

*Mary (from a Calvary group)* (inv. 01001a)

- Author: Anonymous
- Place: Brabant (Leuven/Brussels)
- Period: late 15<sup>th</sup> century
- Material: Walnut, polychromy, gilded
- Measurements: 132 x 33 x 26 cm
- Origin: Purchased by the Jean van Caloen Foundation, Rob Michiels auction of the Paul De Grande collection (Snellegem Castle on June 23, 2022), lot 495
- Description: The standing Mary, with folded hands, looks sadly in front of her. Her forearms press her kerchief against her which creates a zigzag of dynamic folds. As an old woman, she wears a guimpe through which her head is precisely enclosed in an oval. This statue forms a pendant with the statue of John (inv. 001001b). Both are from a calvary group.
- Exhibition:
- Bibliography: B. Kervyn de Volkaersbeke, *Maria en Johannes uit een calvariegroep. Een bijzondere aanvulling voor de sculpturecollectie van het kasteel van Loppem*, Webmagazine van het kasteel van Loppem, nr. 4, 2023

