

Extraordinary

Museum

Artifacts

*and*

Artwork

*800 Years*

*of very rare and unusual*

*European Artwork...*

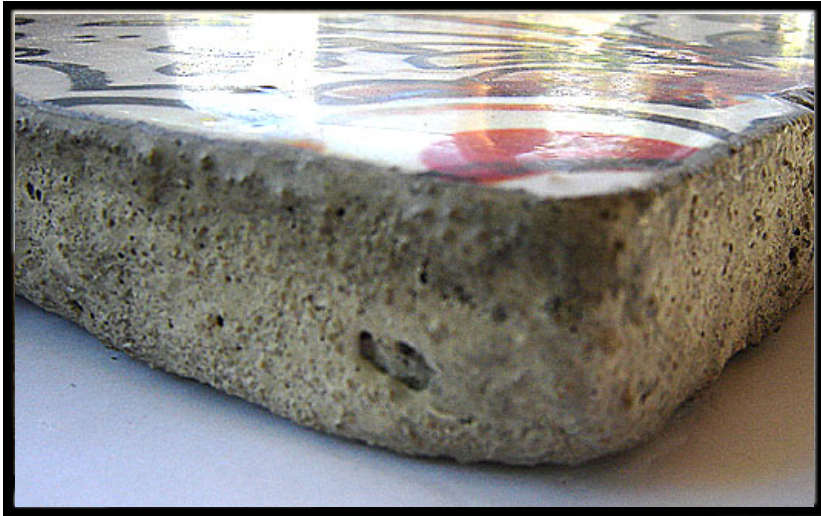


*Tiles*

ALL ARTWORK CAN BE USED FOR TILES

for updated artwork - please visit 'The Museum' - [www.GreatForgeries.com](http://www.GreatForgeries.com)

the edge of our hand made tile



please note:  
as Tiles are hand-made  
each will be different  
and extremely rare

the front of the tile



the tile back

All of our tiles are completely hand-made to look old, they are designed from a 300 year old french chateau tile. **Each is unique** and a collectible work of art in its own right & as such is proudly dated & stamped. **It takes 16 unique hand processes to achieve this level of forgery!**

*The Curator - 'An Englishman in LA'*

Provenence label as attached to all tiles

this refers to pages 7 & 8

## PRECIOUS RECREATIONS

### *Majolica Tile*

*The Church of San Donato, Italy c.1615*

There is a little building in the Abruzzi mountains of Italy close to the town of Castelli that is the majolica equal to the Sistine Chapel, the building is the church of San Donato. These magnificent & unique tiles, 810 in all, depicting coats of arms, heraldic emblems, male & female images, plants, animals & sacred images form the ceiling of the church and are dated 1615-16. We are proud to replicate this unique & priceless Renaissance art form. To do justice to this magnificent artwork we have created a tile that mimics masonry that is hundreds of years old. Each tile is made by hand, dated and carries the E seal of our company.

*antiquities can be viewed at 'The Museum'*

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*please refer back to store for purchases*

*extremely rare - recreated with great care & patience  
by*

*An Englishman in LA*  
semper genaro

"the most unusual company this side of the 15th century"

THE FOLLOWING TILE ART (all pages) WITHOUT EXCEPTION  
IS EXTRAORDINARILY RARE...

## *The Dining Set*

Please note that the dining set on page 12 is a set of 8 12" x12x¼ tiles  
that sit together to form an astonishing table center piece/runner  
and split off as trivets to go under each served plate - beautiful!

# Astonishing Majolica Tile Artwork

*The Church of San Donato - Italy c. 1615*



1



2



3



4



5



6



7



8



9 (two part)



10



# San Paolo Monastery

*Our oldest tile recreations - Italy c. 1480*



1



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# The Life of Christ

Giotto di Bondone c. 1302-5

The frescoes in the Arena Chapel in Padua are among the most celebrated works in the history of art. Giotto's work was a source of inspiration and instruction for generations of painters; it was studied and absorbed by Masaccio, Leonardo da Vinci, Michelangelo, and Raphael, artists whose own work was to be of such fundamental importance for the history of European art.



