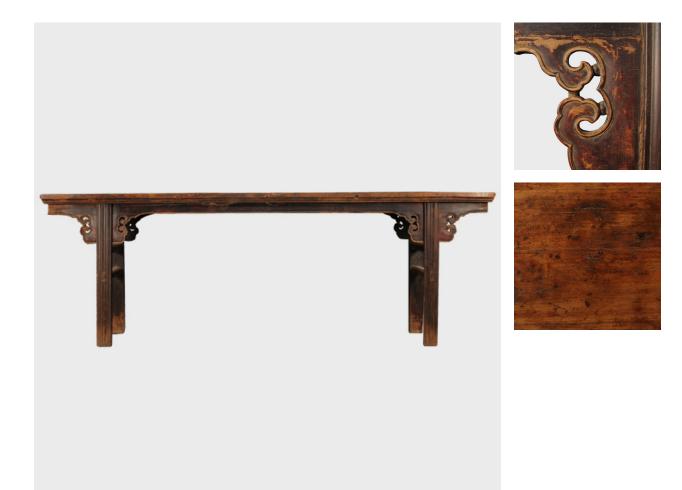
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DOUBLE EAR TABLE

\$12,880

c. 1850 • Northern China, China • Cypress • Collection #Y093 W: 98.75" D: 20.75" H: 33.25"

Remarkable for its intricate carving, this splendid example of Ming dynasty artistry is crafted of cypress wood, prized for its warm brown color and wonderful feel to the touch. Ringed around the top with carved beading, the altar table displays double-ear spandrels denoting wealth. The double-ear motif refers to the traditional notion that a person with large earlobes was predisposed toward success.