

SA238613

A Good Set Of 8 Oak Arts & Crafts Period Antique Dining Chairs

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA238613****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Description

A good set of 8 oak Arts & Crafts Period antique dining chairs by W.J Neatby including two carver arm chairs. Each chair with a rounded top rail with typical Arts & Crafts period stylised carved motifs and three simple vertical splats. The cushioned drop in seats with square tapering supports united by stretchers. Typical of the Arts and Crafts Period these chairs are of a relatively simple design but both functional and stable. English circa 1900-1910 Dimensions: Armchairs 44" high x 24" wide x 20" deep Stand Chairs 39" high x 18" wide x 18" deep (Seats 18" high) The arts and crafts ceramic sculptor and artist W. J. Neatby is best known for his designs for the tiles in Harrods food hall. His work is fairly widespread, as decorative tilework and architectural sculpture in terra cotta for Doultons, with which company he had a long association. Neatby was a native of the town of Barnsley, and trained as an architect, but became a craft worker, as well as tiles and sculpture, carrying out designs in metalwork, enamelling, painted murals, stained glass and furniture. He died in High Wycombe at a relatively young age. In London, apart from his work for Harrods, just off Vict...

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