

19TH CENTURY FRENCH LOUIS PHILIPPE GILTWOOD WALL MIRROR WITH VINE MOTIFS

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Crafted in France circa 1870, this elegant antique Louis Philippe mirror features the classic rounded rectangular form emblematic of the period. The substantial molded frame is finished in rich gold leaf over gesso and delicately decorated with hand-engraved foliate and vine motifs, subtly incised into the gilded surface to create texture and movement without overwhelming the refined silhouette. The softly curved corners and gently stepped inner molding add depth and visual softness, while the warm gilt finish enhances its luminous presence. The mirror retains its original mercury glass, showing gentle foxing, light age spotting, and tonal variation consistent with its 19th century origin. These time-earned characteristics reinforce the authenticity and charm collectors seek in a true antique example. The reverse reveals traditional plank construction, further confirming its period craftsmanship. Ideal hung vertically above a commode, console, or mantel, this antique French mirror also works beautifully in an entry, bedroom, or powder bath. The piece is in excellent antique condition commensurate with age and use. Dimensions: 28.5"W x 1.5"D x 48.5"H

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