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Pensive Young Woman, Bronze With Brown Patina - 19th Century



130 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Description

An elegant small bronze sculpture depicting a young woman seated in a contemplative pose. With her chin delicately resting on her hand and her gaze lost in thought, she embodies a silent and poetic figure. The deliberately simple modeling emphasizes the softness of her face, the suppleness of her hair, and the natural drape of the fabric enveloping her hips. This restraint lends the piece a peaceful and timeless presence. Covered in a beautiful dark brown patina, slightly worn in the protruding areas, the sculpture retains all the charm of small decorative 19th-century bronzes. A Classical Inspiration In the 19th century, bronze foundries drew heavily on Antiquity and the Renaissance for inspiration. Idealized female figures, often depicted in meditative or dreamy poses, were highly popular

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among art lovers. These small bronzes were intended to adorn libraries, studies, or bourgeois salons, where they added a scholarly and decorative touch. Period: 19th century Material: Bronze Patina: Antique dark brown Subject: Pensive young woman Height: approx. 10 cm Condition: Good overall condition. Beautiful antique patina showing some wear consistent with its age. Our Take We particularly love the intimate atmosphere that this sculpture exudes. The young woman's contemplative pose, combined with the simplicity of the modeling, lends it great delicacy. A charming decorative piece, ideal for a bookshelf, a writing desk, or a cabinet of curiosities.