



## 18th Century Antique.

A magnificent mid 18th Century chimneypiece in Statuary marble with heavily carved foliate pilasters headed by masks beneath carved trusses which support corner blocks carved with ewers. Richly figured convent sienna flanks the pilasters and the central frieze tablet which is of architectural form inset with Sicilian Jasper. The break-front shelf incorporates rope twist carving. A chimneypiece with identical jambs can be seen in Shuffrey's *The English Fireplace and its Accessories*.

### Dimensions

External Height 66 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in (169cm) Width 86 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in (220cm)

Internal Height 45 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in (116cm) Width 43 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in (111cm)

### Reference

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