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Early 19th Century Gray Painted Oak Rococo Secretary with Carved Saint Figures











Early 19th century Danish Rococo secretary crafted in oak, featuring gracefully curved drawer fronts, decorative carving, and an elegant silhouette. The secretary has been given a newer painted finish in layered shades of antique white and gray, carefully distressed to reveal areas of natural oak beneath.

The drop-front writing surface opens and rests on two extending support arms, creating a practical desktop. Inside, a contrasting blue painted finish with white speckles and undertones provides a beautiful complement to the soft gray exterior.

Six petite drawers and three storage cubbies offer convenient organization for correspondence, writing supplies, and other smaller belongings. An especially unusual decorative feature is a carved saint figure positioned within an interior alcove flanking the central small cabinet, adding distinctive historical and artistic interest to the bureau.

The lower section features three large serpentine drawers, reflecting the graceful curves associated with Rococo furniture. A carved lower skirt with floral decoration and elegant cabriole feet complete the traditional Danish design.

Keys are included for use as drawer and door pulls only; the original locks do not function.

Generations of use are reflected in old cracks, scratches, and age related separation along the sides and back. Additional old repairs to cracking are visible along the rear feet. These signs of age are consistent with the secretary's traditional construction and do not impact its function.



Restored, stable, and ready to use. A beautiful example of Danish Rococo craftsmanship, combining an elegant painted finish, practical writing and drawer storage, and unique carved saint figures within the interior.
Please refer to professional photos for clear understanding of color, condition, and details; photo lighting, individual monitor display and home lighting all impact how item is viewed. Photos are part of item description, please ask questions or request additional photos of specific areas if needed.
Open depth: 32.25"
Desk height: 29"

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- Price: $3,850.00
- Year/Circa: 1800-20
- Origin: Denmark
- Color: Gray
- Dimensions: 37w x 20.5d x 40.5h
- Item #: 27473