

SA1188886

Antique French Louis Philippe Mirror c1890

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1188886****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 103.5 cm (40.7")

Width = 77 cm (30.3")

Depth = 4 cm (1.6")

Description

This is a fantastic piece. The Louis Philippe style (popularized in the mid-19th century) is characterized by its "rounded shoulders" at the top and a clean, understated elegance that bridges the gap between the ornate Baroque period and the cleaner lines of the 20th century. Because it is silver-gilded rather than the more common gold, it has a aesthetic that makes it particularly popular for contemporary homes. Silver Gilded. Unlike standard silver paint, this involves the application of thin silver leaf over a "bole" (clay base), often showing hints of the red or grey undertones where the leaf has worn thin over time. There is a light patina or of the silver, which gives the piece its antique quality. The glass plate also has some marks showing its age and authenticity. 77cm wide x 103.5cm high x 4cm deep

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