



## Medieval Kidney Dagger Known As A "couillettes" - 15th Century - Silver Pommel, Gothic



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Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Other

Length : 24.7 cm

### Description

Medieval kidney dagger known as a "couillettes" - 15th century - Silver pommel, GothicRare and authentic medieval kidney dagger, known as a "couillettes", dating from the second half of the 15th century. This remarkable weapon features an iron blade, a wooden handle embellished with small decorations, and an elegant silver pommel. This remarkable weapon features an iron blade, a wooden handle embellished with small decorations, and an elegant silver pommel. The set is complete, a particularly rare feature for this type of object, as archaeological finds generally preserve only the blades. The state of preservation suggests a discovery in a humid context, which has enabled the exceptional preservation of the organic elements of the handle..This model of dagger, recognizable by its

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kidney-shaped guard, appeared in the 14th century and remained in use until the early 16th century. Initially carried by the elite, this weapon gradually spread to all strata of medieval society, from combatants to civilians. Contrary to its use in Renaissance fencing, the medieval dagger was an autonomous weapon, particularly used in close combat against armored opponents, where it could be aimed at the interstices of protective armor. The dagger originated in the Middle Ages, when it was used as a weapon of war. The dagger comes from an old Dutch collection. Good overall condition despite several visible misses on the blade. Length: 24.7 cm. A fine piece for collectors of medieval objects and ancient militaria, constituting a remarkable testimony to the Middle Ages. Price without shipping costs. Police Register Ref: A076. Professional antique dealer - Guarantee & buying serenity. As a professional antique dealer, I am committed to offering only authentic, carefully selected and legally marketable objects. Each piece is chosen for its historical, aesthetic or collector's interest, and is subject to rigorous verification of its origin. Invoicing and traceability. Each purchase is accompanied by a detailed invoice and a certificate of authenticity, guaranteeing the provenance of the object and ensuring complete transparency. Legal compliance. All objects comply with French and European legislation in force. Any archaeological objects are offered in compliance with the French Heritage Code (articles L.542-1 et seq.). Objects that may fall under specific regulations (cultural, antique, special materials) are sold within a strictly legal framework. International buyers. Buyers outside France are invited to check the regulations applicable in their country concerning the import of cultural or antique goods. Right of withdrawal. In accordance with the law (article L.221-18 of the Code de la consommation), you have a period of 14 days after receipt to make a return. Return shipping costs are at the buyer's expense. The item must be returned in its original condition. Commitment to

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