



Pygmalion and Galatea

Date

c. 1780

Primary Maker

Unidentified artist

Medium

Hard-Paste Biscuit Porcelain

Description

Sculptural group of a kneeling man who looks up towards a nude woman returning his gaze. Two putti behind her, kiss her hand and aim an arrow at the man. The oval base with figures is placed on a socle with turquoise ground decorated with a gilded inscription and interlacing gilt flower trail.

Dimensions

17 1/2 × 9 7/16 in. (44.5 × 24 cm)