



Grand Tour Obelisk In Bronze And Black Marble - 19th Century



400 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 24 cm

Width : 9 cm

Description

Grand Tour Obelisk in Bronze and Black Marble - 19th Century An elegant obelisk in the Egyptian style, crafted from patinated bronze and resting on a square base of black marble. The obelisk is richly decorated with hieroglyphs engraved in relief on its various sides. It rests on a stepped, architecturally designed pedestal bearing a commemorative inscription and surrounded by a slender bronze balustrade. This type of decorative object, inspired by the great monuments of ancient Egypt, was particularly prized by European travelers and collectors during the Grand Tour and the 19th-century craze for Egyptomania.

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