



Orange Agate Casket



850 EUR

Period : 19th century Condition : Très bon état Material : Semi precious stone Length : 14 cm Height : 8 cm Depth : 8 cm

Description

Blue agate casket. Blue agate. Germany. 19th century. 8 x 14 x 8 cm.

Antique casket made out of eight blue agate slabs, all held by a brass mount resting on four spheres in agate also.

In the 19th century, this kind of objets de vertu was often given as a present to upper class young girls. Queen Victoria, then Princess of Kent, was thus given a white agate casket of a similar fashion by her aunts, Princess Sophia of the United Kingdom and Princess Augusta of Hesse-Kassel.

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