

Pair Of Antique Virtue Figures, French, Bronze, Statue, Art Nouveau, Victorian



DESCRIPTION

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This is a pair of antique virtue figures. A French, bronze decorative female statue in Art Nouveau taste, dating to the late Victorian period, circa 1890.

- Delightful elegance and appealing Art Nouveau motif
- Displaying a desirable aged patina and in good order
- Bronze forms are wonderfully patinated throughout
- Warm golden hues flourish amongst darker mottled hues
- Each figure displays a French virtue Modestie and Gaiete
- Their respective poses reflect their character to great effect
- Demure and bashful, Modestie looks towards the ground wistfully
- Full of reverie and openness, Gaiete holds her arms wide as her dress billows
- Raised upon ebonised circular socles with rolled and tiered finish
- Small annotated name plaques adorn the front of each socle
- Pleasingly substantial in the hand; Modestie 1.88kg (4.14 lb) & amp; Gaiete 1.98kg (4.36 lb)

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DIMENSIONS

LIST PRICE

£985.00

Gaiete Figure Width: 15cm (6") Gaiete Figure Depth: 10cm (4") Gaiete Figure Height: 29.5cm (11.5") Modestie Figure Width: 12.5cm (5") Modestie Figure Depth: 10cm (4") Modestie Figure Height: 30cm (11.75")



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