émile Gallé - Small Multi-layered Glass Vase, Art Nouveau, Ecole De Nancy



750 EUR

Signature : Émile Gallé

Period : 20th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Glass paste

Diameter : 6 cm

Height : 8 cm

Description

Émile Gallé - Small multi-layered glass vase, Art nouveau, École de NancyCharming small multi-layered glass vase, signed Émile Gallé (1846-1904), a major figure of Art Nouveau and founder of the École de Nancy.A complete artist - glassmaker, ceramist and cabinetmaker - Gallé developed a world deeply inspired by nature. A botanical enthusiast, he created a naturalistic decorative language, in which flowers, plants and insects took center stage. This vase illustrates the work of Gallé's founder.This vase is a perfect illustration of Gallé's expertise, particularly in the use of multi-layered glass. This technique involves superimposing several layers of colored glass, which are then partially freed by acid or wheel etching, revealing extremely fine relief decorations inspired by the antique cameo. The

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small format of this vase is a perfect example of Gallé's expertise in the use of multi-layered glass.The small format of this piece is in keeping with a desire for controlled production, enabling Gallé to disseminate his art widely while maintaining a high standard of quality. These models could also serve as study pieces, intended to experiment with decors, material effects and chromatic variations.Very popular from the moment of their creation, these small vases were also conceived as veritable showcase objects, easy to display and collect.Today, these formats are particularly sought-after for their elegance, refinement and perfect representation of the Art Nouveau aesthetic.A delicate, poetic piece, emblematic of Gallé's creative genius.