

**SA1098030**

## Antique Pair of Framed Grand Tour Intaglios Early 19th Century

Price

**Sold****Item Reference: SA1098030****Date of manufacture: 1850**

### Dimensions

Height = 29 cm (11.4")

Width = 36.2 cm (14.3")

Depth = 4.5 cm (1.8")

## Description

A pair of framed intaglios each consisting of fourteen plaster Grand Tour intaglios of various sizes, dating from Circa 1840. The intaglios are beautifully mounted on a green linen ground in a pair of rectangular, black and gilt glazed box frames. They consist of a total of twenty eight shaped plaster intaglios of varying sizes depicting a variety of classical figures and motifs. Condition: In excellent condition, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 29 cm x Width 36.2 cm x Depth 4.5 cm - Frame Height 24.5 cm x Width 31.8 cm x Depth 4.5 cm - Interior Dimensions in inches: Height 11 inches x Width 1 foot, 2 inches x Depth 2 inches - Frame Height 10 inches x Width 1 foot x Depth 2 inches - Interior The Grand Tour was the traditional trip around Europe, often lasting three to four years, undertaken by the wealthy upper-class English during the 16th and 17th century. Their prime interest was to visit cities that were considered major centres of culture; Paris, Rome, Venice, Florence and Naples were popular destinations. During the 18th and 19th century, the opportunity to take the "Grand Tour" spread from the aristocracy to the ne...

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