

SA754408

Antique Fontaine Figure, French, Bronze, Statue, After Ernest Rancoulet, C.1920

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA754408****Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 27 cm (10.6")

Width = 25.5 cm (10.0")

Depth = 15 cm (5.9")

Description

This is an antique Jean de la Fontaine figure. A French, bronze statue after Ernest Rancoulet, dating to the early 20th century, circa 1920. A bronze seated figure of noted fabulist Jean de la Fontaine Displays a desirable aged patina Bronze with great weathered appearance Great detail to the facial features, hair and clothing Sitting in relaxed pose, posturing as he reads from a book The pose being striking from several angles Pleasing weight of 5.69kg (12.5lb) Inscription to book reads 'Le chêne et le roseau' - The Oak and the Reed This was adapted into French by de la Fontaine from the fable by Aesop Signed to the rear as 'Rancoulet' This is a fascinating antique seated figure in bronze, in the manner of the celebrated French sculptor Ernest Rancoulet. A study of Jean de la Fontaine, the noted fabulist who collected works from around Europe and translated them into French. This piece offers literary interest as well as an appealing collectible piece. Delivered polished and ready to display. Dimensions: Max Width: 25.5cm (10") Max Depth: 15cm (6") Max Height: 27cm (10.75") We offer a 100% satisfaction guarantee with all of our antiques. We ship worldwide with p...

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