



Large Lantern For 3 Colored Lithophanes



980 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Description

Large lantern with cut sides for 3 colored lithophanes
Rare red glass lantern for 3 lithophanes, brass structure.
3 lithophanes of gallant and bucolic scenes-gallant scene with a swing-couple in the woods-meeting on the footbridge
Dimensions of the lithophane: 15 x 20 cm
Dimensions of the lantern: 28 x 25 x 15 cm
A lithophane is a thin ceramic plate with a relief whose thickness varies from 1.5 to 4 mm. The porcelain is fired twice at a temperature of 1250 °C. In normal lighting, there is practically no visible image, but a three-dimensional image is created when a light is placed behind it.
Lithophanes became particularly popular in the mid-19th century. Placed in front of a candle, they served as a bedside lamp or were hung in front of a window. [Link to the site](#)

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