

18TH C. FRENCH LOUIS XIII WALNUT TABLE DESK WITH BARLEY TWIST LEGS AND DRAWER

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Incorporate elegant, functional surface space into a living room, study, or den with this handsome antique French walnut writing table, crafted in France circa 1780. Executed in solid walnut, the table reflects the enduring influence of Louis XIII style design, admired for its bold proportions and sculptural detailing. The rectangular top, finished with a softly molded edge, rests above a single drawer fitted with an iron ring pull, offering practical storage with understated refinement. The table stands on four richly turned barley twist legs, joined by an X-form stretcher centered with a turned finial, a classic construction that enhances both stability and visual interest. The walnut surface has developed a warm, lustrous patina over time, and the table is in excellent condition with wear commensurate with age and use, preserving its authentic character. Compact yet substantial, this antique table is ideal for use as a writing desk, console, or side table, bringing timeless French elegance and historical charm to a traditional or European-inspired interior. Dimensions: 38.5"W x 24.5"D x 30.25"H

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