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Small Bronze "putto With Cornucopia" - Ferdinando De Luca, Late 19th Century



350 EUR

Signature : Ferdinando De Luca sculpteur italien actif au tournant des XIXe et XXe siècles

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Width : 9

Height : 15

Description

A refined and elegant bronze sculpture depicting an allegorical *putto* (young boy) in a semi-reclining pose beside a cornucopia overflowing with fruit. The piece bears the signature "De Luca" on the bronze base and is attributed to the renowned Italian sculptor Ferdinando De Luca (active at the turn of the 19th and 20th centuries), celebrated for his exquisite naturalistic portrayals of children and street urchins in the Neapolitan tradition. The bronze is distinguished by a magnificent original dark patina and lively modeling. It rests on an elegant, period-appropriate cylindrical base of veined black marble. Excellent overall condition. Dimensions: Total height (including base): 15 cm Maximum total width/depth: 9 cm Dimensions of bronze alone: 9.5 cm (height) x 10

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cm (width) Period: Circa 1900 (Belle Époque)
Condition: Excellent.