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Luxury Closing Knife, Gold, Silver And Mother-of-pearl, France, Late 18th Century

2 800 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Other



Description

CLOSING KNIFE, LUXURY, GOLD, SILVER, AND MOTHER-OF-PEARL France, late 18th century Silver, mother-of-pearl, steel, gold Closed length: 7 inches; Open length: 12.5 inches; Blade length: 5.9 inches Silver blade, single-edged, with a locking mechanism, signed LALEMENT on one side with hallmark. Steel plates, decorated with two mother-of-pearl ribs adorned with gold medallions, one depicting two figures in a city, including a master polisher, and the other depicting symbols of music and love encircling a medallion with initials. The bolsters, the back of the spring, and the sides of the plates are gold. Note the large size of this knife, rare for the period. Very good condition overall; hairline scratches on each of the plates and micro-dents at the tip of the blade. Ref.: 6291 Text and photos ©

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