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Grand Capipote, Saint Joseph, Spanish 18th Carved Wood



5 500 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Painted wood

Height : 113 cm

Description

Impressive 18th-century Spanish capipote representing Saint Joseph, carved in wood with striking details. This devotional figure features realistic glass paste eyes (sulfide) and a unique touch: Saint Joseph is depicted wearing boots, an unusual detail as he is traditionally shown barefoot. His original tin lily staff, symbolizing purity and virtue, adds to the authenticity and charm of this piece.

Capipotes were used in processions and religious ceremonies, their articulated limbs and lifelike expressions designed to evoke a powerful spiritual presence. Standing at 113 cm high, this Saint Joseph capipote embodies the craftsmanship and devotional fervor of Spanish religious art of the period.

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- o Period: 18th century
- o Origin: Spain
- o Materials: Carved wood with sulfide eyes,
original tin staff
- o Dimensions: Height 113 cm
- o Condition: Good overall condition with
some age-appropriate wear

A captivating piece for collectors of religious art
and those interested in the unique cultural
heritage of Spanish ecclesiastical sculptures.