

MID-CENTURY ITALIAN CARVED GILTWOOD SUNBURST WALL MIRROR WITH MIRRORED RAYS

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Hand-carved in Italy circa 1970, this decorative vintage sunburst wall mirror features an intricate arrangement of radiating giltwood rays surrounding a circular central mirror. Inspired by traditional French sunburst designs, the piece combines classical elegance with the decorative flair of mid-century Italian craftsmanship.

The round mirror is framed by a carved inner border embellished with small circular accents and mirrored details. Extending outward, numerous elongated, fluted rays of varying lengths create a dramatic sunburst silhouette. The alternating gilded surfaces and mirrored insets add depth, texture, and visual interest, beautifully catching and reflecting the surrounding light.

The sunburst motif has long been associated with the grandeur of Louis XIV, the Sun King, and became a popular decorative element in European interiors. This Italian interpretation brings a timeless architectural quality to the traditional design, making it equally suitable for classical and contemporary settings.

The vintage wall mirror is in good condition commensurate with age and use, and retains a rich gilt painted finish with an attractive aged patina. A few mirrored insets have cracks, and the frame shows slight warping consistent with age (see detailed images).

Perfect for a powder room, entryway, hallway, or displayed above a small console table.

Dimensions: 19.75" Diameter.

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