



Snuffbox With Numerous Masonic Symbols "long Live The Union"



449 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Horn

Description

Very interesting and curious snuff box rich in many Masonic symbols in very finely carved bone: Sun, Phrygian cap, horn of plenty, sailboat, painter's palette, anchor, purses, beehives, plowshare... In the center a flag bearing the words "Long live the Union" On the edge, transcribed here with the same spelling: "May this no be forever the height of our sou" This marvelous work of miniature sculpture has a blue/green fabric as a support. Under glass and set in a lid which seems to be made of horn lined with tortoiseshell The other part of the snuff box is made of tortoiseshell, with a small gallery in gilded brass. Diameter 8cm Height: 2cm Good condition. Work from the end of the 18th or beginning of the 19th century

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Tableaux. Objets de charme et de collection.

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