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Antique Hand Carved Black Forest Chamois Goat's Head Hat & Coat Rack 19th C

Price

GBP 1,150

| USD \$1,556 | EUR 1,346

Item Reference: SA1041722**Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 26 cm (10.2")

Width = 57.5 cm (22.6")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

This is a stunning and rare Black Forest wall mounted carved chamois goat's head hat and coat rack with glass eyes and with branch and leaf decoration, Circa 1880 in date. This gorgeous antique was painstakingly hand-carved from Black Forest linden wood. A chamois (*Rupicapra rupicapra*), is a species of goat-antelope native to European mountains. Condition: In really excellent original condition, please see photos for confirmation of condition.

Dimensions in cm: Height 26 cm x Width 57.5 cm x Depth 13 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 10 inches x Width 1 foot, 11 inches x Depth 5 inches Linden wood or Tilia is a genus of about 30 species of trees native throughout most of the temperate Northern Hemisphere. Commonly called lime trees in the British Isles, they are not closely related to the lime fruit. Other names include basswood. The genus occurs in Europe and eastern North America, but the greatest species diversity is found in Asia. The timber of linden trees is soft and easily worked; it has very little grain. During the Viking era, it was often used for constructing shields. It is a popular wood for model building and intricate carving. Especially in Germany, it...

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