

**SA873252**

A superb 19th C Grand Tour  
Italian serpentine marble carved  
sculpture of Venus

Price

**Sold**

**Item Reference: SA873252**

**Date of manufacture: 1860**

Dimensions

Height = 10 cm (3.9")

Width = 31 cm (12.2")

Depth = 12 cm (4.7")

## Description

This brilliant hand carved serpentine marble sculpture dates to the mid 19th century and depicts the classical nude figure of Venus lying on a soft bed with flowers by her side. This is an unusual composition and one that I have not seen before and I would feel it is quite rare. It is very finely carved showing fabulous detail throughout. The marble is deep green and black with a mottled grain and the carving has a smooth and lustrous finish. In very good condition, Italian circa 1860

## Seller Details

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