bears the underglaze blue Meissen crossed swords mark, together with impressed crossed swords, an impressed model number, and the incised German word "weiss", a factory designation used specifically for white Meissen porcelain. These combined marks are consistent with authentic factory production of the period.

Paul Scheurich's work for Meissen forms an important part of the factory's early modern output. His models are held in major museum collections, including the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and are recognised for their balance between decorative tradition and sculptural modernity.

This figure represents a desirable collector's example, combining a recognised sculptor, Meissen manufacture, and excellent state of preservation.

Dimensions:

Height: 14.5 cm

Width: 9.5 cm

Depth: 6 cm

Weight: 237 g

Condition:

Excellent antique condition, no cracks, chips or restoration visible. Checked under ultraviolet light. Bright reflections visible in the photographs are caused by imperfect photography and the glossy glaze, not defects.

Please study the accompanying photographs carefully as they form an integral part of this description. If you have any questions, we will be happy to answer them. The item will be shipped with full tracking and insurance.