A rare pair of 15th century carved oak angel corbels, English, circa 1490

£5,450

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Height: 20.5 cm (8.1")

Width: 14.6 cm (5.7")

Description

Each winged, with long hair falling over their tunic collar, and holding a shield, carved with a closed or domed Imperial crown, later cut and block mounted, dimensions overall, (2)

The design of each crown is subtly different. Although Henry V (1413-1422) is recorded to have worn a closed crown, opposed to an open circlet, it was particularly adopted by Henry VII, as seen on coinage from 1489

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