

Claret Jug In Cut Crystal, Solid Silver And Vermeil, Attributed To Baccarat, Paris Late 19th C.



640 EUR

Period: 19th century Condition: Bon état

Material: Sterling silver

Length: 15,5 cm Diameter: 12 cm Height: 25 cm

Description

Elegant cut crystal claret jug mounted in sterling silver, partially gilt. The crystal body is adorned with sharply cut vertical fluting descending to a star-cut base. The handle, made of crystal and applied hot to the shoulder, follows a restrained curved line. The neck is encircled by a plain silver mount with a subtly contoured pouring spout. The hinged lid is of doucine profile and topped with a finely cast and chiselled finial in the form of a posy of flowers and foliage. The interior of the mount is entirely gilt. Both the lid and the mount bear the French Minerva hallmark (1st standard, 950/1000 silver), along with the maker's mark, which has not been identified. Hallmarks Minerva 1st standard (French mark for sterling silver, 950/1000). Maker's mark: a gabion above the letter G, within a lozengeDimensionsHeight: 25

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cmLength: 15.5 cmDiameter: 12 cmGross weight: 925 g.Paris, circa 1880-1900. The shape and cut pattern of the crystal support an attribution to the Baccarat manufacture. Condition report Excellent condition. No chips or nicks to the crystal; silver mount very well preserved.