Silver-plated Ex Voto Face



350 EUR

Period : 19th century
Condition : Bon état
Material : Silver metal
Width : cm. 11,2
Height : cm. 17
Depth : cm. 2

Description

Silver-Plated Ex Voto Face in embossed sheet metal (brass?) depicting the portrait of a boy with wavy hair, shown in a half-length portrait interrupted by a leafy branch. A love knot on the head allows it to be hung on the wall. Originally, this effigy was an offering made to the patron saint, invoking a grace for an illness affecting the depicted body part (in this case, the face) rather than as a token of thanks for a healing received (grace received). In excellent condition, of Italian provenance from the late 1800s. In excellent condition, of Italian provenance from the late 1800s.

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