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## Small Engraved Lace Folder - "rosalie" - Named And Dated - 1884 - Folk Art

165 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Solid wood



### Description

Late 19th century France - Haute-Loire This small wooden folder, finely carved and engraved with the name "Rosalie", seems to have come straight out of a 19th century lacemaker's workshop. Dated 1884, even if it may seem late to some, it bears the imprint of a time when every object, even the most humble, was loaded with meaning and history. One can almost imagine a young Rosalie, sitting by a window bathed in light, concentrating on her work, carefully intertwining the threads to create delicate lace. This folder, engraved with her name, was perhaps a gift from a loved one: a carpenter father, an affectionate brother or an attentive lover, eager to show her their pride and affection. The engraved patterns, both sober and elegant, tell a story of love for a job well done, where folk art combined

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utility and aesthetics. These everyday objects became personal treasures, imbued with memory and know-how, witnesses of a time when humans and craftsmanship came together to create such masterpieces. This folder is not just a tool: it embodies a fragment of life, a story of labor, creativity and love. It is both a piece of folk art and a moving testimony to the simplicity and richness of past life. Condition: Despite the years, the wood has retained its robustness and beauty, with a natural patina that reflects the use and care given to it. Please note: the branch of the L has been glued back together and the folder has been slightly marked by fire. I took care to wax it to restore its beautiful shine and highlight its old charm. Dimensions: 13.5 x 7.5 cm Shipping: Fast and secure shipping via DHL Express, ensuring that this little treasure from the past arrives in your hands in the best conditions.