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"lamentation With Deposition" In Polychrome Wax - Sicily, 18th Century

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Period : 18th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Wax

Description

Rare and Spectacular "Lamentation with the Deposition" in Polychrome Wax - Sicily, 18th CenturyDescriptionAn extraordinary and evocative polychrome wax sculpture group depicting the Deposition and the Lamentation over the Dead Christ, housed in its original period case (scarabattola).Period / Origin: Sicily, 18th century (Sicilian Baroque).Materials: Polychrome wax, period fabrics (silk, trimmings, gold thread), mineral and natural elements.Dimensions: Height 37 cm | Width 66 cm | Depth 20 cm.Historical and Artistic Details and ConditionThis artifact is an excellent example of 18th-century Sicilian ceramic modeling (ceroplastics). The scene, imbued with Baroque pathos, depicts the body of Christ lying in the center, surrounded by the Virgin Mary, the Pious Women (Mary Magdalene

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and Mary of Cleophas), Joseph of Arimathea, and Nicodemus.The figures display extraordinary attention to anatomical and expressive detail. The garments are made from original period fabrics embellished with gold-plated metal trims and threads.The arrangement inside the display case creates a diorama of great visual impact:Landscape backdrop: A rocky setting enriched with stones, crystals, moss, and seashells.Architectural backdrop: A painted perspective view of the city of Jerusalem.Frame: Original frame with carvings and gilded moldings.Condition: Excellent overall condition, considering the delicacy and age of the materials. A work of great interest to collectors and antiquarians.