

19th century wax cast head of Christ

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Height: 16 cm (6.3")

Width: 14 cm (5.5")

Depth: 12 cm (4.7")

Description

A 19th century wax cast fragment of the head of Christ.

Wax sculptures have a rich history dating back to ancient civilisations. Early wax figures were used in rituals and as votive offerings. Wax sculptures became widely recognised for their ability to capture intricate details and emotions, evolving from ceremonial uses to prominent exhibits in museums and educational displays.