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Spoon Sterling Silver American Native American Canoe Cross Swastika XXth

200 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Sterling silver

Length : 14,9 cm



Description

Souvenir spoon in finely chiseled American sterling silver (Sterling), chiseled handle of an American Indian in a canoe, bottom of the spoon decorated with an Indian swastika* cross (Good Fortune) in enamel, circa 1900-1910 early 20th century. This spoon is in good condition.

Hallmarked see photos. A note: micro-scratches and slight wear of time, see photos. * The swastika, or interpretation of the sun wheel, is a symbol of eternity with a highly mystical value. The swastika has long been used by various Indian tribes, particularly in the Southwestern United States, each giving it a different meaning. Thus among the Hopis it represents the peregrinations of the clans while among the Navajos it is the "twirling log" linked to healing rites. The swastika was found in the

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archaeological sites of the Mississippi civilization in Ohio. At the beginning of the Second World War, the Navajo, Apache Tohono, O'odam and Hopi tribes officially renounced its use on their everyday objects and artistic creations.

Dimensions Length 14.9 cm Weight 20.66 grams

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