



## Ring Set With An Amethyst, Napoleon III.



650 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

### Description

This lovely ring is set with an oval amethystan oval-shaped amethyst, encircled by a row of marcasites it is faceted, mounted on an openwork silver bezel supported by a gold ring. Amethyst is reputed to protect from drunkenness, a virtue taken from mythology: Bacchus was Bacchus was very insistent with the pretty nymph Amethyst, she became frightened and appealed to Diana who, to save her from Bacchus Bacchus turned her into a crystal, and the latter, furious at her escape he poured his cup of wine over the crystal, which immediately took on a violet hue. suddenly sobered up, he gave it the power to protect those of preserving from drunkenness those who would wear it. Napoleon III period. Finger size 53.5 Dimension chaton. 16 mm

x 11 mm

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