



Large Mythological Mantelpiece Plaque



1 600 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Cast iron

Length : 115 cm

Height : 97 cm

Description

An imposing cast-iron mantelpiece plaque depicting the Abduction of Proserpine by François Girardon, the King's chief sculptor from 1628 to 1715, whose statue stands at Versailles. Floral ornamentation, typical of the Louis XV style. The dimensions of this mantelpiece indicate that it originated in a bourgeois, or even noble, household. It has a slight, old crack at the bottom, which is completely stable. Worldwide shipping available.

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