





PAIR OF 19TH C. FRENCH BLACK FOREST CARVED WALNUT GAME AND HARVEST WALL PLAQUES

\$1,600

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This distinctive pair of antique Black Forest wall plaques was hand-carved from solid walnut in France circa 1870. Each is mounted on an oval back plate with a stippled and chiseled ground that enhances the dramatic relief carvings. One plaque depicts a finely detailed hunting scene featuring a woven game pouch, pheasant, rifle, hunting horn, and oak foliage—a vivid tribute to rustic sport and rural craftsmanship. The companion plaque presents a harvest motif: a coiled wicker basket overflowing with vines and a resting lamb, evoking pastoral abundance and serenity. Rendered with exceptional depth and precision, the carvings embody the naturalism and romanticism typical of the Black Forest aesthetic, likely originating from eastern France near the Vosges. The walnut retains its rich original patina and warm finish. Each measures approximately 14 inches high by 11 inches wide and 3 inches deep and includes a mounting hole for display. A rare and poetic ensemble, ideal for a gentleman's study, hunting lodge, or refined ranch setting.