

Antique Bonheur Du Jour, French, Walnut, Ladies Writing Desk, Victorian, C.1900



**DESCRIPTION**

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This is an antique bonheur du jour. A French, walnut ladies writing desk, dating to the late Victorian period, circa 1900.

- Sumptuous colour and delightful figuring to this fine desk
- Displays a desirable aged patina and in good order
- Walnut and Burr walnut stocks present fine grain interest
- Dashing caramel hues beam beneath a quality wax polish finish
- Low back rest adorned with brass gallery rails over two banks of small drawers
- Each drawer dressed with small brass pulls, decorated in ornate manner
- Superb marquetry enhances the writing surface, with book matched centrepiece
- Shaped front apron hosts a generous lower drawer, with inset working lock – key present
- Bowed hipline hosting long ormolu mounts with golden tonality
- Finished back affords central room placement
- Standing upon a quartet of slender cabriole legs with splayed toes

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**DIMENSIONS**

- Max Width: 84.5cm (33.25")
- Max Depth: 57cm (22.5")
- Max Height: 94cm (37")
- Writing Surface Width: 81cm (32")
- Writing Surface Depth: 51cm (20")
- Writing Surface Height: 78cm (30.75")

