

SA1182245

Antique Swiss Walnut Marquetry Occasional Table 19th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1182245****Date of manufacture: 1870**

Dimensions

Height = 74 cm (29.1")

Width = 80 cm (31.5")

Depth = 59 cm (23.2")

Description

This is a superb antique 19th Century Swiss carved walnut and marquetry inlaid centre table, Circa 1870 in date. It has a striking shaped top which is centred by a cartouche decorated with a chamois goat on a mountain top. The table is raised on a carved central column on three cabriole carved shaped legs. It is a very handsome piece which would look perfect in any study or library. Condition: In excellent condition having only been beautifully cleaned and waxed in our workshops, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 74 cm x Width 80 cm x Depth 59 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 2 foot, 5 inches x Width 2 foot, 7 inches x Depth 1 foot, 11 inches Marquetry is decorative artistry where pieces of material of different colours are inserted into surface wood veneer to form intricate patterns such as scrolls or flowers. The technique of veneered marquetry had its inspiration in 16th century Florence. Marquetry elaborated upon Florentine techniques of inlaying solid marble slabs with designs formed of fitted marbles, jaspers and semi-precious stones. This work, called opere di commessi, has medieval parallels in Central Italian "Cosmati"-work of in...

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