

17th century handmade terracotta Italian statue of Pope Innocent X

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Height: 73 cm (28.7")

Width: 20 cm (7.9")

Depth: 16 cm (6.3")

## Description

17th century handmade terracotta Italian statue of Pope Innocent X, born Giovanni Battista Pamphilj, ruler of the Papal State from 1644 to 1655.

Pope Innocent X, who reigned from 1644 to 1655, was a prominent figure in the Catholic Church known for his political acumen and involvement in the Papal States. His papacy is notably captured in Diego Velázquez's famous portrait, highlighting his intense and commanding presence. Innocent X's tenure was marked by significant political and ecclesiastical challenges.