



Gilded Silver Paten With A Christogram (ihs, Jesus Savior Of Mankind)



430 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Sterling silver

Diameter : 15,2 cm

Description

Gilded silver paten with the Christogram (IHS, Jesus Savior of Mankind)The symbol was popularized by St. Bernardine of Siena and later adopted as the official emblem of the Jesuits.The cross placed above the letter H represents Christ's sacrifice and Redemption.The Sacred Heart beneath the letters is surmounted by flames, surrounded by a crown of thorns, and topped with a small cross. It symbolizes divine love and God's mercy toward humanity.The flames represent the ardor of His love, while the thorns and the cross recall the sufferings endured during the Passion.Three hallmarks engraved by an unidentified silversmith.France, 19th centuryDiameter 15.2 cm

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