Statuette

Metalwork Collection

Accession Nr.:	53.2603.1
Date of production:	first half of the 19th century
Place of production:	Nuremberg
Inscription:	„N” városi hitelesítő jegy és 13-as fémfinomsági jegy a talp felső részén beütve. (Rosenberg 3 Nr. 3769)
Materials:	mother-of -pearl seashell; silver
Dimensions:	height: 14,2 cm base diameter: 6,4 cm

The statuettes resemble the bizarre mannerist objects of virtue constructed of the combination of different materials. They stand on a jointed foot enclosed with red and blue glass beads, showing an innkeeper and his wife with a beer mug and with a skewer and roast poultry. Their upper part is shaped of a mother-of-pearl shell, decorated with a silver band enriched with glass beads.

Literature

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