Giotto 1



Giotto 2



Giotto 3



Giotto 4



Giotto5



Giotto 6

# Exceptionally Rare Tiles



1

Chinese Tin Glaze  
date & origin unknown

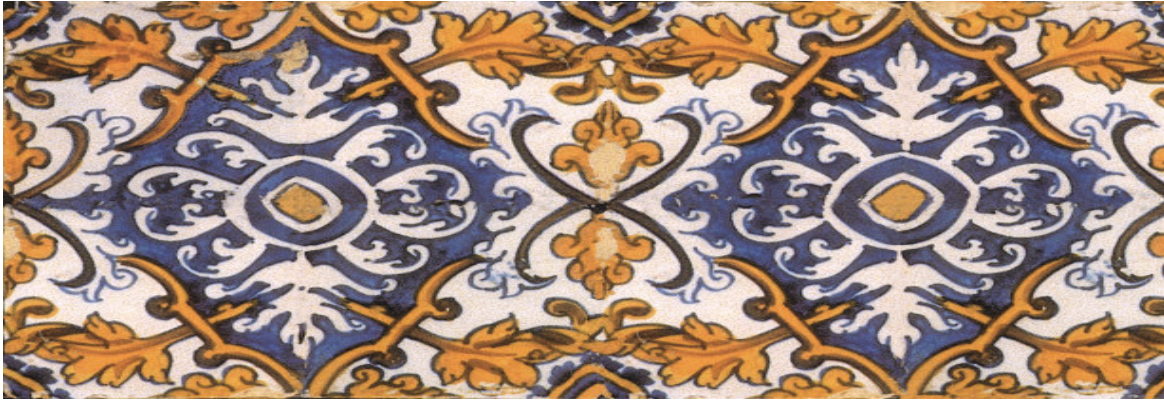


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Two Hares  
The Netherlands c. 1625



# *Exceptionally Rare Frieze Tiles*



Pattern Frieze

The Dragon



Blue Frieze

Iznik Frieze



# tiles

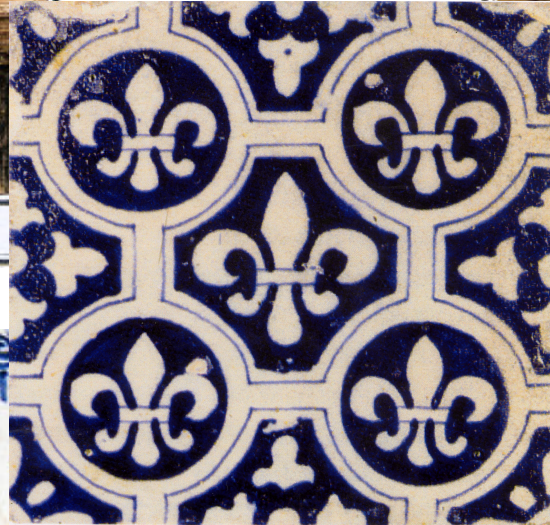
12"



Boodt Cat



Boodt Boar



Fleur de Lys



Blue Bird 1



Blue Bird 2



Compote



Diamond Hare



Diamond Stag

an exquisite addition  
to any dining table

# The Dining Set

art that works



a set of 6 wonderful recreations - extremely rare thin felt backed 12" tiles c.1620 Use as a table runner, place settings and trivets.

# Praying Angels c. 1410

Angelic 1



Angelic 3





# Tile 'Antico'



Antico - Closed Urn



Antico - Open Urn

*An Englishman in LA is proud to present it's latest 'relic' the Antico tile. This is a 17 x 13 x ¾ hand-made artifact and weighs approximately 12lbs. Real rusted hooks and chain complete the astonishing look and feel of this tile.*



Muse 1 12" Tile 05141



Muse 2 12" Tile 05142



Muse 4 12" Tile 05144



Muse 3 12" Tile 05143



TL Urbino Frieze



TL Grapes Frieze

05148



TL Floral Frieze

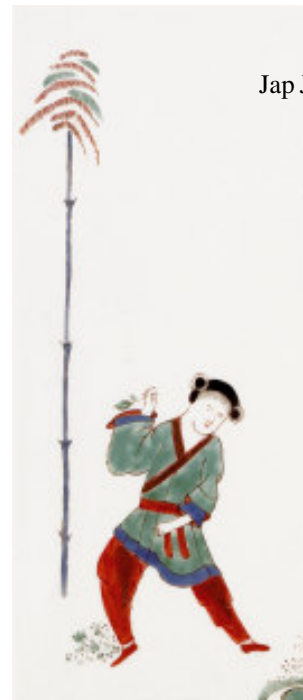
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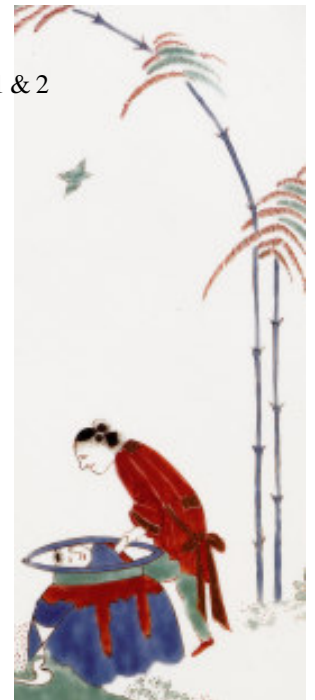
The Blue Angel

