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Niderviller Shepherd

950 EUR



Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Earthenware

Width : 5,3

Height : 13,5

Depth : 7,5

Description

A Niderviller faience statuette depicting a shepherd with a sheepskin, Count de Custine, made circa 1780.There are still several representations of the shepherd with the sheepskin today.The treatment of faces and clothing differs from one copy to another; the color of the jacket in this copy features Cassius purple (Andreas Cassius, 1605-1673) or purple gold. A complex and expensive color, achieved by precipitating fine gold particles onto tin oxide particles and using the low-fire technique (750°C) for color firing (second firing).Time: circa 1780Dimensions:Height: 13.5 cmWidth: 5.3 cmDepth: 7.5 cmCondition: Restorations to the right hand and jacket, base broken and re-fixed.

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