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Arabian Rider Returning From The Hunt / Polychrome Sculpture / After Alfred Barye

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Signature : ALFRED BARYE

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Metal

Description

Arabian Horseman Returning from the Hunt -
After Alfred Barye - Polychrome regule -
Orientalist sculpture An impressive and superb
Orientalist sculpture in polychrome regule, after
Alfred Barye (1839-1882), depicting an Arab
horseman returning from the hunt. This
remarkable equestrian composition depicts a
richly dressed Arab horseman riding an elegant
horse advancing proudly, with its front leg
raised. The figure, wearing a turban and a finely
crafted traditional costume, carries his weapons
and the spoils of his hunt, lending this scene a
particularly lively and picturesque quality. The
piece captivates with the richness of its
composition, the precision of its details, and the
quality of its carving. The horse, with its noble
and elegant bearing, displays beautiful

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musculature, a carefully modeled mane, and richly ornamented tack. The polychromy is particularly decorative, combining beautiful shades of coppery brown and golden bronze for the rider with an antique green patina for the horse. This harmony of colors beautifully highlights the reliefs and lends the entire piece a striking presence. The sculpture rests on a substantial rectangular pedestal of veined marble, which perfectly showcases this composition. This work is part of the great tradition of 19th-century Orientalist sculpture, particularly prized for its depictions of horsemen, horses, and hunting scenes. A particularly decorative collector's piece, generously sized, ideal for a distinctive interior, a library, an office, or a collection of Orientalist sculptures.

Characteristics
Subject: Arab horseman returning from a hunt
Artist: After Alfred Barye (1839-1882)
Material: Polychrome regule with multiple patinas
Style: Orientalist
Base: Veined marble
Height: 63 cm
Length: 71.5 cm
Width: 22 cm

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