



"announcing Angel" Large 17th-century Wooden Sculpture



500 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Quelques manques

Material : Solid wood

Width : 15.5 cm

Height : 46 cm

Depth : 11 cm

Description

"Announcing Angel" Large Dark Wood Sculpture (walnut) The angel with a trumpet is a common motif in Christian art, often associated with the announcement of news or the Passion, while the shield reinforces the theme of peace. Dating from the 17th century - Origin: Italy An androgynous figure in a tunic with curly hair, holding a symbolic instrument. Antique sculpture depicting a figure holding a trumpet and a shield bearing the inscription "Pax Hominibus," which means "Peace to men" in Latin. This expression is an excerpt from the traditional phrase "et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis" (and on earth, peace to men of good will), particularly famous in sacred texts and Christian musical works such as the Gloria. Traces of past wood-boring insect damage....

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