



Large Daum Nancy Art Nouveau Vase 53 Cm



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Signature : Daum Nancy

Period : 20th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Glass

Diameter : 21 cm

Height : 53 cm

Description

Provenance

Large glass vase signed Daum Nancy with the Cross of Lorraine, belonging to the artistic production of Nancy in the early 20th century.

The visible signature confirms its connection with the Daum manufactory, one of the leading names of the École de Nancy, renowned for its Art Nouveau glassworks inspired by nature, forests, water landscapes and atmospheric effects.

Description

Important baluster-shaped vase, standing on a circular spreading foot and rising from a generous body to a long, narrowed neck with an open rim. The continuous decoration depicts a lake and forest landscape, with tall trees, branches, foliage, reeds, wooded islets and horizontal water lines suggesting the edge of a lake or pond. The warm

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colour range, composed of yellow, amber, green and smoky brown tones, creates the luminous depth typical of Art Nouveau glass from Nancy. Dark vegetal silhouettes stand out in relief against the softly shaded ground, giving the piece a calm, poetic and slightly twilight atmosphere. The decoration is particularly rich around the neck and lower part of the body, while the broader luminous areas of the main body enhance the sense of distance and perspective. With its height of 53 cm, the vase has a strong decorative presence and represents a larger format than the more commonly encountered examples.

Technique and materials

Multilayer glass with worked relief decoration, showing the surface effects characteristic of Daum production from this period. The decoration combines matte and glossy contrasts, translucent areas, layered colours and finely rendered vegetal silhouettes. The quality of execution is visible in the continuity of the landscape around the entire body and in the precision of the foliage and tree forms.

Dating

Early 20th century, Art Nouveau period, circa 1900-1910. This dating is consistent with the Daum Nancy signature, the Cross of Lorraine, the elongated form and the naturalistic decorative vocabulary associated with the École de Nancy.

Condition

Good overall condition according to the photographs. Signs of age, surface wear and small irregularities are visible and consistent with the period and technique. The interior shows visible traces and deposits. No major damage has been indicated in the information provided.

Function and display

A decorative collector's piece, suitable for display on a console, pedestal, mantelpiece or formal piece of furniture. Its lake landscape decoration and large scale make it particularly appropriate for a classic, Art Nouveau or eclectic interior.

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