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Tulip Moulding Plaster Cast from an Antique Original

£80

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Height: 28 cm (11")

Width: 20 cm (7.9")

Depth: 3 cm (1.2")

Description

A finely detailed plaster cast of a tulip moulding, taken from an antique carved original. The elegant repeating floral form captures the sculptural character and decorative richness of historic architectural ornament, with the tulip motif rendered in relief to create a pleasing play of light and shadow across the surface.

Plaster casts such as this have long been valued as both practical study pieces and decorative objects. Made by carefully taking an impression from the original carving, the process records its contours, texture, and subtle hand-worked detail in three dimensions. Once the plaster has cured, the cast provides a faithful replica that can be studied, displayed, or used as a reference without further handling the original.

The tulip has been a favoured ornamental motif across many decorative traditions, admired for its graceful form and rhythmic suitability for borders, friezes, and mouldings. Here, its natural curves and stylised petals lend the cast a strong sense of movement and refinement, making it particularly effective as a wall-mounted decorative element or as part of a collection of architectural fragments and plasterwork.

With its historic inspiration and crisp relief modelling, this plaster cast would make a striking addition to an interior scheme, design studio, library, hallway, or garden room. It will appeal equally to collectors of architectural antiques, students of ornament, and those drawn to the enduring beauty of classical and historic decorative design.

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