



17th-century German Hunting Dagger Made Of Agate



1 500 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Semi precious stone

Description

Elaborate hunting dagger. 17th-century German craftsmanship. Handle made of milky blue chalcedony agate, faceted and hexagonal in cross-section. Gilded bronze ferrule, chased with the profile of a Roman emperor in the classical style wearing a laurel wreath on one side. The other side bears the profile of a woman richly adorned with a necklace and a diadem. These profiles were certainly those of the patron and his wife. A slender, straight blade with a triangular cross-section, designed primarily for thrusting. The upper third is engraved with scroll-like floral motifs, a technique characteristic of Northern European craftsmanship. The richness of the materials and the finesse of the workmanship make this a prestigious hunting dagger, a testament to the finest works of the 17th

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century. Total length: 75 cm Provenance: - Private collection in Paris Taxes and customs duties are included in the shipping costs for international shipments