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Sculpture Of Ganymede In Italian Marble, 20th Century



7 500 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Marble

Description

A sculpture of Ganymede carved from Italian marble, masterfully crafted in the 20th century. The work depicts one of the most revered figures in Greek mythology, the handsome Trojan prince who, according to legend, was chosen by Zeus and taken to Mount Olympus to serve as cupbearer to the gods, a role that granted him immortality among the Olympians.Ganymede is depicted in a graceful and noble pose, holding a jug in one hand and a cup in the other, symbolizing his divine role as the server of nectar and ambrosia during the gods' celestial banquets. The sculptor has skillfully captured the youthful elegance traditionally associated with Ganymede, combining an idealized anatomy with refined drapery and classical proportions.Crafted from high-quality Italian marble, the sculpture displays

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exceptional attention to detail, with particular care given to the rendering of the clothing, facial features, and symbolic attributes. The natural luminosity of the marble enhances the purity of the composition and evokes the great sculptural traditions of Antiquity and the Neoclassical revival.With its imposing dimensions and timeless subject, this sculpture fits equally well in a large interior, an entryway, a gallery, or a garden. It stands as a refined tribute to classical mythology and the enduring influence of Greco-Roman art.Dimensions:Height: 120 cmWidth: 50 cmDepth: 30 cmCondition:Very good condition. Slight signs of wear due to age. Beautifully preserved marble surface, sculptural details of great finesse.Keywords: Ganymede, Greek mythology, Italy