



Serpentine Inkwell With Cameos, Souvenir Of The Grand Tour, 19th Century



1 800 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Stone

Diameter : 14,5 cm

Height : 10 cm

Description

Inkwell With Cameos, In Serpentine, Souvenir Of The Grand Tour, 19th Century.

Souvenir Of The Grand Tour, Beautiful Serpentine Inkwell With 5 Cameos 19th Century.

Interesting serpentine inkwell with spiral gadrooned decoration decorated on the lid with 5 lava stone cameos of different colors.

the round serpentine base is therefore gadrooned in a rotating movement.

it is hollowed out in the mass to receive two glass inkwells with necks garnished with a brass ring and two brass pen holders.

the wide grip lid is decorated with 5 lava stone cameos mounted in brass rods and representing the heads of Roman emperors and illustrious men.

the whole thing is very decorative.

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an Italian work dating from the mid-19th century
and undoubtedly a souvenir of the grand tour.

a beautiful, very decorative collectible inkwell,
probably coming from the Naples region from
which 19th century travelers often returned with
this type of lava stone cameos, very fashionable
at that time.

good overall condition but note that the cameo set
in the socket has a split on the right side at the
top.

an ideal inkwell to adorn an empire desk or your
library.

dimensions:

14 cm in diameter and 10 cm high.

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