



Passionist Reliquary - 19th Century

950 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Diameter : 9

Description

Here is an unusual relic, in a rare form. A contact relic, in fact, encased in terracotta. On the edge of the terracotta, which is shaped like a flat cake, the inscription reads "EX DOMO SS MARTYRIUM JOANNESET PAVLI IN M.CAELIO," meaning: from the house of the martyrdom of Saints John and Paul on the Caelian Hill. On the slopes of Mount Caelius, below the Basilica of Saints John and Paul, lies an archaeological complex known as the site where John and Paul lived, suffered martyrdom, and were buried. It was from this site that this relic was recovered. A clearly identifiable wax seal of the Congregation of the Passion of Jesus Christ authenticates this beautiful piece. The basilica is, in fact, administered by this Congregation and houses, among other things, the tomb of

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diameterShows signs of use Ref 888b