



## "putto Head" Wall Sconce, 18th Century



### Description

Rare carved solid wood wall sconce, 18th century  
A superb carved wooden wall sconce featuring a remarkable putto head in high relief, framed by a profuse head of hair with deeply carved and delicately curled locks. The composition is set within a stepped architectural structure, accentuated by an overhanging upper cornice and side scrolls reminiscent of volutes. The lower section is adorned with a carved motif in the shape of a twisted ribbon, lending balance and refinement to the piece as a whole. The face, with its full features and gentle expression, is a testament to particularly expressive carving. The contours of the forehead, cheeks, and hair are highlighted by an antique patina with deep reddish-brown hues, revealing the irregularities and marks of time. The construction on the

680 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Solid wood

Length : 25 cm

Height : 25 cm

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reverse side, with its original joinery and fastenings, adds to the historical interest of this piece. Dated to the 18th century, in the spirit of Baroque and Rococo decorative sculpture, intended to adorn a distinctive interior. A piece with a striking decorative presence, ideal for enhancing a cabinet of curiosities, a historic home, or a collector's interior. Period: 18th century Material: carved solid wood Subject: putto's head. Condition: antique patina; visible wear and signs of age, with some surface alterations and cracks consistent with the object's apparent age. Our wall sconce measures 25 cm in length, 22 cm in depth, and 25 cm in height.