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Sculpture - Bronze - Ganymede - France - 19th Century



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Signature : GRAUX-MARLY FRÈRES / PARIS

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Description

Ganymede - Patinated bronze sculpture, stamped Graux-Marly Frères / Paris. An elegant bronze sculpture with a brown patina depicting Ganymede, a figure from Greek mythology, portrayed as a young man in a graceful and naturalistic pose. The composition stands out for the finesse of its modeling, the rendering of the anatomy, and the beautiful attention to detail, particularly the curly hair, the sculpted attributes, and the interplay of volumes. The antique patina, with its brown hues, delicately highlights the reliefs and lends the piece a remarkable decorative presence. The sculpture bears the stamp "GRAUX-MARLY FRÈRES / PARIS," a signature attesting to its workshop provenance or manufacture. A charming piece, ideal for a collection of antique bronzes or to add a classic

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and refined touch to an interior. Dimensions: Height: 26 cm Subject: Ganymede *Material: Bronze with brown patina Stamp: Graux-Marly Frères / Paris ***Ganymede: a young Trojan prince from Greek mythology, abducted by Zeus--who had transformed himself into an eagle--to become the cupbearer of the Olympian gods, tasked with serving them wine**A renowned Parisian foundry and publisher of artistic and decorative bronze works, active in the 19th century.