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A LATE 15TH CENTURY NORTH ITALIAN SCULPTURE OF ST SEBASTIAN. ITALAIAN. CIRCA 1480-1500.

THIS WONDERFUL LATE MEDIEVAL SCULPTURE HAS PERFECT PROPORTIONS, ST SEBASTIAN IS TIED TO A TREE AND RETAINS NEARLY ALL HIS ORIGINAL POLYCHROME DECORATION. HAS A LOVELY SOFT EXPRESSION AND COLOUR.

Saint Sebastian was an early Christian saint and martyr. According to traditional belief, he was killed during the Roman emperor Diocletian's persecution of Christians. Wikipedia

Born: Narbonne, France. Died: 20 January 287 AD, Rome, Italy

Attributes: Tied to a post, pillar or a tree, shot by arrows, clubbed to death

Venerated in: Roman Catholic Church; Eastern Orthodox Church; Oriental Orthodoxy;

Anglicanism; Aglipayan Church

Nicknames: Sebastian of Milan, St Sebastian, the martyr

PROVENANCE- FROM A PRIVATE VENETIAN COLLECTION.

APROX DIMENSIONS.



SOLD

Dimensions:

Height: 38.5 inches (97.8 cms)

Width: 8 inches (20.3 cms)

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