Creamware Teapot With Polychrome Chinoiserie Decoration, Ca. 1770-1785



650 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Ceramic

Length : 21 cm

Diameter : 13 cm

Height : 17.5 cn

Description

A rare and visually striking late-18th-century teapot, most probably English and made circa 1770-1785. The unmarked body appears to be creamware or an early china-glazed refined earthenware rather than hard-paste porcelain. A specific factory cannot presently be assigned.The teapot has a balanced globular body raised on a low circular foot, a tall cylindrical neck, a domed cover with an elongated pear- or drop-shaped finial, and a high rounded loop handle rising approximately to the level of the cover.The strongly curved ascending spout is particularly distinctive, its junction with the body strengthened and ornamented with unusual moulded foliate and scroll decoration.Both sides are freely hand-painted in polychrome overglaze enamels with chinoiserie figures in fenced garden

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landscapes.Attribution: Probably English, possibly Staffordshire or Yorkshire; factory unknown. Date: Circa 1770-1785. Weight: 396 g. Height: 17.5 cm. Overall length: 21 cm. Body diameter: 13 cm.Condition: The upper section of the handle has been professionally reattached, with minor losses and restoration to the spout and cover as noted above.