



Side Chair

Medium

Walnut and pine

Description

The side chair features a very realistic shell carving in the center of the crest rail, which terminates in splayed, carved and scrolled corner ears. The vase shaped solid splat is held in place by a molded and concave shaped shoe. The front and side seat rails are not molded on their top edges. The side rails are through tenoned into the rear stiles. Cabriole front legs with shell carvings on their knees terminate in exaggerated trifid feet. The rear legs have been rounded and rake backward. They still show draw knife marks that were not smoothed off when the chair was made. All but one corner block have been replaced. The chair retains an old and possibly original finish.

Dimensions

40.75 × 22.25 × 20 in. (103.5 × 56.5 × 50.8 cm)