



## Vintage Art Bronze, French, Fine Cast Sculpture, Lion, After Barye, Circa 1950









## **DESCRIPTION**

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This is a vintage art bronze. A French, fine cast sculpture of a lion and serpent, after Antoine-Louis Barye, dating to the mid 20th century, circa 1950.

- In the manner of one of the early 19th century's foremost animalier or animal sculptor Antoine-Louis Barye (French, 1796-1875)
  - Highly appealing rendition of the 'Lion au Serpent' of 1832 and later
  - Displays a desirable aged patina and in very good order
  - Quality, fine cast bronze shows appealing tonality and superb detail throughout
  - Fine mane detail and muscular haunches a delightful study of natural interest
  - The brave serpent, head reared defiantly against his fate beneath the large beast
  - Presented upon a thick, oval plinth of Belgian Black marble
  - Signed to front A. Barye in homage to the distinguished original artist

This is a highly appealing vintage art bronze, with a fascinating energy and cast to a high quality after a 19th century original. Set to enhance any display cabinet or mantlepiece. Delivered polished and ready to enjoy.

## **DIMENSIONS**

Max Width: 29cm (11.5") Max Depth: 18.5cm (7.25") Max Height: 23.5cm (9.25")