12" Tile

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Jap Jar 1 & 2





Vatican map 2 0601-1

These wonderful images come right off the walls of The Vatican!  
c. 1550

Vatican map 1 0601-2





Columbus

Please note that the beautiful Italian images on this page are 500 years old and were originally painted on walls, therefore, they are best suited to our aged tile format. We will however create them on our other products if so needed.



Rimini



Urbino



Sea Dragon



Tile - 1741



Tile Maya Codice

# The Wine Grower and The Wine Crier

*Recreations of two exquisite and extremely rare images from 1586 on tile*



Don Wine Crier



Don Wine Grower

# THE JOSEPHINE BAKER REVIEW

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*Josephine Baker and her act La Revue Negré took Paris by storm in 1925, this wonderful artwork truly captures the period*



1



2

**CREATED ON THIN TILE - EXTREMELY RARE**



3



4

# FRUITY FABLES .....

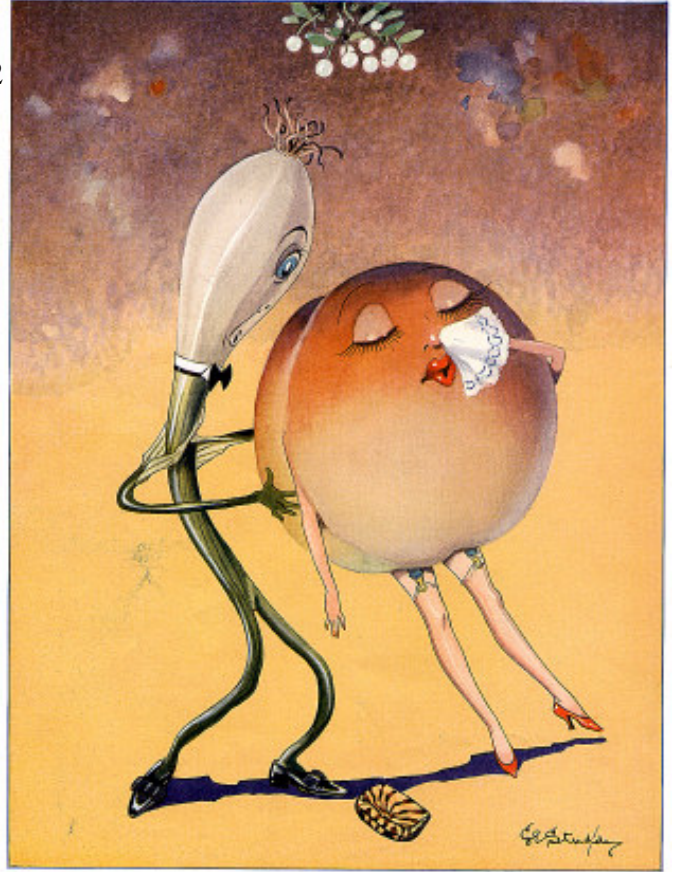
these wonderful art-deco images are from an English magazine c.1936 that is in our own private collection

EXTREMELY RARE



1

FRUITY FABLES I. - MR. FIG LOOSES HIS LEAF!



2

FRUITY FABLES II. - OH! MR. SPRING ONION! THIS IS SO SUDDEN!



3

FRUITY FABLES III. - THE HON. MR. WALTER-MELON DISGRACES THE BOTTLE PARTY



4

FRUITY FABLES IV. - PAPA PEA TAKES HIS OCTETS FOR A RIDE



# a 'NEW' 500 year old floor . . . . .

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**PLEASE NOTE ALTHOUGH THIS IS CREATED ON A FLOOR - IT IS MEANT FOR A WALL!!**

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16 x 12" hand-made tiles make up an astonishingly authentic facsimile 4' x 4' fresco. Taken from a 15th century tile image this looks totally like it has been in the wall/floor for 500 years! Other tile images are available for this process - [www.greatforgeries.com](http://www.greatforgeries.com) and then go to tiles on the right side 'Themes' menu for imagery.