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American-themed Romantic Dagger - Early To Mid-19th Century - Spain, Circa 1840



950 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Bronze

Length : 29

Width : 6,6

Description

Rare American-themed romantic dagger, dating from the early to mid-19th century.Originally Spanish, this piece features a tapered 14.75 cm blade, with a flattened diamond shape. The handle, in heavy cast bronze, is richly decorated. It features a pair of opposing quillons in the shape of dog heads, surmounted by a trapper or frontiersman dressed in early 19th-century fashion, carrying a long flintlock rifle, a fringed gibecière, a powder horn, as well as an animal-skin headdress and traditional breeches.The dagger is preserved in a matching heavy molded scabbard, decorated in the same spirit with scenes depicting Native Americans, dogs and mythical creatures.The set is in excellent original condition, with a beautiful old patina, with no damage or missing

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elements.Origin: SpainEra:Early to mid-19th centuryDate of manufacture: circa 1840Style: Romantic / HistoricistMaterial: BronzeDimensions: Height 29 cm; width 6.6 cm; depth 3 cmTotal length with scabbard: 29 cmWeight: 362 gCondition: Good condition, wear consistent with age and useA remarkable antique collector's piece, with rich and unusual narrative decoration, testifying to the 19th-century Romantic taste for exotic, historical and heroic subjects.