



Sleeping Ariadne - Important Bronze By Barbedienne, Late 19th Century

2 800 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 54.5 cm

Width : 18 cm

Height : 32.5 cm

Description

Elegant bronze sculpture with nuanced brown patina depicting Ariadne endormie, reclining in an attitude full of grace and sensuality. Draped in the antique style, the female figure is treated with a remarkable sense of movement and modeling, particularly in the rendering of fabrics and the softness of facial features. This work, unsigned, is attributed to the famous Parisian publishing house Barbedienne and is in keeping with the neoclassical taste of the late 19th century. The quality of the casting and chasing testifies to the meticulous workmanship characteristic of the productions of this prestigious foundry. The subject of Ariadne, inspired by ancient mythology, was particularly popular in 19th-century decorative arts. The languid pose and horizontal composition give this sculpture a

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refined, timeless decorative presence. The sculpture has a beautiful patina. Beautiful original patina showing light wear and a few traces of time, in keeping with the age of the work. Very fine collector's piece, ideal for a classic decor, an amateur cabinet. Delivery 50 euros in France, 150 euros in the EU and 300 euros rest of the world.