



## Medieval Chandelier



### Description

This wrought iron chandelier, made entirely by hand by a blacksmith in the late 18th century, displays meticulous and complex work typical of the craftsmanship of the period. Its circular frame, made up of volutes and twisted motifs, is reinforced by finely chiseled vertical columns. We notice decorative coats of arms, probably symbolic, marked by chevrons and fleurs-de-lys, reinforcing the elegance of the whole. The support elements are robust, but decorated with details, testifying to the attention paid to aesthetics as much as to solidity. The hooks and fasteners suggest that this chandelier could support several light sources at the time, often candles. The natural patina of the metal indicates its age, with nuances of oxidation that add character to the whole. This type of piece would

350 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Wrought iron

Diameter : 59

Height : 1m14

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probably have hung in a large hall or castle, serving as both a source of light and a status symbol, given the fineness of the wrought ironwork and the addition of heraldic emblems. The Gothic decorative elements are characteristic of the craftsman style of this period, blending function and ornamentation with great technical mastery.