



**A Pair of Three-Flame Meissen Candlesticks**

Circa: Circa 1750

28 x 27 cm

11.0236220472441 x 11.0236220472441"

Circa 1750

Porcelain Gilded Bronze

28 x 27 x 20 cm (11 x 10<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inches)

Bronze: Paris, circa 1750

Porcelain: Meissen, circa 1750

Model by Johann Joachim Kändler (Fischbach 1706 – 1775 Meissen)

Gilded and chased bronze

Metal foliage painted green, very slight chips to the flowers

Cavalier in a white coat, lady with a cream-colored skirt and yellow shoes, standing in a dancing position. The "Dancing Tyrolean Girl" is listed as the 17th entry in Kändler's taxa. The model was therefore created by him around 1740. The entry reads: "1 of these [Tyrolean maids] depicted dancing, holding her apron with both hands, 2 thalers, 12 grams." (Rafael 2009, p. 47).

**Literature:**

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