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17th-century French Folk Art-style Cabinet With A Gabled Top, Made Of Chestnut Wood



4 000 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Chestnut

Width : 96

Height : 208

Depth : 27

Description

Evoking the rustic charm of early rural crafts, this solid chestnut shelf--originating in France and dating from around the 17th century--embodies the warm simplicity of folk art. Its architectural silhouette, topped by a pointed roof, gives it a sculptural presence, while the scalloped, hand-carved facades soften its robust geometry. The piece's rich patina bears witness to centuries of use, with deep chestnut tones and subtle wear that attest to its authenticity and age. Constructed with plank-backed panels and mortise-and-tenon joints, this piece reflects the vernacular traditions of cabinetmaking: functional, authentic, and expressive. Originally designed for household storage, it now serves elegantly as a display case for ceramics, books, or art objects in a modern rustic or wabi-sabi interior.

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