

SA1164874

Early 16th Century Carved Walnut Coffin of Small Proportions

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1164874****Date of manufacture: 16th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 44 cm (17.3")

Width = 94 cm (37.0")

Depth = 34.5 cm (13.6")

Description

An early 16th-century Flemish walnut coffin from the Renaissance period showcases a rich color and a well-preserved, original, untouched patina. The exterior is reinforced with its original decorative iron strapwork, secured with handmade nails. The front is hand-carved, depicting two mythical beasts facing each other with ropes in their mouths, holding the top down, which adds a unique aesthetic appeal. The lid, attached with original iron pin hinges on each side, lifts to reveal the untouched interior. The coffin is raised on its shaped base. It features an iron lock plate with a hasp. This rare item, having survived five centuries with minimal repairs, retains its original patina and character. Dimensions: 94 cm W x 34.5 cm D x 44 cm H

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