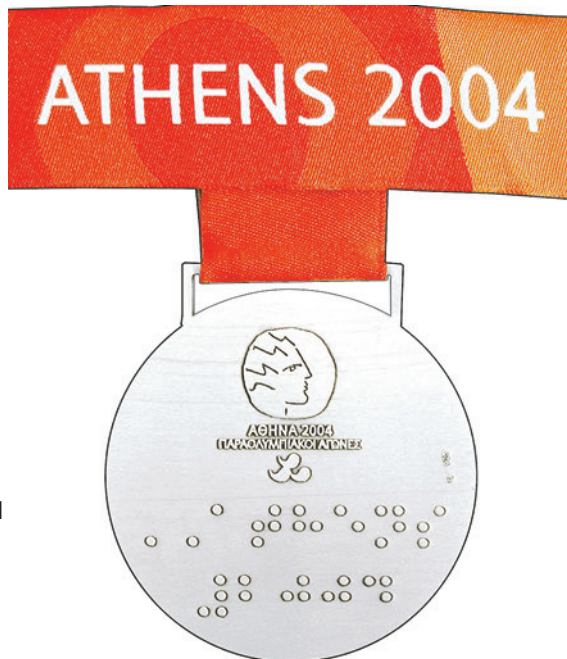




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19. Sydney 2000. Bronze Winners Medal Awarded for Women’s Handball to the Team from Norway. Bronze, 70mm, 166 grams, by Wojciech Pietranik and Brian Thompson, made by the Australian Mint. Seated Victory holding laurel wreath and palm branch, Colosseum Stadium at right, inscribed “XXVII Olympiad Sydney 2000”. Rev. Olympic rings above Sydney Opera House, flaming torch at right. Engraved on edge at top and bottom “Handball, Women”. With blue ribbon embroidered in silver “Sydney 2000”. *The women’s handball competition took place at The Dome: Denmark won gold, and Hungary silver; Norwegian Kjersti Grini scored 61 goals on 96 shots!* EF. **(\$8,000)**

21. Athens 2004. Silver Second Place Paralympic Winner’s Medal. Silver, 60mm. View of Acropolis in Athens. Rev. Paralympic logo above Braille legend. With multicolor ribbon. *Many Paralympic winner’s medals in 2004 were not inscribed with the winner.* EF. **(\$3,000)**

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22. **Beijing 2008. Silver Second Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Baseball to the Team from Cuba.** Silver, 70mm, with circle of inlaid green jade on reverse, by the Medal Design Group of the China Central Academy of Fine Arts, Elena Votsi. Winged figure of Victory holding palm branch and cloak, above Athens Panathinaikos Olympic Stadium, Acropolis in background, "XXIX Olympiad Beijing 2008". Rev. Beijing 2008 logo in center surrounded by ring of jade, "Baseball" on outer circle. *The team from Cuba won second place with Korea winning first. Baseball was voted out of the 2012 Olympic Games in 2005, the first sport since 1936 when Polo was voted out. Polo returned with the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games.* With red and orange ribbon. Housed in its original red lacquered case with gold "Beijing 2008" logo on top, and then in another outer case. Cases and medal EF. **(\$9,000)**

22a. **Beijing 2008. Silver Second Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Men's Football to the Team from Nigeria.** Silver, 70mm, with circle of inlaid green jade on reverse, by the Medal Design Group of the China Central Academy of Fine Arts, Elena Votsi. Winged goddess of Victory above Panathenian Stadium in Athens. Rev. Logo in center surrounded by jade, event engraved on edge. *The Nigerian team won second place in soccer in Beijing.* Ornate loop, with red and orange ribbon with "Beijing 2008" and Olympic rings. Housed in red lacquer box and large silk case. EF. **(\$9,000)**

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23. **Vancouver 2010 Winter. Bronze Winner's Medal.** Bronze, 100mm, designed by Omer Abel and Corinne Hunt, and made at the Royal Canadian Mint. Undulating shape of the medal: Aboriginal design inspired by pods of orcas, and slightly raised Olympic rings on the obverse. The reverse has the inscription "XXI Olympic Winter Games" in English and French, and the emblem of the Games. The unusual shape of the medal had to be struck 9 times, and it required 30 steps to the finish. Each medal is unique as it was taken from a large artwork by Corrine Hunt of Indian heritage. (Komoyue and Tlingit). Suspended from a blue ribbon inscribed with "Vancouver 2010", the motto "With Glowing Hearts – Des Plus Brillants Exploits", and the Inukshuk logo with Olympic rings. A most stunning and unusual medal. EF. (\$20,000)

