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**Ga Scheid: Large Box Or Casket In Sterling Silver Niello And Vermeil. Austria 19th Niel, Gas**



840 EUR

Signature : Georg Adam Scheid

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Sterling silver

Length : 9,5 cm

Width : 9,5 cm

Height : 4,8 cm

Description

Superb and rare large box in niello silver by the famous goldsmith Georg Adam Scheid.

The box is square, the lid has a curved edge. The sides of the box as well as the curved parts of the lid have a decoration made of a regular alternation of niello lines or silver left in reserve.

Georg Adam Scheid's niello silver boxes are rare and are even more so with their large dimensions.

Niel is a technique which consists of filling the engravings of an object with silver sulphide. Niel has a very dark gray finish with a very soft metallic reflection.

The top of the lid is silver, enhanced with a

Dealer

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superb number (LMR) engraved in a style typical of the Viennese Secession.

The inside of the box is vermeil.

The box is hallmarked:

- . GAS: goldsmith's mark of Georg Adam Scheid
- . 900: hallmark for the title of the silver
- . Head of Diana in a hexagon: hallmark for Austrian silver of 900/°°
- . Badly struck square punch to identify
  
- . GL in an oval with a different one to identify: probably the hallmark of the French importer reseller
- . Weevil: posterior French import mark

Superb and rare box, remarkable for its superb niello decoration, the high quality engraved number and the extraordinary dimensions for a work by this goldsmith.

9.5 cm side

4.8 cm high

276.2 grams

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