



Reliquary Medallion In Gilded Brass With Enamels Of The Blessed Pierre Chanel, Late 19th Century



600 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Brass

Length : dimensions 9,2 cm x 8 cm / vue 4 cm x 3,1 cm

Description

Reliquary medallion in gilded brass decorated with garlands of plants and small flowers, adorned with cloisonné enamels representing stylized flowers, dedicated to Blessed Pierre Chanel*, from the late 19th century. This reliquary is in good condition, beautiful quality. It has its seals. Note: soiling from time, micro-scratches and wear from time, see photos.

* Pierre Chanel (1803-1841) is a Catholic saint, martyr of Oceania. A Catholic missionary priest, Pierre Chanel is a member of the Society of Mary (Marist Fathers) and is sent as a missionary to Oceania. He arrived on the island of Futuna in the South Pacific in November 1837 to evangelize the population. His actions aroused opposition among King Niuliki's entourage and he was killed on April 28, 1841. Beatified in 1889, he was

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canonized on June 12, 1954 and then became Saint Peter Chanel, martyr of Oceania. His feast day is April 28. Several shrines have been erected in his name, including the Basilica of Saint Peter Chanel in Poi on the island of Futuna.

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