

SA1196396

Antique Staffordshire Flatback of a Country Couple

Price

GBP 325

| USD \$440 | EUR 380

Item Reference: SA1196396

Date of manufacture: 1850

Dimensions

Height = 26.5 cm (10.4")

Width = 16 cm (6.3")

Depth = 7.5 cm (3.0")

Description

A charming antique Staffordshire pottery figure group depicting a country couple, the woman carrying a sheaf of wheat upon her head and holding a basket of fruit, her companion in rustic attire with a green cloak and red cravat. Hand-painted in typical bright enamels of blue, green, ochre, and red, and standing upon a grassy mound base. This piece captures the romanticised rural life so popular in Victorian England reflecting the sentimental taste of the period. The glaze displays a fine network of age-related crazing typical of authentic 19th-century Staffordshire pottery. Condition: Excellent antique condition — no chips, cracks, or restorations detected. Fine age-related crazing and minor enamel wear consistent with age. Dimensions: Height 26.5 cm (10½ in) Width 16 cm (6¼ in) Depth 7.5 cm (3 in). A delightful and well-preserved example of Staffordshire folk art, perfect for collectors of Victorian ceramics or rural genre figures. Dated: 1850

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