



Meiji Satsuma Koro By Ippo, Gilt Shishi, Kyoto Kinkozan School, Signed, 24cm



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Signature : Satsuma, Kinkozan

Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Porcelain

Description

A rare museum-quality Meiji Satsuma koro (incense burner) from Kyoto, c.1890, attributed to the artist Ippo and likely produced under the Kinkozan workshop. The vessel stands on three paw feet with molded faces and is topped by a dramatic pierced lid with a lion-dog (shishi) finial.

Panels feature processions of nobles and court ladies under cherry trees, and seated Buddhist arhats, each figure individually hand-painted with superb enamel detail and raised gold. The handles and feet are sculpted as richly gilded shishi lions. Signed in gold on a red cartouche under the base. Condition: minor gilding loss, small firing hairline inside the lid (see photos), otherwise pristine for its age.

Dimensions: height 24 cm, width 21 cm, diameter

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14.8 cm, weight 951 g.

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carefully as they form an integral part of this
description. If you have any questions, we will be
happy to answer them.