Satsuma Earthenware Plate With Flower And Bird Decor, Meiji Period, Late 19th Century



780 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Earthenware

Diameter : 25,5

Depth : 4,5

Description

Lenticular plate in enameled earthenware on a pink and gilded background, with a very fine decoration in slight relief representing flowers and a bird in flight. Signed on the reverse.
Very good condition, some slight erasure of gilding.
Meiji period (1868-1912).
Dimensions: Diam. 25.5 cm, depth 4.5 cm approximately

Satsuma earthenware is a type of Japanese ceramic that appeared in the 16th century in the Satsuma region, south of Kyushu. It is distinguished by its slightly cracked ivory glaze and its rich decorations in polychrome and gilded enamels, particularly prized for export after the Universal Exhibition of 1867 in Paris.

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The pieces produced are often decorated with traditional scenes or floral motifs. During the Meiji period (1868-1912), Satsuma earthenware reached its peak with elaborately hand-painted creations intended for the Western market.