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Luxurious Copper, Italy, Early 18th Century



650 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Quelques manques

Material : Copper

Width : 44 cm environ avec les anses

Diameter : 34 cm au col

Height : 32 cm

Description

Magnificent repoussé and engraved copper bucket from the early 18th century, origin Italy (possibly Tuscany). Large diabolo-shaped body decorated in the upper part with friezes of leaves on a matte background and convex circles under the turned and riveted rim. The lower part shows a profusion of scrolling foliage serving as a medallion with various subjects such as birds and profile heads; as well as a "sunburst" coat of arms under a crown. Two square-section side handles are riveted to the top. The base is slightly domed and decorated with an unusual animal amidst foliage. Two holes are visible at the bottom (approximately 4 mm in diameter), and there is wear on some of the raised details (indicated by arrows in a close-up photo), almost imperceptible from the outside. Despite the stated signs of wear,

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this object remains remarkable for its metalwork and excellent provenance. Note: the lower part of the handles is not fixed, giving the piece a very elegant look. I can provide further close-up photos upon request. Shipping: EUR20 for mainland France. Other destinations: please contact me.