



Large Pewter Wine Pitcher - Rouen, 18th Century



170 EUR

Signature : Non identifié

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Tin

Description

Free shipping for mainland France via La Poste or Mondial Relay

Large pewter PITCHER with a shoulder shape, flared foot, straight heel goblet and acorn thumb.

Height: 29.2 cm.

ROUEN, Mid-18th century

Type I Upper Normandy piece, not hallmarked but of good quality of material, finish and condition. The largest measure of this center gauging the "pot" is equivalent to 1.82 liters, rare to find

Bibliography:

"Les pichets d'étain" by Charles Boucaud

Dealer

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Old pewters, by J-C COMMENCHAL, expert

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"Les étains normands" by Jean-Claude
Commenchal, on sale in this gallery.

Let us recall in passing that these pitchers were
the wine measures of the Ancien Régime. The
capacity of those used in inns, drinking
establishments, etc., had to be checked
periodically by the royal or ecclesiastical power
to ensure "good measure" for the consumer, but
in fact, this regulation was rarely applied and
pitchers bearing gauging punches are very rare.
The metric system appeared at the very beginning
of the 19th century and took several decades to
establish itself due to the resistance to change
shown by users, but little by little these uniform
cylindrical measures would end up replacing the
pitchers which presented, it is true, a variety of
interesting shapes and characteristics of their
place of manufacture, but also an infinite number
of different gaugings from one city to another and
often even from one village to another, however
close they were. This significantly complicated
the exchanges ...

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Former professor at IDETH (Institute of
Technical and Historical Studies of the Art
Object)

Former professor at the EAC (School of Art and
Communication)

Former member of the UFE (French Union of
Experts)

Expert specialist in pewter for more 40 years I
guarantee the object is authentic described above.
A detailed descriptive invoice accompanied by a

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