

SA450686

Late C19th Italian bronze
'Grand Tour' souvenir ,after the
Roman ,fountain figure from
Pompeii.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA450686

Date of manufacture: 1890

Dimensions

Height = 66 cm (26.0")

Width = 25 cm (9.8")

Depth = 25 cm (9.8")

Description

Late C19th Italian bronze 'Grand Tour' souvenir , after the Roman , fountain figure from Pompeii. Known as the "Amorino con Ora" , or Cherub with Goose, the original bronze fountain statue was excavated at Pompeii in 1832. It stood in a mosaic-decorated fountain niche within a property on Via Mercurio , Pompeii. Almost certainly produced by the Chiurazzi Foundry Naples ,Italy . The winged cherub figure is depicted in mid stride clutching a goose under his left arm. Excellent consistent dark patination and detailed casting . H W D Italy, Naples c.1890

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