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Chelsea Porcelain Figurine of "Diana the Huntress", Gold Anchor, c. 1760.

Price

GBP 800

| USD \$1,083 | EUR 936

Item Reference: SA1128268

Date of manufacture: 18th Century

Description

Antique and extremely rare Chelsea porcelain figurine of "Diana the Huntress", dating to around 1760, during the period gold anchor of the Chelsea manufactory's production, which is visible on the back. The figurine depicts Diana, the Roman goddess of the hunt, seated on a rock with her bow in hand and accompanied by a hound. Her gold-trimmed headpiece and delicate facial features are carefully painted, emphasizing the craftsmanship of Chelsea masters. The base is elaborately decorated with gilded scrollwork, which are typical of Chelsea's luxurious table wares and decorative objects.

The Chelsea factory was one of the most important English porcelain manufacturers of the 18th century, known for its high quality soft paste porcelain and fine rococo decorations.

Chelsea porcelain figurines from this period were highly prized among the English aristocracy, often used as table decorations or cabinet pieces. The gold anchor period (c.1756–1769) represents the factory's later years before its merger with Derby, and pieces from this time are especially sought after by collectors due to their refinem...

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