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Elaborate Chiseled Bronze Cup With Two Patinas, On A Cossus-style Olivine Base Adorned With Stars



1 200 EUR

Signature : non signée

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Diameter : 17 cm au pied , coupe 14 cm

Height : ht 30 cm , coupe 11 cm

Depth : 4,5 cm

Description

A rare piece, this centerpiece consists of a bulbous pedestal mounted on a bronze base and adorned with five-pointed gilded stars, featuring a masterful bowl of exceptional quality with two patinas--bright gold and black--on a chiseled bronze, as was so skillfully done during the reign of Charles X (1820). The piece's ornamental "antique" character is undeniable, and the chisel work is perfect, with its graphic palmette-style handles and intricately crafted mascarons; both the body of the bowl and the pedestal bear this out, not to mention the gilded, chiseled bosses on the base's collar; the bright gold fillets highlight the beauty of this one-of-a-kind piece, and the almond-green serpentine (semi-precious stone) base adds to its charm--I won't even mention its opulent shape... A curiosity piece

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