19th Century French Napoleon III Giltwood Mirror With Beveled Glass



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Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Gilted wood

Description

This elegant French giltwood mirror dates from the late 19th-century and features an exceptionally decorative frame in the Napoleon III style, distinguished by its rich ornamentation and beautifully detailed gilded finish.The rectangular frame is crafted from wood with elaborate moulded composition decorations, featuring an intricate arrangement of scrolling acanthus leaves, delicate flowers, foliage and ornamental motifs. These raised decorations are set against a finely textured background, creating a remarkable interplay of light and shadow that enhances the richness of the gilding.The mirror retains a beautiful beveled glass plate, surrounded by several decorative mouldings that provide additional depth and refinement to the overall composition.The generous proportions and

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sophisticated detailing make this mirror a striking decorative piece, perfectly suited to an elegant entrance hall, living room, bedroom or above a fireplace.The gilded surface displays a lovely aged patina, with subtle variations in tone, minor surface wear and small age-related imperfections consistent with its antique character. The frame also shows some fine cracks in the decorative finish, typical of older gilded compositions.A beautiful example of French decorative craftsmanship from the late 19th century, combining classical inspiration with the elaborate ornamental taste of the Napoleon III period.Dimensions:H. 113 cm (44.49 in)W. 94 cm (37.01 in)D. 12 cm (4.72 in)