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GILT-BRONZE MODEL OF CERES,

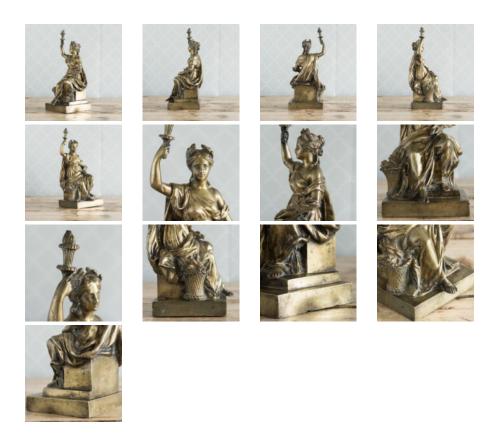
Roman goddess of agriculture,

modelled seated holding torch aloft in one hand and with a sheaf of wheat in the other, on plinth base. Italian, nineteenth century.

DIMENSIONS: 24cm (9 $^{1/2}$ ") High, 11cm (4 $^{1/4}$ ") Wide, 11cm (4 $^{1/4}$ ") Deep, base 9.5 cm deep x 10.5 cm wide.

PRICE: £475

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HISTORY

This particular model of Ceres appears to be strongly influenced by an image of her on a fresco from a Pompeii IVth style home on the Naviglio site of Pompeii.