

Basic Detail Report



Conquistador figure

Date

late 18th century

Primary Maker

Artist not recorded

Medium

Wood, gesso, paint

Description

Carved, gessoed and painted standing male figure wearing a gold leafed frock coat, britches and greaves decorated in curving floral and leaf patterns. Moustache,

goatee, slightly below shoulder length wavy hair and pink cheeks. Large buttons run down front, sides and back of coat. Entire right arm and parts of left arm and of both legs are missing. Hole on top of head. Pegged to rectangular brown base. Label pasted to back "Lord Jesus....out of the old...[Pec]os church when destroyed by thein 1680."

Dimensions

14 3/4 × 5 1/8 × 3 15/16 in. (37.5 × 13 × 10 cm)