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Kinkozan Kyoto Satsuma Bowl -- Samurai Night Battle, Shimazu Crest, C.1900



3 000 EUR

Signature : Satsuma,Kinkozan

Period : 20th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Porcelain

Description

A dramatic late Meiji Kinkozan Kyoto Satsuma bowl that captures a moonlit battle with rare intensity. Warriors in brocaded armour are built up in stipple and raised gold; faces are individualised; the commander bears the Shimazu clan crest. The exterior is deep cobalt with floating gilt mons, a luxurious counterpoint to the pale crackled interior. Kinkozan, a leading Kyoto house since the 17th century, set the standard for export Satsuma at world fairs around 1900, pairing ivory crackle bodies with master-level enamelling and kinrande gilding. Marks: gilt KINKOZAN seal over iron-red; faint painter's device. Date: c.1890-1910. Condition: excellent; gilt wear limited to the cobalt rim and exterior; the interior scene is intact and bright; no cracks or repairs. Artistic and material value:

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collector-grade narrative Kyoto Satsuma with clan mon; large format and strong display presence. Investment note: consistent demand for large Kinkozan bowls with figure subjects supports long-term value. Dimensions: diameter 24.8 cm; height 11.5 cm; weight 1.785 kg. Please study the accompanying photographs carefully as they form an integral part of this description. If you have any questions, we will be happy to answer them. The item will be shipped with full tracking and insurance