Silver-plated Centerpiece With Molded Glass Dome, Early 20th Century



480 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Glass

Diameter : 14,5 cm

Height : 14 cm

Description

This elegant centerpiece or table display stand features a refined combination of silver-plated metal and a molded glass dome, characteristic of decorative objects from the early 20th century, circa 1900. The base is crafted in silver plate, likely on brass, displaying a warm patina consistent with age and gentle use. It stands on a circular pedestal foot, adorned with a delicately engraved frieze of repeating geometric and stylized leaf motifs, lending a subtle neoclassical influence.The upper section consists of a removable pressed glass dome, slightly tinted with a pale green hue. The glass is richly molded with a repeating pattern of stylized floral or petal-like forms radiating from the center, creating a sculptural, almost Art Nouveau inspired effect. The thickness and clarity of the

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glass, along with the visible mold work, suggest industrial production of good quality rather than hand-cut crystal.Originally, this type of piece could have been used as a centerpiece, a flower frog (to hold floral arrangements), or even as a display stand for small pastries or sweets. The removable structure allows for versatile use, either as a decorative object or functional tableware.A charming and decorative piece, blending utility with refined design, perfect for adding a touch of antique elegance to a dining table or console.