



18th-century Box, Painted On All Sides, With Silver And Tortoiseshell Trim



330 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Other

Diameter : 8cm

Height : 3cm

Description

This lovely box is made of dark wood, similar to rosewood; the lid is adorned with a miniature depicting a group of three ladies and two young men chatting near a fountain in a wooded park. The sides of the box are also painted with a landscape scene that is now worn. Despite some areas of loss, the colors remain vivid. 18th century, circa 1790. Diameter 8 cm, height 3 cm. Weight 80 g. The bottom is decorated with a view of a wooded park featuring a pond and statues under a twilight sky. It was much loved and bears the marks of that affection, with signs of wear and chips in the paintwork. The base and lid are adorned with a fine brown tortoiseshell border and a silver mount engraved with decorative bands. The interior is lined with red-stained tortoiseshell on the reverse

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