24. **London 2012. Silver Second Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Men's Artistic Gymnastics in Vault.** Silver, 85mm, 429 grams (over 14 oz), by Elena Votsi and Kostas Kazakos (obverse) and David Watkins (rev.). Winged Nike, Panathinaikos Stadium in Athens behind. Rev. Large London 2012 logo above abstract linear background. Engraved along the bottom edge "Artistic Gymnastics, Men's Vault". "London 2012" and Olympic rings on attached purple ribbon. *Denis Ablyazin also won a Team bronze medal in London on Floor, besides his silver medal on vault. In 2016 Rio he again won silver in vault, and bronze in rings, besides silver in team. At the 2020/21 Tokyo Games he won team gold, again silver in vault.* Housed in its black winner's case which is in Fine condition on the outside, as most cases are. Rarely seen Winner's Medal has very light wear on highpoints, abt. EF. Your chance to obtain a silver medal from this famous athlete. (\$20,000)

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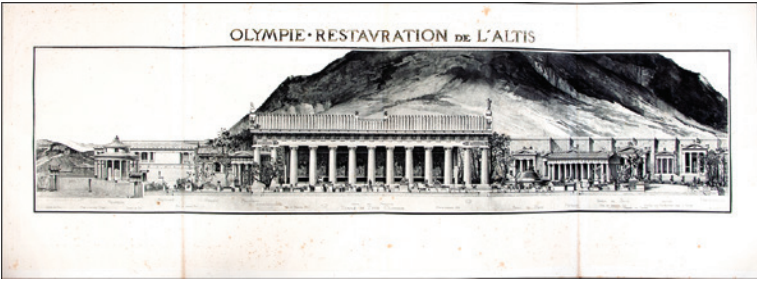
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25. **Tokyo 2020/2021. Silver Second Place Winner's Medal Awarded to Ukrainian Cyclist Olena Starikova.** Silver, 85mm (3.4"), 8mm thick, weight 550 grams, designed by Junichi Kawanishi. Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory, over the Panathinaiko Stadium in Athens, Acropolis in background on left. Rev. The Tokyo 2020 emblem set against a polished stone background, surrounded by curved linen. Event engraved on edge "Cycling, Women's Sprint". Olena Starikova represented Ukraine in track cycling at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics, competing in the women's sprint and keirin events held at the Izu Velodrome, August 6-8th, 2021. Demonstrating impressive speed and determination, Starikova advanced to the later rounds in both competitions, earning this silver medal for her second-place finish in the women's sprint finals. One of Europe's most decorated women cyclists Starikova placed on the podium in ten different events. With multicolored ribbon. Housed in its wooden presentation case with magnetic lid. EF. **(\$30,000)**

26. **SECOND NATIONAL GREEK OLYMPIC GAMES, 1870 Athens 1870. Silver Second Place Winner's Medal.** Silver, 37mm, by Albert Desiré Barre. Head right of King George. Rev. Greek legend in open wreath (translated): "Olympia/ in Athens/1870/Class B'space", above "Consecrator of Games Evangelis Zappas". Since 1859 Greece tried to revive the ancient Olympic Games when the first national Greek Olympic Games were held in Athens. Abt. EF. **(\$2,000)**

27. **(Book) Lalous, Victor and Monceaux, Paul. Restauration d'Olympie. L'Histoire-Les Monuments. Le Culte et Les Fetes.** Restoration of Olympia. The History – The Monuments – The Cults and the Festivities (translated from French). Paris, Maison Quantin, 1889. No. 74 of 500. Large folio, 34x47cm (13.4x18.5"), 228pp., many illustrations., plus 10 full, double or quadruple fold-out pages of copper engravings. Beautiful and highly important work on the restoration, history, buildings cults, and festivals of ancient Olympia. Pierre de Coubertin wrote numerous articles on Olympia which was being restored at the time. Green linen gilt, lt. stains, VF, foxing inside. **(\$1,000)**