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15th-century Medieval Knife With Original Sheath - From Suffolk, Medieval Archaeology



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Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Other

Length : 16.1 cm

Description

15th-century medieval knife with original sheath - From Suffolk, medieval archaeologyAn exceptional 15th-century medieval knife, accompanied by its rare original sheath, from a former English collection. The set was originally discovered in Suffolk (England) and is a remarkable example of medieval cutlery from Northern Europe.The knife, measuring 16.1 cm in length, is forged from steel. The blade still bears the maker's mark--a crown--visible at its base. Its elegant openwork bronze handle belongs to an uncommon type, of which a few comparable examples are known from the Netherlands as well as northern France, notably from the archaeological excavations at Valenciennes. This type of knife appears to be characteristic of medieval Northern Europe (England, Belgium,

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the Netherlands, and northern France).The leather sheath is truly remarkable for its exceptional state of preservation. One side is entirely decorated with a delicate pattern of tiny fleurs-de-lis created with a punch--a design of great finesse that is rarely preserved with such high quality.The fact that the knife and its original sheath are together makes this set particularly rare and highly sought-after. Complete sets from this period have become very difficult to find on the market, making this piece a true collector's item, worthy of a museum display.A first-rate acquisition for enthusiasts of antique cutlery, medieval archaeology, or high-quality historical artifacts.Price does not include shippingPolice Registry Ref.: A131Professional Antique Dealer - Guarantee & peace of mind when purchasingAs a professional antique dealer, I am committed to offering only authentic items that have been carefully selected and are legally marketable. Each piece is chosen for its historical, aesthetic, or collectible value and undergoes a rigorous verification of its provenance.Invoice and Traceability. Each purchase comes with a detailed invoice and a certificate of authenticity, guaranteeing the item's provenance and ensuring complete transparency.Legal Compliance. All items comply with current French and European legislation. Any archaeological items are offered in accordance with the Heritage Code (Articles L.542-1 et seq.). Items that may be subject to specific regulations (cultural artifacts, antiques, items made of specific materials) are sold strictly in accordance with the law.International Buyers. Buyers outside of France are advised to verify the regulations applicable in their country regarding the importation of cultural artifacts or antiques.Right of Withdrawal.In accordance with the law (Article L.221-18 of the Consumer Code), you have 14 days from receipt to return an item. Return shipping costs are the responsibility of the buyer. The item must be returned in its original condition.Quality Commitment. Buying from a professional ensures security, transparency, and

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