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Exceptional Matched Pair Antique French Kingwood Vernis Martin Vitrine Display Cabinets With Marble Tops & Ormolu Mounts c.1880

Price

GBP 6,000

| USD \$8,119 | EUR 7,021

Item Reference: SA1223699**Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 152 cm (59.8")

Width = 72 cm (28.3")

Depth = 42 cm (16.5")

Description

An exceptional and highly decorative matched pair of antique French kingwood vitrines dating to circa 1880, beautifully crafted in the Louis XV taste and retaining their original marble tops, finely cast ormolu mounts and exquisite Vernis Martin panels. Constructed from richly figured kingwood veneers arranged in elegant parquetry patterns, each cabinet is adorned with intricate gilt bronze mounts of outstanding quality. The lower panels feature finely painted Vernis Martin scenes, signed V. Gossens, depicting romantic and allegorical subjects executed in the Rococo manner. One cabinet retains its luxurious original crimson silk-lined interior, creating a striking backdrop for the display of porcelain, silver, objets d'art or fine collectibles. The companion cabinet features a more understated interior, allowing the exceptional veneers and painted decoration to take centre stage. Both are fitted with glass shelves and glazed sides, maximising light and visibility from every angle. Pieces of this quality are becoming increasingly difficult to source, particularly as a true matched pair. Their combination of kingwood parquetry, marble, ormolu and signed painted panels pl...

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