



Spanish Silver Sabre Of Honor Dated 1820 -



50 000 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Description

Spain, early XIXe century
DESCRIPTION Exceptional, richly ornate Spanish officer's saber, in chased and partially gilded silver, preserved with its original scabbard. The frame features a curved hilt dressed with mother-of-pearl plates, set with decorative elements. The finely-worked hilt is adorned with neoclassical motifs (shells, palmettes, foliage) and centered on a figured medallion. The richly decorated scabbard combines silver, leather and gilded appliques:- relief decoration of rosettes and floral elements- blue cabochons (turquoise or glass paste type)- semis of stars inlaid on a leather background- bouferolle decorated with stylized scales and vegetal motifs The whole testifies to very high quality goldsmith's work. Major feature An inscription engraved on the scabbard's

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chape reads: "1° de Enero de 1820" This date corresponds to the outbreak of the Spanish liberal movement. INTERPRETATION Honorary or commemorative saber, probably linked to the events of 1820. INTERPRETATION - Engraved dating (1820) - Strong historical context - Quality silverwork (silver, gilding, mother-of-pearl) - Remarkable aesthetics STATUS Very good overall condition, with even patina and slight traces of use. NOTE Attribution to an undocumented personality; link to historical context only.