Statue Of A Nude Nymph Drinking From A Fountain, Holding A Shell In Her Hand



2 500 EUR

Signature : Guglielmo Pugi (1850-1915)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Marble

Length : 27

Width : 22

Height : 57

Description

CENZI's recommendation for you is: Statue depicting a nude nymph drinking from a fountain using a seashell. Made in Italy and entirely hand-carved with a hammer and chisel by the sculptor Guglielmo Pugi (1850-1915). Guglielmo Pugi (Fiesole, 1850-1915) was a renowned Italian sculptor and one of the leading exponents of the Art Nouveau style in Tuscan decorative sculpture between the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Pugi moved permanently to Florence, then one of Europe's most important centers for the production and crafting of decorative marble statues. In his Florentine studio, he developed remarkable skill in direct sculpture. Pugi worked closely with his sons, Gino and Fiorenzo. Together they founded the company "Guglielmo Pugi e Figli," which specialized in creating busts,

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allegorical figures, and sculptural groups, primarily for export (especially to the United States). After his death in 1915, his sons continued the business under the name "Fratelli G. e F. Pugi." For this reason, many works from that period bear simply the signature "Pugi," indicating both the founder's hand and the workshop's production. International Success: The workshop gained significant recognition abroad through its participation in major international exhibitions, including the 1901 Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo and the 1904 World's Fair in St. Louis. Its repertoire fully reflected the aesthetic principles of Art Nouveau. It was renowned for its refined busts of young women adorned with flowers, turbans, or hats; allegorical figures (the seasons, the muses, personifications of the arts); and reinterpretations of classical and mythological subjects o Period: 19th century o Dimensions: 57 cm high o 27 cm o 22 cm o 20 kg o Condition: EXCELLENT o Packaging will be handled directly by Cenzi ArtGallery, using a fully wood-lined EPAL wooden pallet with professional, specialized packing materials inside. Shipping will be fast and trackable o CENZI ArtGallery provides invoices and appraisals for all the works of art you have decided to purchase.