

MOM'S JOY ROOM

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*Vintage Solid Brass Doe & Fawn Figurine
Hollywood Regency / Mid-Century Style
circa 1950s–1970s*

CURRENT MARKET VALUE

\$35 – \$90

*Solid brass — doe & fawn grouping
Based on 2024–2025 eBay, Etsy
& Chairish sold listings*

Solid Brass Doe & Fawn Resting Figurine

Vintage Hollywood Regency Decorative Sculpture — circa 1950s–1970s

Solid Cast Brass — Mid-Century American & European Tradition

HISTORY

Solid brass animal figurines have been treasured decorative objects for centuries, with roots in the metalworking traditions of Europe and Asia. The mid-20th century saw a tremendous flourishing of solid brass decorative art in American homes, particularly during the **Hollywood Regency** and **Mid-Century Modern** periods of the 1950s through 1970s. Brass deer figurines were among the most beloved subjects of this era — symbols of grace, gentleness, and the natural world — and were produced by craftsmen across the United States, England, India, and Korea for the American home décor market. The resting doe-and-fawn grouping is a particularly cherished composition, evoking the tender bond between mother and young. These pieces were prized as mantel ornaments, bookshelf accents, and holiday decorations, and have experienced a strong resurgence in collector interest as vintage brass décor has come back into fashion. Their solid weight, fine engraved detail, and warm golden patina make them perennial favorites among antique and vintage collectors.

NOTABLE INFORMATION

- ◆ Material: Solid cast brass — substantial weight, not hollow
- ◆ Subject: Resting doe with fawn — mother and young nestled together
- ◆ Style: Hollywood Regency / Mid-Century decorative brass tradition

- ◆ Period: circa 1950s–1970s
- ◆ Finish: Warm polished brass — rich golden tone with age-appropriate patina
- ◆ Base: Integral oval brass base with engraved foliate/grass detail
- ◆ Detail: Finely engraved feather-pattern coat detail on both figures
- ◆ Condition: Excellent — no dents, breaks, or repairs; bright, clean brass
- ◆ Appeal: Vintage brass décor is strongly trending among collectors and decorators
- ◆ Display: Ideal for mantel, bookshelf, or curio cabinet — charming standalone piece

COLLECTOR NOTES

Vintage solid brass figurines — particularly animal subjects — are enjoying a strong collector renaissance. The doe-and-fawn resting grouping is one of the most sought-after compositions in the category, appealing equally to wildlife lovers, vintage brass collectors, and interior decorators embracing the mid-century aesthetic. The **exceptional engraved feather-coat detail** on both figures and the elegantly sculpted oval base elevate this above mass-produced examples. Comparable solid brass doe-and-fawn groupings have sold for **\$35–\$90** on eBay and Etsy, with finely detailed larger examples on Chairish reaching \$98 and above. The warm, unmarked solid brass and quality of casting suggest quality American or European manufacture.

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