



## Pewter Wine Pitcher - Lorraine, Circa 1700



220 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Tin

### Description

Shipping is free for mainland France via La Poste or Mondial Relay\*\*\*\*\*Pewter pitcher in baluster shape with flared foot and throat and acorn thumb. Height: 19.8 cm. LORRAINE, Second half of the 17th century or very early 18th century In very good condition, a filling at the bottom is however noted and visible on one of the photos. This piece of Lorraine typology was obtained by the technique of longitudinal casting, also called "shell casting", in use until the 17th century and the very early 18th century. One can see on one of the photographs the vertical weld made after bringing together the two previously melted "shells". This technique, practiced for centuries, was abandoned in favor of molds allowing radial castings then showing horizontal "seams" visible on the inside and

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sometimes also on the outside. This technical development allows, in the absence of hallmarking, to propose a dating range.

Bibliography: "Etains of Lorraine" by Bertrand Bergbauer "Lezs pichets d'étain" by Charles Boucaud "Pewter pottery in France" by Roger Verdier"\*\*\*\*\*

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