

SA1231445

C19th Orientalist Polychrome Spelter Figural Candlesticks on Carved Plinths

Price

GBP 399

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Item Reference: SA1231445

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 44.4 cm (17.5")

Width = 13.2 cm (5.2")

Depth = 18.2 cm (7.2")

Description

C19th Orientalist Polychrome Spelter Figural Candlesticks on Carved Plinths Brief Description: This is a fabulous and highly decorative matching pair of 19th-century Orientalist Figural Candlesticks, modelled as an exotic male and female figure. Standing an impressive 17.5 inches tall, each figure is beautifully modelled in a dynamic pose, balancing upon one leg whilst holding an elaborate candle sconce aloft. The figures are cast from spelter and retain wonderful traces of their original polychrome decoration, with rich red, gilt and coloured detailing throughout. Both figures are depicted wearing elaborate Orientalist costume, complete with headdresses, jewellery and richly decorated clothing. The female figure wears a particularly striking feathered headdress, whilst the male is portrayed wearing a turban. The raised arms terminate in ornate candle sconces decorated with further coloured and gilt embellishment. Each figure is mounted upon a decorative circular platform which, in turn, rests upon a substantial hand-carved wooden base decorated with scrolling flowers and foliage. Dating to the second half of the 19th century, the pair epitomise the European fasci...

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